

1 if an organization in fact supported a full slate on a
2 countywide basis. You do take the risk either way.
3 For instance, some of the counties are divided up into
4 seven or eight districts, two or three seats in the
5 legislative House of Delegates per district which means
6 the maximum persons we can get from such district is
7 one or two. We already know from practical experience,
8 we have looked around to see who are qualified people,
9 for instance, this Commission has consultants to the
10 Commission who by chance I doctored up a map to see
11 where our consultants live. They live primarily in two
12 districts, legislative districts. If we divide the
13 state on that basis, we could not have many of our
14 consultants even considered delegates if we considered
15 them the type of persons to make good delegates. I
16 think we should consider seriously as a Commission
17 whether or not it isn't worth taking the risk of being
18 able to have more qualified candidates or persons in
19 various areas of the state consider being delegates and
20 actually having a chance of being elected than it is of
21 being overwhelmed by the political machines in these