



REPORT OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

ON

THE HUMBER VALLEY BY ELECTION

FEBRUARY 12, 2007

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July 2, 2007

Honourable Harvey Hodder Speaker House of Assembly Main Floor, East Block Confederation Building St. John's, NL

Dear Speaker:

Section 214 of the Elections Act states that "The Chief Electoral Office shall publish within 9 months after each general election and each by election a book containing pertinent statistics of the election, including poll by poll results of each electoral district." That report with respect to the February 12, 2007 By Election in the electoral district of Humber Valley is now complete.

Section 273(3) states that "The Chief Electoral Officer shall report annually to the Speaker upon the affairs of the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer under this part and the report shall be laid before the House of Assembly at the first convenient opportunity."

I am enclosing at this time copies of the Humber Valley By Election for distribution to Members of the House of Assembly as per Section 19.1 (1) and (2) of the House of Assembly Act as outlined below.

- 19.1 (1) Notwithstanding another Act, where a report or other document that an officer of the House of Assembly is required to submit to the House of Assembly is submitted to the Speaker or the Clerk of the House of Assembly when the Assembly is not in session, the Speaker or the Clerk shall provide a copy to each member and make it available for inspection by the public immediately after the report or other document is submitted.
- (2) A report or other document is considered to have been tabled before the House of Assembly when it is submitted to the Speaker or Clerk under subsection (1).

I trust this meets with your approval.

Sincerely,

Paul Reynolds
Chief Electoral Officer

HUMBER VALLEY BY ELECTION

On Friday, January 19, 2007 a Writ of Election was issued for a by election in the Electoral District of Humber Valley to be held on Monday, February 12, 2007. The by election was called to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of Progressive Conservative Ms. Kathy Goudie who resigned on Friday, January 19, 2007.

The List of Electors that was printed on January 19, 2007 was used as the Preliminary List and contained 7396 electors. Throughout the election period, updates to the list continued to be made until 4:00 p.m., February 9, 2007. A revised list containing 7138 electors was subsequently printed which identified electors who applied to vote by special (mail in) ballot, electors who voted at the advance poll and electors who applied to be added, as well as other changes such as elector moves and corrections to electors' names and/or addresses. This final revised list was distributed to political parties and candidates on Saturday, February 10, 2007 and was used by the Returning Officer for the electoral district and all election officials as the Official List of Electors on polling day.

Nomination Day was held on Friday, February 2, 2007 with a total of three candidates officially nominated at the close; namely Dwight Ball for the Liberal Party, Darryl Kelly for the Progressive Conservative Party, and Shelley Senior for the New Democratic Party

The advance poll was held on Friday, February 9, 2007 in three locations, Deer Lake, Woody Point and Hampden.

A total of 97 Special (Mail In) Ballot applications were received and approved with 88 ballot kits returned by the 4:00 p.m., Friday, February 9, 2007 deadline.

The preliminary count on election night resulted in 4419 votes cast. There were a total of 283 votes cast at three advance polls; 88 votes cast by special (mail in) ballot and 4048 votes cast at 30 regular polls with a 62% voter turnout. Mr. Ball received 2156 votes, Mr. Kelly received 2138 votes and Ms. Senior received 119 votes. There were a total of 6 rejected ballots and 6 cancelled ballots. A total of 574 electors were "sworn in" at the advance, special (mail in) ballot and regular polls.

The Official Addition of the votes was held on Thursday, February 15, 2007 at the Office of the Returning Officer. The results of the Official addition did not confirm the preliminary results on election night and resulted in a 9 vote difference in the total votes cast for Mr. Ball at 2156 and Mr. Kelly at 2147. Ms. Senior's final vote count changed as well to 123. There were a total of 6 rejected ballots.

In accordance with sections 156(3) and 165(1) of the Elections Act, The Chief Electoral Officer made application to the Supreme Court of Newfoundland for a Judicial Recount. The Judicial Recount was held on March 1 and 2, 2007 in the City of Corner Brook and presided by Judge Alan Seaborn. Upon conclusion of the Judicial Recount, Judge Seaborn certified 2153 votes for Mr. Dwight Ball, 2146 votes for Darryl Kelly and 122

votes for Ms. Shelly Senior. There were a total of 10 rejected ballots and 6 cancelled ballots. Mr. Ball was then declared elected after the Judicial Recount and sworn in as a Member of the House of Assembly on March 16, 2007. The results of this by election left representation in the House of Assembly with 34 Progressive Conservatives, 12 Liberals, 1 New Democrat, and 1 vacancy in the District of Labrador West.

The Chief Electoral Officer would like to extend thanks to the Returning Officer, Ms. Duane Tompkins, her election clerk, Ms. Ruth Rumbolt, the election workers from the district and the staff at the Chief Electoral Office for a job well done.

FEBRUARY 12, 2007 POLLING DIVISION RECAPITULATION OF VOTES FOR THE ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF HUMBER VALLEY (RECOUNT)

				BALLOTS COUNTED				
NO.	POLLING DIVISION	ELIGIBLE REVISED 2007 LIST	SWEAR-IN AT POLLS	BALL Dwight Liberal	KELLY Darryl PC	SENIOR Shelley NDP	REJECTED BALLOTS	TOTAL BALLOTS
1	Pynn's Brook, St. Judes & Little Harbour	237	14	40	75	6	0	121
2	Deer Lake	268	23	75	78	3	0	156
3	Deer Lake	182	14	49	58	1	-	108
4	Deer Lake	231	22	52	66	4	-	122
5	Deer Lake	297	33	76	83	2	0	161
6	Deer Lake	267	18	80	77	7	0	164
7	Deer Lake	274	14	82	65	6	2	155
8	Deer Lake	258	12	68	52	5	1	126
9	Deer Lake	342	14	67	90	6	-	163
10	Deer Lake	218	12	55	49	0	-	104
11	Deer Lake	314	23	87	90	3	-	180
12	Deer Lake	268	23	75	68	2	0	145
13	Deer Lake	65	0	34	16	3	-	53
14	Deer Lake	326	34	90	102	1	1	194
15	Deer Lake	223	19	61	65	5	1	132

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16	Deer Lake	204	30	75	73	5	_	153
17	Reidville	372	22	93	117	7	0	217
18	Cormack	225	10	36	75	6	0	117
19	Cormack	205	17	43	47	5	1	96
20	Wiltondale and Bonne Bay Pond	79	12	16	16	5	-	37
21	Glenburnie, Birchy Head & Shoal Brook	184	20	55	58	5	0	118
22	Trout River	225	12	93	37	2	0	132
23	Trout River	211	15	69	58	3	0	130
24	Woody Point	285	19	69	88	6	0	163
25	Howley	184	20	48	102	1	1	152
26	Hampden	353	8	123	58	1	0	182
27	Rooms, George's Cove, Fox Point & Beaches	84	5	16	26	0	0	42
28	Pollard's Point	292	28	96	56	5	0	157
29	Sops Arm	215	11	64	46	0	0	110
30	Jackson's Arm	250	19	80	83	8	0	171

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31	Advance, Deer Lake		47	124	122	9	1	256
32	Advance, Hampden		1	9	3	0	0	12
33	Advance, Woody Point		3	6	9	0	0	15
34	Special (Mail In) Ballot		-	47	38	0	2	87
-		7138	574	2153	2146	122	10	4431

HUMBER VALLEY

Total Number of Polling Divisions in District: 30

Total Number of Registered Electors in District: 7138

Polling Division	Boundary Descriptions	Registered Electors
1	PYNN'S BROOK, ST. JUDES AND LITTLE HARBOUR: THE COMMUNITIES OF PYNN'S BROOK, ST. JUDES, AND LITTLE HARBOUR.	237
2	DEER LAKE: CHAPEL HILL ROAD; CHURCH STREET; CRESCENT STREET; GOODYEAR'S LANE; MAYOR AVENUE; NORTH MAIN STREET; PENNELL'S LANE; POWELL'S LANE; POPLAR ROAD; PINE STREET; SPENCE'S LANE; SOUTH MAIN STREET; AND SPRUCE STREET.	268
3	DEER LAKE: BIRCH STREET; CLINIC DRIVE; COLBOURNE STREET; FARM ROAD; JEWER'S LANE; MOREY AVENUE; THOMEY PLACE; AND YOUNG'S AVENUE.	182
4	DEER LAKE: CHAULK'S LANE; COMMERCE STREET; FIRST AVENUE; SECOND AVENUE; SHEARS PLACE; THIRD AVENUE; TRAILER COURT; AND XAVIER LANE.	231
5	DEER LAKE: DOUGLAS LANE; OLIVIA LANE; REID'S LANE; WIGHT'S LANE; WIGHT'S ROAD; AND WILLIAMS AVENUE.	297
6	DEER LAKE: FOURTH AVENUE; HIGH STREET; MAPLE STREET; AND WILLOW PLACE.	267
7	DEER LAKE: FIFTH AVENUE; FIFTH AVENUE EXTENSION; HANCOCK'S ROAD; KING'S LANE; SIXTH AVENUE; AND TULK'S LANE.	274
8	DEER LAKE: AIRPORT AVENUE; AIRPORT AVENUE EXTENSION; EIGHTH AVENUE; GILES CRESCENT; LANGDON'S AVENUE; LUCAS PLACE; OLD BONNE BAY ROAD; SEVENTH AVENUE; WALLACE PLACE; AND WELLON DRIVE.	258

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9	DEER LAKE: ASPEN LANE; DEVON ROW; DR. T. MILTON GREEN SQUARE; FOREST DRIVE; GATEHOUSE ROAD; GLIDE LAKE ROAD; HINKS LANE; LAKEVIEW CRESCENT; LAKEVIEW DRIVE; MAIN DAM ROAD; PEDDLE'S ROAD; RIDGEVIEW ROAD; SPILLWAY ROAD; SQUIRES ROAD.	342
10	DEER LAKE: CANAL ROAD; MIDDLE ROAD; AND ST. GEORGE'S STREET.	218
11	DEER LAKE: EDWARD STREET; ELIZABETH AVENUE; GARDEN ROAD; AND PHILIP DRIVE.	314
12	DEER LAKE: BENNETT AVENUE; LAKESIDE DRIVE; NICHOLSVILLE ROAD (EXCLUDING 119 – 121 NICHOLSVILLE ROAD); AND QUEEN STREET.	268
13	DEER LAKE: HUMBER VALLEY COMPLEX (119 – 121 NICHOLSVILLE ROAD).	65
14	DEER LAKE: BAILEY'S AVENUE; BALL STREET; CROSS'S ROAD; EVAN'S LANE; HUMBER VIEW DRIVE; JEDDORE'S LANE; KENNEDY STREET; LUSH'S LANE; MOSS'S LANE; OAKE'S ROAD; PARK LANE; PINE TREE DRIVE; REGINALD DRIVE; RIVERSIDE DRIVE; SHAW'S LANE; AND TOWER ROAD.	326
15	DEER LAKE: GEORGE AARON DRIVE; MEADOW LANE; AND RIVERBANK ROAD.	223
16	DEER LAKE: ALBERT LANE; BIRCH VIEW PLACE; GOOSE ARM ROAD; HILLSIDE DRIVE; MOUNTAIN VIEW PLACE; RIVERVIEW PLACE; SUNRISE CRESCENT; AND VALLEY VIEW DRIVE.	204
17	REIDVILLE: THE COMMUNITY OF REIDVILLE INCLUDING CIRCULAR ROAD; CIRCULAR ROAD EXTENSION; COMMUNITY SQUARE; COMMUNITY SQUARE EXTENSION; ELMS STREET; FOREST ROAD; HERB STREET; OLD ROCKY BROOK ROAD; PEARL'S LANE; REID'S LANE; REIDVILLE ROAD (ALSO REFERRED TO AS MAIN STREET); RIVERVIEW ROAD; AND ROCKY BROOK ROAD.	372

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18	CORMACK: TAMARACK DRIVE; AND VETERAN DRIVE.	'S 225
19	CORMACK: VIKING TRAIL (HIGHWAY 430) FROTHE CORMACK INTERSECTION TO AN INCLUDING THE RESIDENCE OF GEORG CROCKER; ALDER AVENUE; ASH AVENUE ASPEN AVENUE; BALSAM AVENUE; BIRD AVENUE; CHERRYWOOD DRIVE; FIR CRESCEN JUNIPER AVENUE; LARCH AVENUE; MAPI AVENUE; OAK CRESCENT; PINE AVENUE; PIN AVENUE EXTENSION; POPLAR CRESCEN SPRUCE AVENUE; WHITE RIVER ROAD; AN WILLOW AVENUE.	ID 200 SE E; CH T; LE IE T;
20	WILTONDALE AND BONNE BAY POND; BOT SIDES OF OLD BONNE BAY HIGHWAY (ALS KNOW AS VIKING TRAIL AND HIGHWAY 43 FROM THE RESIDENCE OF GEORGE CROCKE TO AND INCLUDING THE COMMUNITY OF WILTONDALE. BONNE BAY POND INCLUDIN JACK LADDER ROAD; OLD BONNE BAY ROAD ROCKY POND ROAD; SHADY LOOP ROAD SPRUCE HILL ROAD; SUNSET DRIVE; THE DEPOROAD; THE NEW ROAD; AND WHITE HILLS ROAD	SO 79 0) ER DF IG D; D;
21	GLENBURNIE, BIRCHY HEAD AND SHOW BROOK: THE COMMUNITY OF GLENBURN INCLUDING TABLELAND DRIVE; MACKENZ ROAD; GLENBURNIE ROAD; AND BEACH ROAD THE COMMUNITY OF BIRCHY HEAD INCLUDIN TABLELAND DRIVE AND SILVER POINT. THE COMMUNITY OF SHOAL BROOK INCLUDIN TABLELAND DRIVE; SHOAL BROOK DRIVE; AN BURDEN'S LANE.	IE IE D. IG IE IG
22	TROUT RIVER: MAIN STREET; AND FISHE DRIVE.	ER 225

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23	TROUT RIVER: DUKE STREET; FEEDER LANI HANN'S LANE; HERB STREET; HIGHWAY 43 HILLCREST ROAD; MOUNTAIN DRIVE; OL HIGHWAY; RIVERSIDE DRIVE; ROSE AVENUI VICTORIA STREET; AND WOODLANDS ROAD.	1; D
24	WOODY POINT: THE COMMUNITY OF WOOD POINT INCLUDING BLANCHARD'S ROAI BURDEN'S LANE; CEMETERY ROAD; COATE LANE; CLINIC ROAD; COX'S LANE; CURZO VILLAGE; ELIZABETH DRIVE; FISHERMAN'S ROAI GILLAM'S LANE; HANN'S LANE; HIGH SCHOOR ROAD; LEE'S LANE; MAIN RAOD; MARINA ROAI MARSHALL'S LANE; NEW ACCESS ROAI PARSON'S LANE; POWERHOUSE ROAI PUMPHOUSE ROAD; SHORE ROAD; TROUT RIVE ROAD; WINTER HOUSE BROOK; AND WATE STREET.	D; 285 S N D; D; D; D; C;
25	HOWLEY: THE COMMUNITY OF HOWLE INCLUDING BACK ROAD; BIRCH ROAD; CEMETER ROAD; DEEP COVE ROAD EXTENSION; ELEVENTH AVENUE; EIGHT AVENUE; FARM ROAD; FIRST AVENUE; KELVI BROOK ROAD; MAIN STREET; NINTH AVENUE PARK ROAD; POPLAR ROAD; ROUTE 401; SAND STREAM; SCHOOL ROAD; SECOND AVENUE STATION ROAD; THIRD AVENUE; AND WINSO AVENUE.	Y 184 D H N ≣; Y
26	HAMPDEN: THE COMMUNITY OF HAMPDE INCLUDING BANK'S LANE; CHOUSE BROOK ROAI CHURCH STREET; CIRCULAR ROAD; COMMUNIT PARK; COUNTRY ROAD; ELM'S PLACE; FORES ROAD; FUDGES ROAD; GALE PLACE; HEATH' LANE; MAIN ROAD; MARINE DRIVE; MISIK HEIGHTS OSMOND'S AVENUE; PALACE AVENUE; PARSON' LANE; REGULAR'S LANE; SEASIDE DRIVE STRIDE'S HILL (FORMERLY KNOWN AS BAYVIEW ROAD); AND WELL'S LANE.	D; 353 Y T S S S; S <u>=</u> ;
27	ROOMS, GEORGE'S COVE, FOX POINT, BEACHES THE COMMUNIITES OF ROOMS; GEORGE'S COVI FOX POINT; AND BEACHES.	

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28	POLLARD'S POINT: THE COMMUNITY OF POLLARD'S POINT INCLUDING LONG BEACH ROAT OCEANVEIW LANE; MAIN STREET; JUNIPER LANFORTUNE LANE; DROVERVILLE ROAD; ACADEM DRIVE; AND INCLUDING MAIN RIVER RETIREMENT MANOR (ACADEMY DRIVE).	D; 292 E; IY
29	SOP'S ARM: THE COMMUNITY OF SOP'S ARM.	215
30	JACKSON'S ARM: THE COMMUNITY OF JACKSON ARM INCLUDING CHURCH ROAD; DYKES LAN FORD'S ROAD; GODFATHER'S COVE ROA HEDDERSONS'S LANE; JANES ROAD; MA STREET; OLD JACKSON'S ARM ROAD; OSMOND ROAD; AND TRAILER COURT.	E; 250 D; IN