

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY



NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR

**REPORT OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER
ON
THE EXPLOITS BY ELECTION
JUNE 23, 2005**

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THE ELECTIONS ACT, 1991, CHAPTER E-3.1**

EXPLOITS BY ELECTION

On Wednesday, June 1st, 2005, a Writ of Election was issued for a By Election in the Electoral District of Exploits to be held on Thursday, June 23rd, 2005. The By Election was called to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of Liberal Party Leader, Official Opposition Leader and M.H.A., Mr. Roger Grimes on Wednesday, June 1st, 2005.

The Revised List of Electors that was completed on June 6th, 2005 was used as the Preliminary List of Electors. Throughout the election period, updates to the list continued to be made until June 19th. A new Revised Permanent List of Electors was printed on June 19th, 2005 which contained the names of electors who voted at the Advance Poll and who applied to vote by Special (Mail In) Ballot with a designation by their name. In addition a total of 36 names were added to the final revised list. This final revised Permanent List of Electors was distributed to all political parties and candidates on Monday, June 20th and was used by the returning officer for the electoral district and all election officials as the Official List of Electors for polling day.

Nomination Day was held on Monday, June 13th, 2005 with three candidates officially nominated at the close; namely, Clayton Forsey for the Progressive Conservative Party, George Saunders for the Liberal Party and John L. Whelan for the New Democratic Party.

An Advance Poll was held for one day, Saturday, June 18th, 2005 in two locations, Botwood and Bishop's Falls. A total of 93 applications for special ballots were received and approved and 74 special ballot kits returned to the Chief Electoral Office by the June 20th deadline.

The preliminary count on election night resulted in 4732 votes cast. There were a total of 439 votes cast at two advance polls; 74 votes cast by special ballot and 4219 votes cast at 31 regular polls. Mr. Forsey received 2605 votes; Mr. Saunders received 1958 votes and Mr. Whelan received 159 votes. There were a total of 10 ballots rejected and 3 cancelled ballots.

The Official Addition of the Votes was conducted on Sunday, June 26th, 2005. The results remained unchanged from the preliminary results on election night. Mr. Forsey was declared elected after the Official Addition and was sworn in as a Member of the House of Assembly on Tuesday, July 19th, 2005. The results of this election left representation in the House of Assembly with 34 Progressive Conservatives, 11 Liberals, 2 New Democrats and 1 Independent.

The Office of the Chief Electoral Officer spent approximately \$80,000 in administering the by election pursuant to the provisions of the legislation (exclusive of Election Finance campaign subsidies).

**JUNE 23, 2005 POLLING DIVISION RECAPITULATION OF VOTES
FOR THE
ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF EXPLOITS**

NO.	POLLING DIVISION	ELIGIBLE VOTERS			BALLOTS COUNTED						TOTAL
		REVISED	SWEAR-IN	AT POLLS	C. FORSEY	G. SAUNDERS	J.L. WHELAN	REJECTED	BALLOTS		
		2003 LIST			PC	LIB	NDP	BALLOTS	BALLOTS		
1	Leading Ticksles	371	7	7	105	112	6	2	225		
2	Glovers Harbour	81	5	5	33	25	7	0	65		
3	Point Leamington	319	10	10	105	43	4	0	152		
4	Point Leamington	275	3	3	84	33	9	0	126		
5	Pleasantview	47	3	3	19	17	3	0	39		
6	Fortune Harbour	63	10	10	28	10	1	0	39		
7	Cottrell's Cove, Moores Cove & South West Arm	162	13	13	52	37	5	0	94		
8	Point of Bay, Charles Brook & Ritter's Arm	116	7	7	40	19	1	0	60		
9	Phillips Head	119	7	7	18	35	1	0	54		
10	Northern Arm	307	23	23	113	67	9	0	189		
11	Botwood	286	12	12	77	62	1	0	140		
12	Botwood	278	19	19	97	49	8	0	154		
13	Botwood	255	6	6	74	44	10	0	128		
14	Botwood	291	21	21	100	57	5	0	162		
15	Botwood	328	15	15	88	51	4	0	143		
16	Botwood	348	20	20	105	61	15	0	181		
17	Botwood	344	14	14	77	64	5	0	146		
18	Botwood	360	14	14	114	46	14	1	175		
19	Botwood	79	1	1	8	9	0	0	17		
20	Peterview	313	13	13	37	78	0	1	116		
21	Peterview	326	11	11	57	72	4	0	133		
22	Bishop's Falls	364	35	35	118	84	4	1	207		
23	Bishop's Falls	336	33	33	85	61	4	0	150		
24	Bishop's Falls	335	18	18	96	82	3	0	181		
25	Bishop's Falls	325	16	16	78	83	1	0	162		
26	Bishop's Falls	335	9	9	76	81	5	1	163		
27	Bishop's Falls	279	21	21	73	78	7	0	158		
28	Bishop's Falls	302	6	6	109	67	3	0	179		
29	Bishop's Falls	288	13	13	68	54	5	0	127		
30	Bishop's Falls	278	25	25	98	70	2	0	170		
31	Bishop's Falls	321	10	10	90	89	5	0	184		
32	Advance - Botwood		17	17	99	88	5	1	193		
33	Advance - Bishop's Falls		28	28	139	104	3	0	246		
34	Special (Mail In) Ballots		0	0	45	26	0	3	74		
		8231	465	2605	1958	159	10	4732			

Polling Division Descriptions

EXPLOITS

Total Number of Polling Division in District: 31

Total Number of Registered Electors in District: 8231

Polling Division	Boundary Descriptions	Registered Electors
1	LEADING TICKLES: THE COMMUNITY OF LEADING TICKLES INCLUDING ISLANDSIDE MANOR (67 MAIN STREET).	371
2	GLOVERS HARBOUR: THE COMMUNITY OF GLOVERS HARBOUR.	81
3	POINT LEAMINGTON: MAIN STREET (ALL RESIDENTS).	319
4	POINT LEAMINGTON: ANDREWS DRIVE; EAST ROAD; FEENER DRIVE; LEAMINGTON HEIGHTS; NOSEWORTHY'S ROAD; PARK DRIVE; PLEASANTVIEW ROAD; RICE'S DRIVE; RIVER ROAD; SECOND AVENUE; SAUNDERS DRIVE; SHARRON'S DRIVE; STUCKLESS DRIVE; SUNSET DRIVE; AND WESTERN ARM.	275
5	PLEASANTVIEW: THE COMMUNITY OF PLEASANTVIEW.	47
6	FORTUNE HARBOUR: THE COMMUNITY OF FORTUNE HARBOUR.	63
7	COTTRELL'S COVE, MOORES COVE, AND SOUTH WEST ARM: THE COMMUNITIES OF COTTRELL'S COVE, MOORES COVE AND SOUTH WEST ARM.	162
8	POINT OF BAY, CHARLES BROOK AND RITTER'S ARM: THE COMMUNITIES OF POINT OF BAY, CHARLES BROOK AND RITTER'S ARM.	116
9	PHILLIPS HEAD: THE COMMUNITY OF PHILLIPS HEAD.	119
10	NORTHERN ARM: THE COMMUNITY OF NORTHERN ARM.	307
11	BOTWOOD: BOTH SIDES OF COMMONWEALTH DRIVE (EVEN AND ODD NUMBERS 130 TO 293); INCLUDING AIR BASE ROAD; AIR BASE PLACE; CALEDONIA ROAD; AND VATERS LANE.	286
12	BOTWOOD: BOTH SIDES OF COMMONWEALTH DRIVE (EVEN AND ODD NUMBERS 4 TO 129); INCLUDING MACKENZIE STREET; MARINE DRIVE; AND PATTISON AVENUE.	278

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13	BOTWOOD: BUDGELLS ROAD; CANNINGS LANE; DEANS AVENUE; GUIDE ROAD; HARBOURVIEW PLACE; HARBOURVIEW ROAD; HILLSIDE ROAD; HILLVIEW ROAD; MEMORIAL AVENUE; ROUTE 350 (TCH); SACREY'S ROAD; AND SCOUT ROAD.	255
14	BOTWOOD: ADAMS AVENUE; BAYVIEW HEIGHTS; CANSO AVENUE; CONFEDERATION PLACE; FERNWOOD DRIVE; FRAZER ROAD; HOLLETT PLACE; HORWOOD PLACE; AND TWOMEY DRIVE.	291
15	BOTWOOD: PUMPHOUSE ROAD; STRONGS ROAD; VINEHAMS LANE; WIRELESS ROAD; INCLUDING BAYVIEW VILLA (99 WIRELESS ROAD).	328
16	BOTWOOD: BURTS ROAD; CEMETERY ROAD; CHURCH ROAD; CHURCHILL ROAD; CIRCULAR ROAD; CORONATION STREET; HARVEY ROAD; LIGHTHOUSE ROAD; MILITARY ROAD; MILL ROAD; PARK LANE; PARK PLAZA; PIKES ROAD; STAFF ROAD; WATERMANS LANE; AND WENTZELLS ROAD.	348
17	BOTWOOD: ARMVIEW CRESCENT (TRAILER PARK); BAIRDS HILL; CARTERS ROAD; CRAMMS ROAD; CURTIS PLACE; HEMEON AVENUE; HILL ROAD; IVANYS LANE; KINGS ROAD; KINGS RIDGE ROAD; PARSLEYS ROAD; PHILPOTTS ROAD; RANDELLS LANE; RIVERVIEW ROAD; AND ROBINSON AVENUE.	344
18	BOTWOOD: SWANEE POOL ROAD; VALLEY ROAD; AND WATER STREET.	360
19	BOTWOOD: DR. HUGH TWOMEY HEALTH CARE CENTRE (25 TWOMEY DRIVE).	79
20	PETERVIEW: MAIN STREET (EVEN NUMBERS 234 TO 502 AND ODD NUMBERS 237 TO 401) FROM THE RESIDENCE OF ARTHUR HIBBS TO WIGWAM POINT.	313
21	PETERVIEW: MAIN STREET (ODD NUMBERS 1 TO 235 AND EVEN NUMBERS 2 TO 232) FROM THE RESIDENCE OF JODY HIBBS TO THE PETERVIEW BRIDGE; INCLUDING ABBOTT STREET; BLAKE'S LANE; HILLVIEW ROAD; KEATS LANE; AND OXFORD AVENUE.	326

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22	BISHOP'S FALLS: BOTH SIDES OF MAIN STREET (ODD NUMBERS 623 TO 495 AND EVEN NUMBERS 622 TO 496) FROM THIRTEEN MILE CROSSING TO ISLAND DRIVE IN; INCLUDING BOTWOOD HIGHWAY; CEDAR LANE FARM; HIGHWAY 360 (BAY D'ESPOIR HIGHWAY); SUNSET DRIVE; THIRTEEN MILE CROSSING; TRANS CANADA HIGHWAY (ALL RESIDENCES); AND THE COMMUNITY OF SANDY POINT (HIGHWAY 351 AND SANDY POINT ROAD).	364
23	BISHOP'S FALLS: BOTH SIDES OF MAIN STREET (ODD NUMBERS 493 TO 401 AND EVEN NUMBERS 494 TO 396) FROM ISLAND DRIVE IN TO KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS; INCLUDING COUNTRY ROAD; HAMPTONS HILL; AND ROSE STREET.	336
24	BISHOP'S FALLS: FOREST ROAD; JUNCTION ROAD; KENNEDY PLACE; KINGS ROAD; KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ROAD; MAYOR AVENUE; MCDONALD CRESCENT, MILL ROAD, POWERHOUSE ROAD (INCLUDING FALLSVIEW SENIOR APARTMENTS); REID PLACE; SYDNEY STREET; TUCKER PARK (FORMERLY EAST END TRAILER COURT); AND VALLEYVIEW ROAD.	335
25	BISHOP'S FALLS: LOWER AVENUE; NEWTOWN ROAD; AND TURNERS ROAD.	325
26	BISHOP'S FALLS: KINSMEN DRIVE; MARSHALL'S DRIVE; AND RIVERSIDE DRIVE.	335
27	BISHOP'S FALLS: BOTH SIDES OF MAIN STREET (ODD NUMBERS 399 TO 221 - INTERSECTION OF EXPLOITS AVENUE) (EVEN NUMBERS 394 TO 216 - MORGAN PRINTING); INCLUDING ANDREWS PLACE; ASPEN STREET; DOVES LANE; EPSTEIN PLACE; FARRELL PLACE; AND STANLEY'S AVENUE.	279
28	BISHOP'S FALLS: BOTH SIDES OF MAIN STREET (ODD NUMBERS 219 TO 1 AND EVEN NUMBERS 214 TO 2).	302
29	BISHOP'S FALLS: BIRCH STREET; CENTRAL ACCESS ROAD; COBB'S LANE; DAVIS LANE; EXPLOITS AVENUE; FAULKNERS LANE; MCMAHONS LANE; PINE PLACE; STATION ROAD; VOKEY'S LANE; AND THE EXPLOITS MANOR PERSONAL CARE HOME (26 EXPLOITS AVENUE).	288

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30	BISHOP'S FALLS: BEAUMONT HEIGHTS; CANNINGS LANE; ELTERO PARK; AND GREENRIDGE ROAD.	278
31	BISHOP'S FALLS: ADAMS AVENUE; FIRST AVENUE; HOBBS PARK (FORMERLY WEST END TRAILER COURT); HYNES ROAD; LINGARD PLACE; MORGAN STREET; R.E.W.A. AVENUE; SECOND AVENUE; AND THE COMMUNITY OF WOODDALE.	321