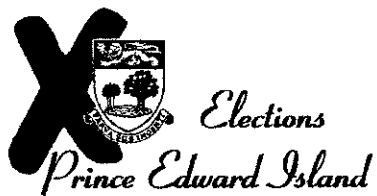
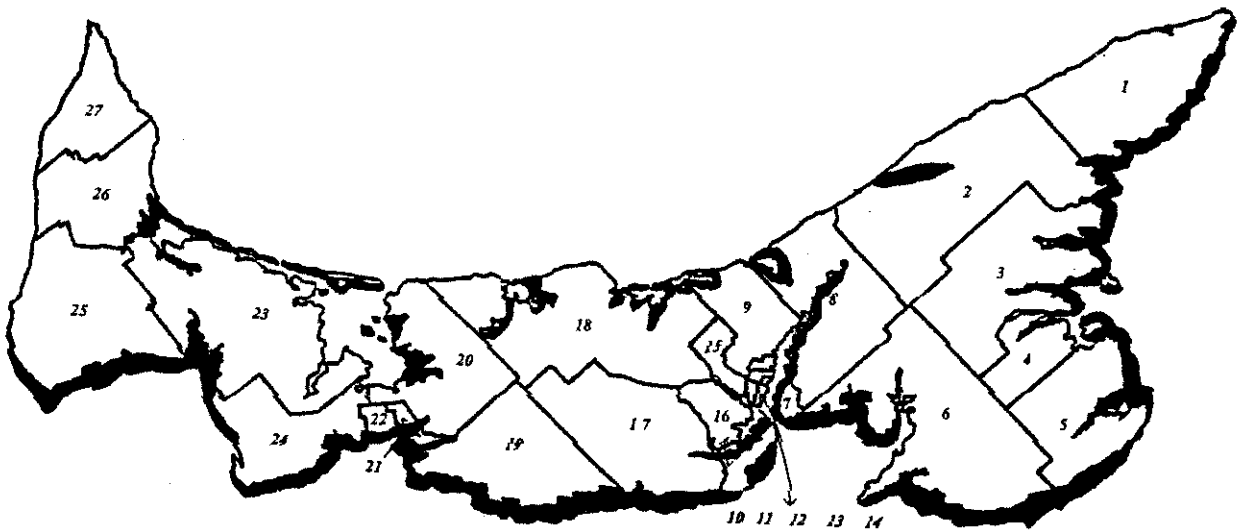


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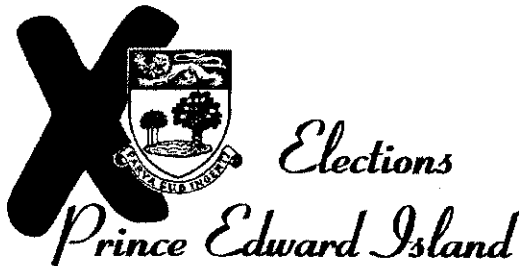
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Honourable Wilbur MacDonald
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly
Province of Prince Edward Island

Dear Mr. Speaker:

I have the honour of submitting the Report of the Chief Electoral Officer pursuant to section 119 of the *Election Act*, R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-1.1.

The Writ of Election was issued on 21 October 1996 with ordinary polling day set for 18 November 1996.

This year has seen many changes in the election process in Prince Edward Island. New legislation has been enacted and the major change was to remove the proxy method of voting and institute the mail-in ballot method of allowing resident electors temporary absent for their homes to vote for the candidate of their choice.

A new *Electoral Boundaries Act*, R.S.P.E.I. 1988 Cap. E-2.1 changed the landscape of elections in Prince Edward Island. It reduced the number of elected members from 32 members to 27 members and we now elect one member per electoral district rather than two which has been our tradition since the upper and lower house was combined into a unicameral parliament in the late 1800s. Also the electoral districts have been drawn to provide for an approximate equality of electors in each district and will be subject to review as required by the Act after each third general election—the first of which has occurred.

I would like to express my appreciation to all three parties, their leaders, candidates, staff and volunteer workers for their assistance and co-operation during the election period.

I would also like to pay tribute to my staff, returning officers and their clerks for their long hours and devotion to duty during the election period. These people, in my mind, exemplify the democratic process and it is indeed a pleasure to be associated with them.

Respectfully submitted,

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M. H. Wigginton
Chief Electoral Officer



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ELECTED MEMBERS

GENERAL ELECTION

18 November 1996

Electoral District		Member of Legislative Assembly	
No. 1	Souris - Elmira	Andy Mooney	(PC)
No. 2	Morell - Fortune Bay	Kevin MacAdam	(PC)
No. 3	Georgetown - Baldwin's Road	Michael Currie	(PC)
No. 4	Montague - Kilmuir	Jim Bagnall	(PC)
No. 5	Murray River - Gaspereaux	Pat Binns	(PC)
No. 6	Belfast - Pownal Bay	Wilbur MacDonald	(PC)
No. 7	Glen Stewart - Bellevue Cove	Pat Mella	(PC)
No. 8	Tracadie - Fort Augustus	Mildred A. Dover	(PC)
No. 9	Stanhope - East Royalty	Jamie Ballem	(PC)
No. 10	Sherwood - Hillsborough	Elmer MacFadyen	(PC)
No. 11	Parkdale - Belvedere	Chester Gillan	(PC)
No. 12	Charlottetown - Kings Square	Wayne D. Cheverie	(LIB)
No. 13	Charlottetown - Rochford Square	Paul Connolly	(LIB)
No. 14	Charlottetown - Spring Park	Wes MacAleer	(PC)
No. 15	Winsloe - West Royalty	Don MacKinnon	(PC)
No. 16	North River - Rice Point	Ron MacKinley	(LIB)
No. 17	Crapaud - Hazel Grove	Norman MacPhee	(PC)
No. 18	Park Corner - Oyster Bed	Beth MacKenzie	(PC)
No. 19	Borden - Kinkora	Eric Hammill	(PC)
No. 20	Kensington - Malpeque	Mitch Murphy	(PC)
No. 21	Wilmot - Summerside	Greg Deighan	(PC)
No. 22	St. Eleanors - Summerside	Nancy Guptill	(LIB)
No. 23	Cascumpec - Grand River	Keith Milligan	(LIB)
No. 24	Evangeline - Miscouche	Robert Maddix	(LIB)
No. 25	West Point - Bloomfield	Dr. Herb Dickieson	(NDP)
No. 26	Alberton - Miminegash	Hector MacLeod	(LIB)
No. 27	Tignish - DeBlois	Robert Morrissey	(LIB)

PROVINCIAL TOTALS

Number Enumerated	Ballots Cast	% Cast	Ballots Rejected	% Rejected	Votes Received		Votes Received		Votes Received	
					LIB	%	NDP	%	PC	%
94,015	80,362	85.48	367	0.46	35,802	44.55	6,283	7.82	37,910	47.17

ELECTED

Island New Democrats	1
Liberal	8
Progressive Conservative	18
Total	<u>27</u>

DECLARATION DAY RESULTS

ELECTORAL DISTRICT	NAME OF CANDIDATE	NUMBER ENUMERATED	BALLOTS CAST	BALLOT CAST	BALLOTS REJECTED	% REJECTED	VOTES RECEIVED	% VOTES RECEIVED	MAJORITY
No. 1 Souris - Elmira	MacDonald, Brian "Ade" (NDP)	2,713	2,508	92.44	8	0.32	54	2.15	
	Mooney, Andy (PC)						1,287	51.32	128
	Young, Ross (LIB)						1,159	46.21	
No. 2 Morell - Bay Fortune	Bradley, Walter (LIB)	2,846	2,659	93.43	3	0.11	1,269	47.72	
	MacAdam, Kevin (PC)						1,347	50.66	78
	Murphy, Kathy (NDP)						40	1.50	
No. 3 Georgetown - Baldwin's Road	Allen, Patricia (NDP)	2,941	2,700	91.81	12	0.44	43	1.59	
	Currie, Michael (PC)						1,463	54.19	281
	MacDonald, Rose Marie (LIB)						1,182	43.78	
No. 4 Montague - Kilmuir	Bagnall, Jim (PC)	2,597	2,309	88.91	15	0.65	1,259	54.53	295
	Deelstra, Beverly (LIB)						964	41.75	
	Gillis, Janet L. (NDP)						71	3.07	
No. 5 Murray River - Gaspereaux	Binns, Pat (PC)	2,713	2,457	90.56	14	0.57	1,309	53.28	287
	Hicken, Alan Neil (NDP)						112	4.56	
	Hicken, Barry W. (LIB)						1,022	41.6	
No. 6 Belfast - Pownal Bay	MacDonald, Wilbur (PC)	2,981	2,631	88.26	15	0.57	1,275	48.46	33
	MacPherson, Lynwood (LIB)						1,242	47.21	
	Perry, Edith (NDP)						99	3.76	
No. 7 Glen Stewart - Bellevue Cove	Burgoyne, Pat (NDP)	3,848	3,427	89.06	10	0.29	146	4.26	
	Hughes, Mary (LIB)						914	26.67	
	Mella, Pat (PC)						2,357	68.78	1,443

DECLARATION DAY RESULTS

ELECTORAL DISTRICT	NAME OF CANDIDATE	NUMBER ENUMERATED	BALLOTS CAST	BALLOT CAST	BALLOTS REJECTED	% REJECTED	VOTES RECEIVED	% VOTES RECEIVED	MAJORITY
No. 8 Tracadie - Fort Augustus	Dover, Mildred A. (PC)	3,256	2,894	88.88	14	0.48	1,511	52.21	232
	Gibler, Suzanne Marie (NDP)						90	3.11	
	McIssac, Alan (LIB)						1,279	44.19	
No. 9 Stanhope - East Royalty	Ballem, Jamie (PC)	3,712	3,202	86.26	8	0.25	1,625	50.75	221
	Cheverie, Leo (NDP)						165	5.15	
	Reardon, Eddie (LIB)						1,404	43.85	
No. 10 Sherwood - Hillsborough	Hughes, Larry (LIB)	3,707	3,015	81.33	11	0.36	1,212	40.2	
	Kelly, Ronald (NDP)						207	6.87	
	MacFadyen, Elmer (PC)						1,585	52.57	373
No. 11 Parkdale - Belvedere	Dowling, Stephen (LIB)	3,349	2,772	82.77	11	0.40	1,008	36.36	
	Duchesne, Larry (NDP)						169	6.1	
	Gillan, Chester (PC)						1,584	57.14	576
No. 12 Charlottetown - Kings Square	Cheverie, Wayne D. (LIB)	3,520	2,800	79.55	17	0.61	1,345	48.04	270
	Frei, Sibyl (NDP)						363	12.96	
	McKenna, Brian (PC)						1,075	38.39	
No. 13 Charlottetown - Rochford Square	Connolly, Paul (LIB)	3,476	2,878	82.80	12	0.42	1,348	46.84	56
	Forrest, Mark (NDP)						226	7.85	
	Lantz, Jeff (PC)						1,292	44.89	
No. 14 Charlottetown - Spring Park	Broderick, Leo (NDP)	3,984	3,476	87.25	14	0.40	862	24.8	362
	MacAleer, Wes (PC)						1,481	42.61	
	MacDonald, Ian "Tex" (LIB)						1,119	32.19	

DECLARATION DAY RESULTS

ELECTORAL DISTRICT	NAME OF CANDIDATE	NUMBER ENUMERATED	BALLOTS CAST		BALLOT CAST		BALLOTS REJECTED		% REJECTED		VOTES RECEIVED		MAJORITY
			BALLOTS CAST	BALLOT CAST	BALLOTS REJECTED	BALLOT REJECTED	% REJECTED	VOTES RECEIVED	% VOTES RECEIVED				
No. 15 Winsloe - West Royalty	MacKinnon, Don (PC)	4,249	3,538	83.27	22	0.62	1,751	49.49	176				
	MacNeill, Perley (LIB)						1,575	44.52					
	Rodd, James (NDP)						190	5.37					
No. 16 North River - Rice Point	Dollar, Brian (PC)	4,432	3,802	85.79	14	0.37	1,606	42.24					
	Hunt, Marlene (NDP)						224	5.89					
	MacKinley, Ron (LIB)						1,958	51.5	352				
No. 17 Crapaud - Hazel Grove	Brown, J'Nan (NDP)	4,093	3,519	85.98	12	0.34	312	8.87					
	MacArthur, Eric (LIB)						1,529	43.45					
	MacPhee, Norman (PC)						1,666	47.34	137				
No. 18 Park Corner - Oyster Bed	Gallant, Gerard (NDP)	4,359	3,681	84.45	18	0.49	187	5.08					
	MacInnis, Gordon (LIB)						1,652	44.88					
	MacKenzie, Beth (PC)						1,824	49.55	172				
No. 19 Borden - Kinkora	Hammill, Eric (PC)	3,836	3,056	79.67	30	0.98	1,521	49.77	211				
	Huestis, Stavert (LIB)						1,310	42.87					
	Sexton, Gerard (NDP)						195	6.38					
No. 20 Kensington - Malpeque	Campbell, Bill (LIB)	4,277	3,573	83.54	14	0.39	1,312	36.72					
	Murphy, Mitch (PC)						2,020	56.54	708				
	Roberts, Calvin C. (NDP)						227	6.35					
No. 21 Wilmot - Summerside	Deighan, Greg (PC)	4,356	3,412	78.33	20	0.59	1,506	44.14	112				
	MacEwen, Walter (LIB)						1,394	40.86					
	McKinnon, Bill (NDP)						492	14.42					

DECLARATION DAY RESULTS

ELECTORAL DISTRICT	NAME OF CANDIDATE	NUMBER ENUMERATED	BALLOTS CAST		BALLOT CAST	BALLOTS REJECTED		% REJECTED	VOTES RECEIVED		% VOTES RECEIVED	MAJORITY
			BALLOTS CAST	BALLOTS CAST		BALLOTS REJECTED	BALLOTS REJECTED		VOTES RECEIVED	VOTES RECEIVED		
No. 22 St. Eleanors - Summerside	Arsenault, Marsha (NDP)	4,153	3,189	76.79	21	0.66	307	9.63	571			
	Guptill, Nancy (LIB)									1,716	53.81	
	MacNeill, Gardiner (PC)									1,145	35.9	
No. 23 Cascumpec - Grand River	Balsom, Barry (PC)	3,069	2,713	88.40	13	0.48	715	26.35				
	Lewis, Donna (NDP)									162	5.97	
	Milligan, Keith (LIB)									1,823	67.19	1,108
No. 24 Evangeline - Miscouche	Bernard, Gerard (NDP)	2,902	2,449	84.39	7	0.29	188	7.68	784			
	Maddix, Robert (LIB)									1,519	62.03	
	Richard, Gerard (PC)									735	30.01	
No. 25 West Point - Bloomfield	Dickieson, Dr. Herb (NDP)	2,704	2,412	89.20	13	0.54	921	38.18	138			
	Morgan, Dr. Gary (PC)									695	28.81	
	Yeo, Fairley (LIB)									783	32.46	
No. 26 Alberton - Miminegash	Kilfoil, Ed (NDP)	3,082	2,665	86.47	12	0.45	175	6.57	224			
	MacLeod, Hector (LIB)									1,351	50.69	
	Trail, Eddie (PC)									1,127	42.29	
No. 27 Tignish - DeBlois	Morrissey, Robert J. (LIB)	2,860	2,625	91.78	7	0.27	1,413	53.83	264			
	Shea, Gail (PC)									1,149	43.77	
	Waite, Howard (NDP)									56	2.13	

No. 1 Souris - Elmira

Returning Officer - John Grant

No.	POLLING DIVISION	NUMBER OF ELECTORS	BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
			MacDonald NDP	Mooney PC	Young LIB	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		7	137	149	0
1	New Zealand	248	3	90	107	1
2	North Lake	292	8	99	119	2
3	Souris West	388	4	162	143	3
4	Souris River	341	2	161	122	0
5	Souris	278	3	119	71	0
6	Souris North	169	4	68	76	0
7	Black Pond	261	5	120	86	0
8	Chepstow	405	13	153	144	0
9	Bothwell	331	5	159	117	0
	Mobile Poll #1		0	19	25	2
	TOTALS	2713	54	1287	1159	8

No. 2 Morell - Fortune Bay

Returning Officer - Aubrey Webster

No.	POLLING DIVISION	NUMBER OF ELECTORS	BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
			Bradley LIB	MacAdam PC	Murphy NDP	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		91	108	4	0
1	Cherry Hill	361	137	163	9	0
2	Bristol	272	109	111	4	1
3	Morell South	331	162	133	1	0
4	St. Peters North	309	125	138	2	0
5	Farmington	256	132	100	1	0
6	St. Charles	352	156	149	7	1
7	Green Meadows	304	112	138	4	0
8	St. Peters South	326	127	139	2	0
9	Red House	335	118	168	6	1
	TOTALS	2846	1269	1347	40	3

No. 3 Georgetown - Baldwin's Road

Returning Officer - Donalda MacDonald

			BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
No.	POLLING DIVISION	NUMBER OF ELECTORS	Allen NDP	Currie PC	MacDonald LIB	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		3	124	90	1
1	Lorne Valley	307	1	132	123	2
2	Glenfanning	390	6	176	135	3
3	Poplar Point	402	5	142	190	2
4	New Perth	241	4	109	83	0
5	Victoria Cross	331	5	180	98	2
6	Pooles Corner	310	7	141	96	0
7	Woodville Mills	278	5	129	117	1
8	Georgetown North	345	6	164	134	0
9	Georgetown South	337	1	166	116	1
	TOTALS	2941	43	1463	1182	12

No. 4 Montague - Kilmuir

Returning Officer - William Rourke

			BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	Bagnall PC	Deelstra LIB	Gillis NDP	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		154	103	6	2
1	Mellish Road	334	136	120	14	3
2	Brudnell	249	124	77	5	0
3	Montague East	280	115	79	5	0
4	Montague West	303	135	86	2	2
5	Montague Southwest	311	118	104	16	5
6	Kilmuir	346	159	119	2	2
7	Montague Southeast	415	135	141	14	1
8	Lower Montague	359	162	105	7	0
	Mobile Poll #4		21	30	0	0
	TOTALS	2597	1259	964	71	15

No. 5 Murray River - Gaspereaux

Returning Officer - Shirley Allen

			BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	Binns PC	A. Hicken NDP	B. Hicken LIB	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		121	6	99	0
1	Milltown Cross	268	132	11	77	2
2	Sturgeon	265	85	3	141	1
3	Pembroke	324	115	5	150	1
4	Peters Road	235	103	16	80	0
5	Dover	343	127	14	127	0
6	Murray River South	299	131	14	100	3
7	High Bank	301	152	7	68	5
8	Murray Harbour	357	186	21	87	2
9	Beach Point	321	157	15	93	0
	TOTALS	2713	1309	112	1022	14

No. 6 Belfast - Pownal Bay

Returning Officer - Sinclair MacTavish

No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
			MacDonald PC	MacPherson LIB	Perry NDP	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		66	80	5	0
1	Alexandra	300	91	120	16	4
2	Village Green	353	144	131	11	1
3	Avondale	361	168	135	10	1
4	Cherry Valley	252	114	105	3	0
5	Kinross	291	111	125	10	0
6 a	Iona (A - MAC)	246	110	72	2	1
6 b	Iona (MAD - Z)	232	92	77	8	5
7	Point Prim	296	103	132	9	1
8	Pinette	272	107	121	4	0
9	Wood Islands	378	156	139	21	2
	Mobile Poll #6		13	5	0	0
	TOTALS	2981	1275	1242	99	15

No. 7 Glen Stewart - Bellevue Cove

Returning Officer - Alma Birt

			BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	Burgoyne	Hughes	Mella	Rejected
			NDP	LIB	PC	Ballots
	Advance poll		7	85	167	0
1	Mason Road	333	17	91	174	2
2 a	Hopeton Road (A - L)	248	9	57	128	0
2 b	Hopeton Road (M - Z)	252	10	68	128	1
3	Rankin Drive	350	16	83	194	0
4	Reddin Heights	421	16	108	225	1
5	Glencove Drive	231	2	49	147	1
6 a	Langley (A - L)	239	8	28	159	0
6 b	Langley (M - Z)	228	6	40	146	0
7	Keppoch Lane	413	11	55	275	2
8	Ross Crescent	217	9	51	131	0
9	Kennedy Road	274	7	68	171	0
10	Clearview Estates	243	8	50	142	0
11	Fullertons Marsh	399	20	81	170	3
	TOTALS	3848	146	914	2357	10

No. 10 Sherwood - Hillsborough

Returning Officer - Sharon Fortier

No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
			Hughes LIB	Kelly NDP	MacFadyen PC	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll + Mobile poll		102	3	94	0
1	Scarlet Ave.	361	119	20	147	0
2	Doncaster Ave.	339	115	18	123	1
3	Pope Ave.	392	112	20	131	0
4	Francis Lane	331	102	13	146	1
5	Gordon Dr.	308	78	16	110	5
6	Greensview Dr.	174	57	3	77	1
7	Park Ave.	382	102	28	155	0
8	Westcomb Cres.	359	108	21	152	0
9	Glenthorn Ave.	434	146	22	159	2
10	Glenafton Drive	270	70	21	114	0
11	Q.E.H.-Riverside	357	101	22	177	1
	TOTALS	3707	1212	207	1585	11

No. 11 Parkdale - Belvedere

Returning Officer - Sheila Laird

			BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	Dowling LIB	Duchesne NDP	Gillan PC	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		87	7	100	0
1	University Ave.	106	18	7	29	0
2	MacMillan Cres.	251	49	8	129	1
3	Poplar Ave.	155	61	5	70	0
4	Greenleaf Ave.	313	71	12	166	1
5	Roper Dr.	245	62	10	116	2
6	Centennial Dr.	224	63	14	88	0
7	Valhalla Dr.	295	94	8	103	2
8	Park Royal	406	123	27	170	0
9 a	Harley St. (A - L)	222	57	8	101	0
9 b	Harley St. (M - Z)	248	57	18	110	1
10	Laurie Dr.	266	82	11	115	0
11	St. Pius X	288	80	17	146	4
12	Linden Ave.	330	85	15	130	0
	Mobile Poll #11		19	2	11	0
	TOTALS	3349	1008	169	1584	11

No. 12 Charlottetown - Kings Square

Returning Officer - Shirley Dillon

No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
			Cheverie LIB	Frei NDP	McKenna PC	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		141	11	67	1
1	Lapthorne Ave.	328	132	39	101	0
2	Bishop St.	287	94	39	89	1
3	Walthen Dr.	337	78	34	97	3
4	Orlebar St.	326	107	28	85	0
5	Clarke St.	363	125	45	86	1
6	Sydney St.	249	81	25	79	0
7	Water St. East	297	77	35	91	0
8	Cumberland St.	353	125	43	79	4
9	Pleasant St.	348	115	19	105	2
10	Belmont St.	319	127	16	80	1
11	Park St.	313	106	28	85	2
	Mobile Poll #12		37	1	31	2
	TOTALS	3520	1345	363	1075	17

No. 13 Charlottetown - Rochford Square

Returning Officer - Sandra Morello

			BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	Connolly LIB	Forrest NDP	Lantz PC	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		143	11	130	0
1	York Lane	315	87	22	144	3
2	Greenfield Avenue	261	102	7	101	0
3	Churchill Ave.	364	129	19	107	2
4	Highland Ave.	245	98	9	107	0
5	Cambridge Court	205	82	13	59	2
6	Costello Lane	264	75	27	72	2
7	Connolly St.	247	103	19	88	0
8	Passmore St.	263	92	15	67	0
9	Fitzroy St. West	319	52	7	55	0
10	West St.	215	91	16	78	0
11	Union St.	213	83	9	70	1
12	Queen St. North	284	98	23	84	0
13	Queen St. South	281	68	23	95	0
	Mobile Poll #13		45	6	35	2
	TOTALS	3476	1348	226	1292	12

No. 14 Charlottetown - Spring Park

Returning Officer - Edith Zakem

			BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	Broderick NDP	MacAleer PC	MacDonald LIB	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		42	116	118	0
1	Moreau Dr.	434	86	168	118	3
2	Skyview Dr.	256	59	93	63	0
3	Hutchinson Court	335	73	101	93	0
4	Cooper Ave.	299	78	85	69	1
5	Hunt Ave.	426	58	120	87	2
6	Edinburgh Dr.	215	32	81	52	0
7	Rosemount Dr.	358	80	115	80	0
8	Ashburn Crescent	305	60	115	89	1
9	Emerald Dr.	189	45	52	55	2
10	Newland Crescent.	294	80	72	70	0
11	Wendy Dr.	230	56	79	54	1
12	Landsdowne Dr.	306	60	129	64	1
13	St. Claire Ave.	337	45	136	79	2
	Mobile Poll #14		8	19	28	1
	TOTALS	3984	862	1481	1119	14

No. 15 Winsloe - West Royalty

Returning Officer - Debbie Good

		BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES				
No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	MacKinnon	MacNeill	Rodd	Rejected
			PC	LIB	NDP	Ballots
	Advance poll		162	168	4	0
1 a	Milton (A - L)	320	118	94	12	0
1 b	Milton (M - Z)	313	111	102	17	1
2	Harrington	429	174	132	28	1
3	Winsloe North	361	139	130	16	0
4	Winsloe South	272	85	111	11	1
5	Upton Farm	198	101	50	1	2
6	Thorndale Dr.	414	163	145	13	0
7	Gates Dr.	417	137	120	17	2
8	May Point Road	372	136	116	21	1
9	Chesley Circle	212	84	69	12	2
10	Scott Street	198	73	67	12	1
11	Lewis Point	319	72	71	7	3
12	Altavista	272	93	103	8	2
13	Burns Avenue	152	55	41	6	2
	Mobile Poll #15		48	56	5	4
	TOTALS	4249	1751	1575	190	22

No. 16 North River - Rice Point
 Returning Officer - Judy Richard

No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
			Dollar PC	Hunt NDP	MacKinley LIB	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		142	10	184	0
1	Hampshire	303	113	11	118	1
2	Warren Grove	298	83	9	117	4
3 a	East Wiltshire (A - L)	241	80	12	94	0
3 b	East Wiltshire (M - Z)	224	69	11	83	0
4	Chateau Estates	335	101	21	132	1
5	Cornwall North	391	126	15	170	1
6	Cornwall East	437	118	18	170	1
7	York Point	385	130	21	172	2
8	Ferry Road	383	134	21	132	1
9	Cornwall South	411	148	23	163	0
10	Meadowbank West	156	44	11	64	1
11	Meadowbank East	201	68	9	70	0
12	Nine Mile Creek	311	96	25	151	1
13	Rocky Point	356	154	7	138	1
	TOTALS	4432	1606	224	1958	14

No. 17 Crapaud - Hazel Grove

Returning Officer - Charles A. Frizzell

			BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	Brown	MacArthur	MacPhec	Rejected
			NDP	LIB	PC	Ballots
	Advance poll		8	110	93	0
1	Emerald	335	31	97	142	1
2	Stanchel	309	26	91	94	0
3	Fredericton	313	33	103	117	0
4	Darlington	310	16	101	124	0
5	North Wiltshire	371	27	134	121	1
6	Clyde River	380	16	136	149	3
7	Churchill	330	20	139	128	1
8	St. Catherines	326	23	122	140	0
9	Bonshaw	408	30	108	196	0
10	Brookvale	293	14	96	137	1
11	Westmoreland	279	22	136	74	3
12	Hampton	439	46	156	151	2
	TOTALS	4093	312	1529	1666	12

No. 22 St. Eleanors - Summerside

Returning Officer - David MacPhee

BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES						
No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	Arsenault NDP	Guptill LIB	MacNeill PC	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		7	134	59	0
1	West Dr.	445	53	144	141	4
2	Darby Dr.	296	28	114	92	0
3	Linkletter	217	19	78	79	1
4	Bayview Dr.	291	10	127	55	1
5	South Dr.	231	23	85	61	2
6	Norman Dr.	356	16	118	94	2
7	Highland Ave.	320	19	123	83	1
8	Chestnut Ave.	294	16	93	68	2
9	Poplar Ave.	224	10	100	52	2
10	Notre Dame St. West	394	34	155	98	0
11	Argyle St.	252	22	105	63	2
12	Park St.	229	11	101	42	1
13	Market St.	270	17	96	63	2
14	Church St.	334	22	143	95	1
	TOTALS	4153	307	1716	1145	21

No. 23 Cascumpec - Grand River
 Returning Officer - Marion McNeill

No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			Rejected Ballots
			Balsom PC	Lewis NDP	Milligan LIB	
	Advance poll + Mobile poll		48	7	124	0
1	Fortune Cove	355	124	36	133	1
2	West Devon	278	62	20	139	0
3	Freeland	289	58	11	183	0
4	North Enmore	260	53	18	144	3
5	East Bideford	280	50	5	158	0
6	Lennox Island	141	17	5	80	1
7	Tyne Valley	383	48	8	275	1
8	Springhill	375	87	19	198	1
9	Arlington	347	71	3	212	3
10	Central Lot 16	361	97	30	177	3
	TOTALS	3069	715	162	1823	13

No. 24 Evangeline - Miscouche

Returning Officer - Judy Gallant

No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			Rejected Ballots
			Bernard NDP	Maddix LIB	Richard PC	
	Advance poll		9	44	50	0
1	Egmont Bay	324	6	229	54	1
2	St. Gilbert	269	11	167	53	2
3	Wellington	357	21	194	73	0
4	Abrams Village	234	14	127	55	0
5	Mont Carmel	383	11	212	102	1
6	St. Nicholas	227	15	100	71	0
7	Miscouche West	382	33	162	104	0
8	Miscouche East	375	20	163	93	1
9	Slemon Park	351	46	103	61	2
	Mobile Poll #24		2	18	19	0
	TOTALS	2902	188	1519	735	7

No. 25 West Point - Bloomfield

Returning Officer - Margie MacWilliams

No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			Rejected Ballots
			Dickieson NDP	Morgan PC	Yeo LIB	
	Advance poll		72	59	77	4
1	Campbellton	139	39	38	44	0
2	Burton	234	52	47	89	0
3	Duvar	243	79	62	51	0
4	Unionvale	233	94	52	42	0
5	O'Leary North	340	114	74	94	0
6	Knutsford	322	82	67	117	1
7	Dunblane	278	95	65	63	1
8	O'Leary South	276	93	76	62	1
9	O'Leary South East	343	89	80	53	2
10	Brae	296	86	69	81	2
	Mobile Poll #25		26	6	10	2
	TOTALS	2704	921	695	783	13

No. 26 Alberton - Miminogash

Returning Officer - Jean Meggison

			BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			
No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	Kilfoil NDP	MacLeod LIB	Trail PC	Rejected Ballots
	Advance poll		5	105	81	0
1	Ebbsfleet	298	36	134	81	2
2	St. Edward	372	27	177	108	1
3	Lauretta	332	17	135	130	0
4	Central Kildare	391	23	147	138	0
5	Alberton North	317	6	119	101	1
6	Alberton East	326	10	146	96	4
7	Alberton South	328	25	135	104	2
8	Mill River East	435	18	122	194	2
9	Elmsdale	283	8	131	94	0
	TOTALS	3082	175	1351	1127	12

No. 27 Tignish - DeBlois

Returning Officer - Helen McKenna

No.	POLLING DIVISION	ELECTORS	BALLOTS CAST FOR CANDIDATES			Rejected Ballots
			Morrissey LIB	Shea PC	Waite NDP	
	Advance poll		127	150	4	0
1	Seacow Pond	333	156	130	1	0
2	Nail Pond	367	166	118	4	0
3	Skidders Pond	331	151	104	8	0
4	Peterville	385	172	130	5	2
5	Tignish Central	276	105	112	4	1
6	Judes Point	305	167	87	2	0
7	Tignish South	187	73	76	3	0
8	St. Felix	361	157	135	8	2
9	Profits Corner	315	132	103	17	0
	Mobile Poll #27		7	4	0	2
	TOTALS	2860	1413	1149	56	7

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS

27 May 1996

Summary

The Department of Education requested Elections P.E.I. run the 1996 School Board Elections for the election of school trustees. This election was run under the *School Act* and School Boards Regulations. Elections P.E.I. conducted elections in all three school boards; namely, the Eastern School District, the Western School Board and the French Language School Board.

Before the establishment of the new school zones this office was asked to map school zones for the Department of Education. The Department of Education advised us of the number of school zones which were proposed for each of the school boards. Elections P.E.I. designed the school zones, provided legal descriptions of the school districts and school zones which complimented the Department of Education's presentation to Executive Council. As well, this office provided maps for all boards and all the respective school zones. In designing and mapping the English and French school zones we respected, wherever possible, the provincial and federal polling division boundaries, with the exception to this procedure being the boundary between the Eastern and Western school districts. Executive Council approved the new school zones on 3 April 1996 and included with this decision was a definition for the reference boundary line between the Eastern School District and the Western School Board.

The composition of the school zones are as follows: Eastern School District, consisting of 11 trustees serving 11 school zones; the Western School Board, consisting of 9 trustees serving 9 school zones and the French Language School Board, consisting of 9 trustees serving 5 school zones. The election was held on Monday, 27 May 1996.

Elections P.E.I. assigned returning officers for individual school zones. These returning officers, in addition to Elections P.E.I. staff, acted as resource people in helping the candidates and the public with explanations and interpretations of the *School Act* and School Boards Regulations, zone boundaries and maps. The creation of new school zones for the 25 zones within the province served by the 3 school boards presented Elections P.E.I. with an interesting challenge. During the school board election considerable time was spent informing the public of the names of the candidates offering within their specific zones and informing electors as to where their specific polling stations were within their zone, as well as the location of the polling stations for polling day.

The election day results are as follows: The Eastern School District held elections in 5 of the 11 school zones. Trustees were acclaimed in 3 school zones and the remaining 2 school zones required Ministerial appointments. The Western School Board held elections in 2 of the 9 school zones. The Minister was required to appoint trustees for the remaining 7 school zones and the French Language School Board held elections in 2 school zones with acclamations in the remaining 3 zones.

Eastern School District

Results of Nominations and School Trustee Elections

May 27, 1996

Zone 1	Arthur Baker Munns Road, Souris C0A 2B0 Fisherman	Elected
Zone 2	Darlene Hendricken Box 138, Baldwin Rd., Mt. Stewart C0A 1T0 Forest Tech	Acclamation
Zone 3	Wilbur Naddy 37 Riverside Dr, Montague C0A 1R0 Self Employed	Elected
Zone 4	Eddie Arsenault Lyndale, RR3 Montague C0A 1R0 Manager	Elected
Zone 5	Kim Schurman-Horrelt 34 Langley Road, Stratford C1A 7J6	Ministerial Appointment
Zone 6	Bill Fitzpatrick Ten Mile House, Mt. Stewart RR1 C0A 1T0 Indian River Farms-Buyer	Elected
Zone 7	Barbara Stewart 31B Ferndale Drive, Charlottetown C1A 6J5	Ministerial Appointment
Zone 8	Jim Johnston 18 Euston St., Charlottetown C1A 1V8 Federal Public Servant	Acclamation
Zone 9	Thomas Connor 59 Queen Elizabeth Dr., Charlottetown C1A 3A8 Consultant	Acclamation
Zone 10	Robert (Bob) Clow Fairview, RR2 Cornwall C0A 1H0 Administrative Officer	Elected
Zone 11	Adelbert Roche Emyvale, North Wiltshire RR4 C0A 1Y0 Retired	Elected

