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REPORT OF THE
CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

ON THE GENERAL ELECTION OF
MEMBERS TO THE COUNCIL OF THE
NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

1979

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PREFACE

The term of the Council of the Northwest Territories which had been elected in 1975 came to an end on March 31, 1979. Writs ordering a general election were directed to be issued on July 30, 1979 and to be made returnable on October 31, 1979. Nomination day at the general election was Monday, August 27, 1979. One candidate having been elected by acclamation in the electoral district of Great Slave East, a poll was held on October 1, 1979 in each of the remaining twenty-one electoral districts. The first return was published in the *Canada Gazette* on September 26, 1979 and the last returns were published on November 15, 1979.

JEAN-MARC HAMEL,

*Chief Electoral Officer
of Canada.*

Ottawa, January 1980.

SUMMARY OF VOTES CAST — BY ELECTORAL DISTRICT

Electoral district	Polling stations	Rejected ballot papers	Total votes including rejected ballot papers*	Electors on the list*	Total vote as percentage of electors on the list*
Baffin Central	7	2	538	768	70.05%
Baffin South	3	2	323	408	79.16%
Central Arctic	19	9	813	1,352	60.13%
Foxe Basin	5	1	455	673	67.61%
Frobisher Bay	9	4	596	800	74.50%
Great Slave East	ACCLAMATION — no poll held				
Hay River	11	9	983	1,689	58.20%
High Arctic	9	4	202	520	38.85%
Hudson Bay	2	.....	140	158	88.61%
Inuvik	7	5	665	1,112	59.27%
Keewatin North	6	5	442	780	56.67%
Keewatin South	7	2	486	872	55.73%
Mackenzie Delta	5	5	352	754	46.68%
Mackenzie Great Bear	8	6	522	938	55.65%
Mackenzie Liard	14	15	738	1,415	52.16%
Pine Point	6	.....	421	729	57.75%
Rae — Lac la Martre	8	9	511	807	63.32%
Slave River	8	14	874	1,181	74.01%
Western Arctic	8	2	470	669	70.25%
Yellowknife Centre	7	7	892	1,386	64.36%
Yellowknife North	7	5	707	995	71.06%
Yellowknife South	12	4	1,456	2,248	64.77%
Totals	168	110	12,586	20,264	62.11%

*NOTE: A qualified elector may vote even if his or her name is not on the official list of electors, as long as an elector whose name is on the list for the same polling division swears an oath as to the eligibility of that elector. It is therefore possible for the total number of votes cast in any electoral district to exceed the number of names on the official list of electors. Similarly, the column headed "Total vote as percentage of electors on the list" may include eligible electors who were sworn in at the polls; this column should therefore be used only as a rough guide to voter turnout.

BAFFIN CENTRAL

Returning Officer: Nevee Noble, Pangnirtung, N.W.T., homemaker

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { James Arreak, Clyde River, N.W.T., hamlet secretary-manager
 Stevie Audlakiak, Broughton Island, N.W.T., hunter
 Ipeelee Kilabuk, Pangnirtung, N.W.T., hunter

Polling stations		Ballots cast for			Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	James Arreak	Stevie Audlakiak	Ipeelee Kilabuk				
Pangnirtung North	1	50	29	105	.....	184	248	74.19%
" South	2	24	16	42	1	83	138	60.14%
Cape Dyer	3	8	3	2	.....	13	31	41.93%
Broughton Island	4	10	105	7	1	123	172	71.51%
Cape Hooper	5	0	0	1	.....	1	13	7.69%
Clyde River	6	102	6	26	.....	134	166	80.72%
Advance Poll— Pangnirtung .....	...	Votes counted with No. 1			.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	7	194	159	183	2	538	768	70.05%
Percentage of valid votes		36.19%	29.67%	34.14%	.....		

Majority for James Arreak over { Ipeelee Kilabuk, 11
 Stevie Audlakiak, 35

BAFFIN SOUTH

Returning Officer: Pia Pootoogook, Cape Dorset, N.W.T., homemaker

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Joe Arlooktoo, Lake Harbour, N.W.T., contractor
Kananginak Pootoogook, Cape Dorset, N.W.T., artist

Polling stations		Ballots cast for		Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Joe Arlooktoo	Kananginak Pootoogook				
Cape Dorset	1	116	118	2	236	294	80.27%
Lake Harbour	2	55	22	.....	77	114	67.54%
Advance Poll— Cape Dorset .....	.....	4	6	.....	10	.....	2.45%
Totals	3	175	146	2	323	408	79.16%
Percentage of valid votes		54.52%	45.48%	.....		

Majority for Joe Arlooktoo over Kananginak Pootoogook, 29

CENTRAL ARCTIC

Returning Officer: Lynda S. Germain, Spence Bay, N.W.T., homemaker

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Bill Lyall, Cambridge Bay, N.W.T., fisherman
 Andy Palongayak, Holman Island, N.W.T., settlement secretary
 Kane Tologanak, Coppermine, N.W.T., assistant to president

Polling stations		Ballots cast for			Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Bill Lyall	Andy Palongayak	Kane Tologanak				
Pelly Bay	1	1	7	28	.....	36	96	37.50%
Cam 4-Pelly Bay	2	4	0	0	.....	4	8	50.00%
Spence Bay	3	79	29	28	.....	136	179	75.98%
Cam 3-Sheppard Bay	4	0	1	6	.....	7	8	87.50%
Gjoa Haven	5	27	31	62	.....	120	183	65.57%
Cam 2-Gladman Point	6	7	0	1	.....	8	11	72.73%
" 1-Jenny Lind Island	7	3	0	9	.....	12	13	92.31%
Perry Island	8	4	0	7	.....	11	12	91.67%
Cambridge Bay	9	98	33	67	7	205	344	59.59%
Cam Main-Cambridge Bay	10	25	2	4	1	32	46	69.57%
Bay Chimo	11	1	14	7	.....	22	40	55.00%
Bathurst Inlet	12	0	10	1	.....	11	11	100.00%
Pin 4-Byron Bay	13	4	0	4	.....	8	8	100.00%
" 3-Lady Franklin Point	14	2	0	3	.....	5	11	45.45%
Coppermine	15	13	13	66	1	93	169	55.03%
"	16	8	7	71	.....	86	204	42.16%
Pin 2-Cape Young	17	0	5	4	.....	9	9	100.00%
Advance Polls—								
Cambridge Bay	1	3	0	0	.....	3	.....	0.22%
Coppermine	2	3	0	2	.....	5	.....	0.37%
Totals	19	282	152	370	9	813	1,352	60.13%
Percentage of valid votes		35.07%	18.91%	46.02%				

Majority for Kane Tologanak over { Bill Lyall, 88
 Andy Palongayak, 218

FOX E BASIN

Returning Officer: Richard Immaroituk, Igloolik, N.W.T., mechanic

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Mark Evaluarjuk, Igloolik, N.W.T., hotel owner
 Paul Koolerk, Pond Inlet, N.W.T., clerk
 Lucien Ukaliannuk, Igloolik, N.W.T., hunter

Polling stations		Ballots cast for			Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Mark Evaluarjuk	Paul Koolerk	Lucien Ukaliannuk				
Igloolik	1	134	13	67	.....	214	263	81.37%
Foxe Main-Hall Beach	2	54	9	17	.....	80	125	64.00%
Pond Inlet	3	28	108	17	1	154	270	57.04%
Longstaff Bluff	4	No poll held			.....	.....	15	.....
Advance Polls—								
Igloolik	1	2	0	1	.....	3	.....	0.45%
Pond Inlet	2	0	3	1	.....	4	.....	0.59%
Totals	5	218	133	103	1	455	673	67.61%
Percentage of valid votes		48.02%	29.29%	22.69%	.....		

Majority for Mark Evaluarjuk over { Paul Koolerk, 85
 Lucien Ukaliannuk, 115

FROBISHER BAY

Returning Officer: Eileen Stephenson, Frobisher Bay, N.W.T., para-legal

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Ben Ell, Frobisher Bay, N.W.T., businessman
 Dennis Patterson, Frobisher Bay, N.W.T., lawyer
 Bryan R. Pearson, Frobisher Bay, N.W.T., merchant

Polling stations		Ballots cast for			Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Ben Ell	Dennis Patterson	Bryan R. Pearson				
Frobisher Bay—								
West Beach	1	51	71	24	.....	146	225	64.89%
North Frobisher	2	8	16	1	.....	25	55	45.45%
Nakasook	3	9	17	1	.....	27	27	100.00%
Astro Complex	4	25	79	22	1	127	233	54.51%
South Beach	5	21	24	10	1	56	61	91.80%
East Beach	6	57	59	22	2	140	95	*100.00%
Apex	7	29	21	11	.....	61	88	69.32%
Allen Island	8	6	0	0	.....	6	16	37.50%
Brevoort Island	9	Cancelled			.....		
Advanced Poll—								
Frobisher Bay .....	...	3	5	0	.....	8	.....	1.00%
Totals	9	209	292	91	4	596	800	74.50%
Percentage of valid votes		35.30%	49.33%	15.37%	.....		

Majority for Dennis Patterson over { Ben Ell, 83
 Bryan R. Pearson, 201

*see note on page iii

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GREAT SLAVE EAST

Returning Officer: Nathanael G. Wolfe, Fort Resolution, N.W.T., contractor

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

ACCLAMATION: — Robert Sayine, Fort Resolution, N.W.T., contractor

HAY RIVER

Returning Officer: Hazel Haight, Hay River, N.W.T., bookkeeper

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Ben Greenfield, Hay River, N.W.T., gardener
 Don Stewart, Hay River, N.W.T., businessman

Polling stations		Ballots cast for		Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Ben Greenfield	Don Stewart				
Hay River Town—							
Hay East	1	58	12	1	71	98	72.45%
Hay Vale North	2	32	62	5	99	165	60.00%
" South	3	41	48	.....	89	160	55.63%
New Subdivision West	4	32	66	1	99	175	56.57%
" North-West	5	58	57	1	116	209	55.50%
" North-East	6	40	70	.....	110	181	60.77%
" Centre North	7	34	52	.....	86	187	45.99%
New Subdivision South Centre	8	36	100	1	137	221	61.99%
"	9	65	51	.....	116	250	46.40%
Enterprise	10	17	15	.....	32	43	74.42%
Advance Poll—							
Hay River .....	.....	15	13	.....	28	.....	1.66%
Totals	11	428	546	9	983	1,689	58.20%
Percentage of valid votes		43.94%	56.06%	.....		

Majority for Don Stewart over Ben Greenfield, 118

HIGH ARCTIC

Returning Officer: Frank T. Pearce, Arctic Bay, N.W.T., government employee

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Lloyd Ellsworth, Arctic Bay, N.W.T., manager
 Ludy K. Pudluk, Resolute Bay, N.W.T., hunter

Polling stations		Ballots cast for		Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Lloyd Ellsworth	Ludy K. Pudluk				
Alert	1	No poll held		.....	.....	17	.....
Eureka	2	0	2	.....	2	3	66.67%
Mould Bay	3	1	1	2	4	5	80.00%
Resolute-Base Camp	4	2	10	.....	12	45	26.67%
" -Community	5	9	36	.....	45	72	62.50%
Grise Fiord	6	5	23	1	29	43	67.44%
Arctic Bay	7	24	62	1	87	162	53.70%
Nanisivik	8	9	13	.....	22	173	12.72%
Advance Polls—							
Resolute Bay	1	0	0	.....	0	.....	0%
Arctic Bay	2	1	0	.....	1	.....	0.19%
Totals	9	51	147	4	202	520	38.85%
Percentage of valid votes		25.76%	74.24%	.....			.....

Majority for Ludy K. Pudluk over Lloyd Ellsworth, 96

HUDSON BAY

Returning Officer: Shoapik Emikotailuk, Sanikiluaq, N.W.T., homemaker

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Moses Appaqaq, Sanikiluaq, N.W.T., businessman
 Lucassie Inuktailuk, Sanikiluaq, N.W.T., municipal employee

Polling stations		Ballots cast for		Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Moses Appaqaq	Lucassie Inuktailuk				
Belcher Islands .....	.....	84	55	.....	139	158	87.97%
Advance Poll— Sanikiluaq .....	.....	0	1	.....	1	.....	0.63%
Totals	2	84	56	.....	140	158	88.61%
Percentage of valid votes		60%	40%	.....		

Majority for Moses Appaqaq over Lucassie Inuktailuk, 28

HUDSON BAY

Returning Officer: Shoapik Emikotailuk, Sanikiluaq, N.W.T., homemaker

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Moses Appaqaq, Sanikiluaq, N.W.T., businessman
 Lucassie Inuktailuk, Sanikiluaq, N.W.T., municipal employee

Polling stations		Ballots cast for		Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Moses Appaqaq	Lucassie Inuktailuk				
Belcher Islands .....	.....	84	55	.....	139	158	87.97%
Advance Poll— Sanikiluaq .....	.....	0	1	.....	1	.....	0.63%
Totals	2	84	56	.....	140	158	88.61%
Percentage of valid votes		60%	40%	.....		

Majority for Moses Appaqaq over Lucassie Inuktailuk, 28

INUVIK

Returning Officer: Agnes Semmler, Inuvik, N.W.T., homemaker

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates {
 John L. Burch, Inuvik, N.W.T., taxi driver
 Tom Butters, Inuvik, N.W.T., businessman
 Alex Forman, Inuvik, N.W.T., businessman
 Cece McCauley, Inuvik, N.W.T., businesswoman

Polling stations		Ballots cast for				Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	John L. Burch	Tom Butters	Alex Forman	Cece McCauley				
Inuvik Town—									
South-West	1	23	47	21	19	2	112	214	52.34%
Western Centre	2	33	94	53	31	2	213	222	95.95%
Central	3	12	25	16	13	1	67	138	48.55%
"	4	6	50	21	14	.....	91	173	52.60%
South-East	5	9	38	30	4	.....	81	162	50.00%
"	6	12	37	25	7	.....	81	213	38.03%
Advance Poll—									
Inuvik .....	.....	3	5	8	4	.....	20	.....	1.78%
Totals	7	98	296	174	92	5	665	1122	59.27%
Percentage of valid votes		14.85%	44.85%	26.36%	13.94%	.....	.....	.....	.....

Majority for Tom Butters over {
 Alex Forman, 122
 John L. Burch, 198
 Cece McCauley, 204

KEEWATIN NORTH

Returning Officer: John Pudnak, Baker Lake, N.W.T., settlement secretary

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Donat Milortok, Repulse Bay, N.W.T., land claims officer
William Noah, Baker Lake, N.W.T., printmaker

Polling stations		Ballots cast for		Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Donat Milortok	William Noah				
Chesterfield Inlet	1	36	23	3	62	108	57.41%
Baker Lake	2	34	101	1	136	258	52.71%
"	3	23	66	.....	89	142	62.68%
Repulse Bay	4	77	14	.....	91	128	71.09%
Coral Harbour	5	30	30	1	61	144	42.36%
" M.O.T.	6	cancelled		.....	.....	.....	.....
Advance Poll— Baker Lake .....	.....	0	3	.....	3	.....	0.38%
Totals	6	200	237	5	442	780	56.67%
Percentage of valid votes		45.77%	54.23%	.....		

Majority for William Noah over Donat Milortok, 37

KEEWATIN SOUTH

Returning Officer: Melinda J. Tatty, Rankin Inlet, N.W.T., administrative assistant

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Tagak Curley, Rankin Inlet, N.W.T., director
 Celina Issakiark, Eskimo Point, N.W.T., research assistant
 Peter Kritaqliluk, Eskimo Point, N.W.T., social worker
 Joe Manik, Eskimo Point, N.W.T., businessman

Polling stations		Ballots cast for				Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Tagak Curley	Celina Issakiark	Peter Kritaqliluk	Joe Manik				
Eskimo Point.....	1	20	20	13	23	.....	76	125	60.80%
"	2	22	45	43	58	.....	168	251	66.93%
Ennadai	3	Cancelled				.....	.....	.....	.....
Whale Cove	4	13	3	14	14	.....	44	81	54.32%
Rankin Inlet	5	53	17	24	11	1	106	231	45.89%
"	6	41	11	8	8	.....	68	184	36.96%
Advance Polls—									
Eskimo Point.....	1	1	2	1	2	1	7	.....	0.80%
Rankin Inlet	2	11	2	2	2	.....	17	.....	1.95%
Totals	7	161	100	105	118	2	486	872	55.73%
Percentage of valid votes		33.27%	20.66%	21.69%	24.38%	.....		

Majority for Tagak Curley over { Joe Manik, 43
 Peter Kritaqliluk, 56
 Celina Issakiark, 61

MACKENZIE DELTA

Returning Officer: Knute L. Hansen, Aklavik, N.W.T., businessman

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Lawrence Firth, Fort McPherson, N.W.T., contractor
 Richard Nerysoo, Fort McPherson, N.W.T., manager

Polling stations		Ballots cast for		Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Lawrence Firth	Richard Nerysoo				
Aklavik	1	73	54	3	130	353	36.83%
Fort McPherson	2	31	131	2	164	349	46.99%
Arctic Red River	3	12	14	.....	26	52	50.00%
Advance Polls—							
Aklavik	1	0	1	.....	1	.....	0.13%
Fort McPherson	2	7	24	.....	31	.....	4.11%
Totals	5	123	224	5	352	754	46.68%
Percentage of valid votes		35.45%	64.55%	.....		

Majority for Richard Nerysoo over Lawrence Firth, 101

MACKENZIE GREAT BEAR

Returning Officer: Helen Couvrette, Fort Franklin, N.W.T., part-time teacher

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Peter C. Fraser, Norman Wells, N.W.T., retired
 Frankie T'selehye, Fort Good Hope, N.W.T., hunter & trapper
 John G. Tutcho, Fort Franklin, N.W.T., airline agent

Polling stations		Ballots cast for			Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Peter C. Fraser	Frankie T'selehye	John G. Tutcho				
Fort Good Hope	1	34	75	18	.....	127	224	56.70%
Colville Lake	2	9	14	0	.....	23	42	54.76%
Port Radium-Echo Bay Mines	3	14	0	6	.....	20	55	36.36%
Norman Wells	4	92	4	15	.....	111	224	49.55%
Fort Norman	5	34	15	28	1	78	155	50.32%
Fort Franklin	6	9	38	101	5	153	203	75.37%
Terra Mines-Sawmill Bay	7	0	0	0	.....	0	35	0%
Advance Poll—								
Norman Wells .....	.....	9	1	0	.....	10	.....	1.07%
Totals	8	201	147	168	6	522	938	55.65%
Percentage of valid votes		38.95%	28.49%	32.56%	.....		

Majority for Peter C. Fraser over { John G. Tutcho, 33
 Frankie T'selehye, 54

MACKENZIE LIARD

Returning Officer: Susan M. Lindberg, Fort Simpson, N.W.T., homemaker

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1970

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates {
 Bill Lafferty, Fort Simpson, N.W.T., journalist
 Leo Leahy, Fort Simpson, N.W.T., contractor
 Nick G. Sibbeston, Fort Simpson, N.W.T., lawyer

Polling stations		Ballots cast for			Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Bill Lafferty	Leo Leahy	Nick G. Sibbeston				
Wrigley	1	3	0	51	1	55	74	74.32%
Tungsten	2	13	3	17	.....	33	159	20.75%
Nahanni Butte	3	0	2	31	1	34	51	66.67%
Fort Liard	4	6	3	33	1	43	198	21.72%
Trout Lake	5	1	0	13	.....	14	31	45.16%
Jean Marie River	6	0	0	15	.....	15	24	62.50%
Fort Simpson South	7	22	12	58	1	93	194	47.94%
" Centre	8	19	34	51	3	107	168	63.69%
" North	9	31	18	62	.....	111	201	55.22%
Kakisa	10	0	0	16	.....	16	26	61.54%
Fort Providence East	11	3	1	69	3	76	143	53.15%
" West	12	9	9	63	1	82	146	56.16%
Advance Polls—								
Fort Simpson	1	3	4	33	3	43	.....	3.04%
Fort Providence	2	3	0	12	1	16	.....	1.13%
Totals	14	113	86	524	15	738	1,415	52.16%
Percentage of valid votes		15.63%	11.89%	72.48%	.....	.....	.....	.....

Majority for Nick G. Sibbeston over { Bill Lafferty, 411
 Leo Leahy, 438

PINE POINT

Returning Officer: Douglas B. Lagore, Pine Point, N.W.T., secretary-treasurer

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Don Hendry, Pine Point, N.W.T., training officer
 Bruce McLaughlin, Pine Point, N.W.T., manager
 Cliff Reid, Pine Point, N.W.T., mechanic

Polling stations		Ballots cast for			Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Don Hendry	Bruce McLaughlin	Cliff Reid				
on a recount before a judge								
Pine Point Town	1	3	12	9	.....	24	57	42.11%
"	2	22	7	6	.....	35	85	41.18%
"	3	44	48	32	.....	124	211	58.77%
"	4	27	40	21	.....	88	130	67.69%
"	5	49	48	47	.....	144	246	58.54%
Advance Poll— Pine Point .....	...	3	1	2	.....	6	.....	0.82%
Totals	6	148	156	117	.....	421	729	57.75%
Percentage of valid votes		35.15%	37.06%	27.79%	.....		

Majority for Bruce McLaughlin over { Don Hendry, 8
 Cliff Reid, 39

RAE-LAC LA MARTRE

Returning Officer: Henry Zoe, Rae-Edzo, N.W.T., bookkeeper

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election October 1, 1979

Candidates { Eddie Koyina, Rae-Edzo, N.W.T., electrician
 James J. Wah-Shee, Yellowknife, N.W.T., evaluation officer

Name	Polling stations		Ballots cast for		Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
	No.		Eddie Koyina	James J. Wah-Shee				
Rae West	1		28	32	2	62	114	54.39%
" Central	2		13	39	3	55	100	55.00%
" East	3		40	95	2	137	247	55.47%
Edzo	4		19	37	.....	56	92	60.87%
Lac la Martre	5		7	83	.....	90	110	81.82%
Rae Lakes	6		13	57	2	72	102	70.59%
Snare Lake	7		0	37	.....	37	42	88.10%
Advance Poll— Rae .....	.....		1	1	.....	2	.....	0.25%
Totals	8		121	381	9	511	807	63.32%
Percentage of valid votes			24.10%	75.90%				

Majority for James J. Wah-Shee over Eddie Koyina, 260

SLAVE RIVER

Returning Officer: Adèle Martin, Fort Smith, N.W.T., homemaker

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Clayton Burke, Fort Smith, N.W.T., natural resource technician
 Jim R. Evans, Fort Smith, N.W.T., helicopter pilot
 Arnold J. McCallum, Fort Smith, N.W.T., educator
 Richard McNeely, Fort Smith, N.W.T., constitutional & systems analyst
 Marguerite Robinson, Fort Smith, N.W.T., homemaker & artist

Polling stations		Ballots cast for					Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Clayton Burke	Jim R. Evans	Arnold J. McCallum	Richard McNeely	Marguerite Robinson				
on a recount before a judge										
Fort Smith Town	1	2	45	136	41	31	1	256	350	73.14%
"	2	0	16	38	40	4	1	99	147	67.35%
"	3	1	43	31	44	8	4	131	186	70.43%
"	4	0	27	18	56	5	2	108	165	65.45%
"	5	0	27	25	68	0	4	124	157	78.98%
"	6	0	21	19	30	3	1	74	99	74.75%
"	7	0	7	25	15	1	1	49	77	63.64%
Advance Poll— Fort Smith .....	.....	0	4	19	7	3	.....	33	.....	2.79%
Totals	8	3	190	311	301	55	14	874	1181	74.01%
Percentage of valid votes		0.35%	22.09%	36.16%	35.00%	6.40%	.....		

Majority for Arnold J. McCallum over { Richard McNeely, 10
 Jim R. Evans, 121
 Marguerite Robinson, 256
 Clayton Burke, 308

WESTERN ARCTIC

Returning Officer: Linda M. Cockney, Tuktoyaktuk, N.W.T., homemaker

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { David Anderson, Tuktoyaktuk, N.W.T., businessman
 { Nellie J. Cournoyea, Inuvik, N.W.T., office administrator
 { John W. Steen, Tuktoyaktuk, N.W.T., businessman

Polling stations		Ballots cast for			Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	David Anderson	Nellie J. Cournoyea	John W. Steen				
Tuktoyaktuk	1	61	133	57	1	252	371	67.92%
Dewline Site-Bar 4	2	0	5	1	.....	6	4	*100.00%
" -Pin Main	3	4	14	0	.....	18	20	90.00%
" -Pin I	4	1	2	4	.....	7	7	100.00%
Paulatuk	5	1	27	19	.....	47	62	75.81%
Sachs Harbour	6	4	46	6	.....	56	85	65.88%
Holman Island	7	11	47	17	1	76	120	63.33%
Advance Poll— Tuktoyaktuk .....	.....	2	2	4	.....	8	.....	1.20%
Totals	8	84	276	108	2	470	669	70.25%
Percentage of valid votes		17.95%	58.97%	23.08%	.....		

Majority for Nellie J. Cournoyea over { John W. Steen, 168
 { David Anderson, 192

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YELLOWKNIFE CENTRE

Returning Officer: Ruth Ruggles, Yellowknife, N.W.T., homemaker

Nomination: August, 27, 1979

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Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates {
 Bob Baetz, Yellowknife, N.W.T., manager
 Claire M. Barnabe, Yellowknife, N.W.T., policy analyst
 Don Green, Yellowknife, N.W.T., salesman
 Norm Lewis, Yellowknife, N.W.T., businessman
 Bob MacQuarrie, Yellowknife, N.W.T., teacher
 Rod Morrison, Yellowknife, N.W.T., administrator

Polling stations		Ballots cast for						Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Bob Baetz	Claire M. Barnabe	Don Green	Norm Lewis	Bob MacQuarrie	Rod Morrison				
Yellowknife City	1	29	40	8	5	51	57	4	194	88	65.54%
"	2	7	34	9	2	45	30	.....	127	132	53.81%
"	3	22	17	8		48	36	1	135	61	54.00%
"	4		amalgamated with No. 1					.....	.....	75	.....
"	5		amalgamated with No. 1					.....	.....	133	.....
"	6	10	28	4	1	52	31	.....	126	119	57.53%
"	7		amalgamated with No. 3					.....	.....	114	.....
"	8		amalgamated with No. 3					.....	.....	75	.....
"	9		amalgamated with No. 6					.....	.....	100	.....
"	10	4	48	2	0	27	40	.....	121	159	76.10%
"	11		amalgamated with No. 2					.....	.....	104	.....
"	12	4	25	2	2	59	49	.....	141	93	62.39%
"	13		amalgamated with No. 12					.....	.....	133	.....
Advance Poll— Yellowknife....	.....	1	13	2	0	13	17	2	48	.....	3.46%
Totals.....	7	77	205	35	13	295	260	7	892	1,386	64.36%
Percentage of valid votes.....		8.70%	23.16%	3.96%	1.47%	33.33%	29.38%	.....		

Majority for Bob MacQuarrie over {
 Rod Morrison, 35
 Claire M. Barnabe, 90
 Bob Baetz, 218
 Don Green, 260
 Norm Lewis, 282

YELLOWKNIFE NORTH

Returning Officer: Irma H. Weaver, Yellowknife, N.W.T., manageress

Nomination: August 27, 1979

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Candidates {
 Jack Adderley, Yellowknife, N.W.T., manufacturer's agent
 George Braden, Yellowknife, N.W.T., consultant
 Margaret Cook, Yellowknife, N.W.T., executive director
 Berniece Lambert, Yellowknife, N.W.T., teacher
 N.E.A. Ted Mehler, Yellowknife, N.W.T., photographer
 Bob Olexin, Yellowknife, N.W.T., businessman

Polling stations		Ballots cast for						Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Jack Adderley	George Braden	Margaret Cook	Berniece Lambert	N.E.A. Ted Mehler	Bob Olexin				
Yellowknife City—											
Latham Island	1	17	71	25	1	9	50	1	174	286	60.84%
Old Town	2	14	56	4	1	33	24	1	133	183	72.68%
Trailer Courts	3	15	48	3	0	1	18	.....	85	130	65.38%
New Town . . .	4	17	79	2	0	2	42	1	143	198	72.22%
Giant	5	5	40	5	0	0	16	1	67	115	58.26%
Detah	6	5	1	7	1	0	40	.....	54	83	65.06%
Advance Poll—											
Yellowknife . . . . .	.....	3	11	2	0	1	33	1	51	.....	5.13%
Totals	7	76	306	48	3	46	223	5	707	995	71.06%
Percentage of valid votes		10.82%	43.59%	6.84%	0.43%	6.55%	31.77%	.....		

Majority for George Braden over {
 Bob Olexin, 83
 Jack Adderley, 230
 Margaret Cook, 258
 N.E.A. Ted Mehler, 260
 Berniece Lambert, 303

YELLOWKNIFE SOUTH

Returning Officer: Ruth L. MacKendrick, Yellowknife, N.W.T., homemaker

Nomination: August 27, 1979

Writ dated July 30, 1979

Election: October 1, 1979

Candidates { Wes MacAleer, Yellowknife, N.W.T., businessman
 Joey Severn, Yellowknife, N.W.T., businessman
 Lynda Sorensen, Yellowknife, N.W.T., executive director

Polling stations		Ballots cast for			Rejected ballot papers	Total vote	Electors on list	Total vote as percentage of electors on list
Name	No.	Wes MacAleer	Joey Severn	Lynda Sorensen				
Yellowknife City—								
Matonabee East	1	45	24	64	1	134	192	69.79%
Matonabee West	2	40	17	75	.....	132	261	50.57%
Franklin South	3	72	28	62	.....	162	228	71.05%
Rycon South	4	39	12	45	1	97	131	74.05%
Forrest Park South	5	54	1	50	1	106	173	61.27%
Forrest Park Centre	6	68	10	71	.....	149	224	66.52%
Forrest Park North	7	65	24	68	1	158	270	58.52%
Northland-Bromley	8	71	2	53	.....	126	200	63.00%
Northland-Airport	9	52	5	63	.....	120	242	49.59%
Frame Lake West	10	61	7	50	.....	118	174	67.82%
Con	11	30	8	51	.....	89	153	58.17%
Advance Poll—								
Yellowknife .....	...	21	13	31	.....	65	.....	2.89%
Totals	12	618	151	683	4	1,456	2,248	64.77%
Percentage of valid votes		42.56%	10.40%	47.04%	.....		

Majority for Lynda Sorensen over { Wes MacAleer, 65
 Joey Severn, 532