



January 20, 2004

The Honourable David Krutko  
Speaker  
Legislative Assembly of the NWT  
Legislative Assembly Building  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Dear Mr. Speaker,

**Official Voting Results**

I am very pleased to provide you with the official voting results for the general election held on November 24, 2003 for the 15th Legislative Assembly of the Northwest Territories.

This report provides poll-by-poll results for the 14 electoral districts in which an election was held and details the acclamations of candidates in five electoral districts. The official voting results are published in accordance with section 162 of the Elections Act.

Yours truly,



David M. Hamilton  
Chief Electoral Officer





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# Summary of Votes Cast by Electoral District

Official Voting Results



Electoral District	Polling Stations	Rejected Ballots	Declined Ballots	Total Votes (including rejected and declined)	Electors on list	Voter Turn-out
Deh Cho	6	6	1	630	794	79.35%
Frame Lake	6	0	1	649	1420	45.70%
Great Slave	7	1	0	652	1343	48.55%
Hay River North	Acclamation					
Hay River South	5	2	1	959	1115	86.01%
Inuvik Boot Lake	Acclamation					
Inuvik Twin Lakes	4	1	1	543	356	152.53%
Kam Lake	6	0	0	751	1122	66.93%
Mackenzie Delta	Acclamation					
Nahendeh	10	8	0	1058	1500	70.53%
North Slave	8	14	4	1189	1576	75.44%
Nunakput	6	0	0	541	872	62.04%
Range Lake	7	8	1	791	1623	48.74%
Sahtu	8	7	0	915	1183	77.35%
Thebacha	7	5	0	1131	1456	77.68%
Tu Nedhe	3	3	0	450	481	93.56%
Weledeh	Acclamation					
Yellowknife Centre	8	3	0	781	1266	61.69%
Yellowknife South	Acclamation					
Totals	91	58	9	11,040	16,107	68.54%

Note: An elector may vote even though his or her name is not on the official list of electors by completing an oath of elector at the ordinary poll, the advance poll, the special mobile poll or the office of the Returning Officer. 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.



# Deh Cho

**Returning Officer:** Phoebe Parent,  
Fort Providence, NT

**Candidates:** Michael McLeod,  
Fort Providence, NT  
Michael M. Nadli,  
Fort Providence, NT

## Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1 Fort Providence East	2 Fort Providence West	3 Kakisa	4 Enterprise	5 Hay River Reserve	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
MCLEOD, Michael	138	90	13	16	28	33	318	51.04%
NADLI, Michael M.	127	72	19	5	60	22	305	48.96%
Rejected Ballots	0	2	0	0	0	4	6	
Declined Ballots	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	
Total	265	164	33	21	88	59	630	
Voters on Official List	318	226	33	55	162		794	
Voter turnout	83.33%	72.57%	100%	38.18%	54.32%		79.35%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Michael McLeod  
Majority: 13 votes (2.08%)





**Returning Officer:** Penny Kocik,  
Yellowknife, NT

**Candidates:** Charles Dent,  
Yellowknife, NT  
  
David W. Wind,  
Yellowknife, NT

### Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1 Forrest Park North	2 Forrest Drive South	3 Ravenscourt	4 Northlands East	5 Northlands West	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
DENT, Charles	72	106	81	51	42	56	408	62.96%
WIND, David W.	44	45	56	25	36	34	240	37.04%
Rejected Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Declined Ballots	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
Total	116	151	137	77	78	90	649	
Voters on Official List	364	303	284	223	246		1420	
Voter turnout	31.87%	49.83%	48.24%	34.53%	31.71%		45.70%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Charles Dent  
Majority: 168 votes (25.92%)



# Great Slave

**Returning Officer:** Allan Falconer,  
Yellowknife, NT

**Candidates:** Bill Braden,  
Yellowknife, NT  
Karen Hamre,  
Yellowknife, NT

## Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1	2	3	4	5	6	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
BRADEN, Bill	95	55	34	36	97	34	69	420	64.52%
HAMRE, Karen	60	27	16	21	57	16	34	231	35.48%
Rejected Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	
Declined Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	155	82	50	57	154	50	104	652	
Voters on Official List	421	190	154	136	290	152		1343	
Voter turnout	36.82%	43.16%	32.47%	41.91%	53.10%	32.89%		48.55%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Bill Braden  
Majority: 189 votes (29.04%)







Official Voting Results

**Returning Officer:** Tessie Gonzales,  
Hay River, NT

**Acclamation:** Paul A. Delorey,  
Hay River, NT



# Hay River South

Official Voting Results

**Returning Officer:** Selena Pukanich,  
Hay River, NT

**Candidates:** Jane Groenewegen,  
Hay River, NT  
Ann M. Lobb,  
Hay River, NT  
Duncan McNeill,  
Hay River, NT  
Harvey Werner,  
Hay River, NT

## Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1	2	3	4	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
GROENEWEGEN, Jane	63	90	89	100	84	426	44.56%
LOBB, Ann M.	30	34	78	57	26	225	23.54%
MCNEILL, Duncan	39	75	60	85	27	286	29.92%
WERNER, Harvey	6	2	1	5	5	19	1.99%
Rejected Ballots	0	0	0	1	1	2	
Declined Ballots	1	0	0	0	0	1	
Total	139	201	228	248	143	959	
Voters on Official List	202	221	318	374		1115	
Voter turnout	68.81%	90.95%	71.70%	66.31%		86.01%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Jane Groenewegen  
Majority 140 votes (14.64%)





**Returning Officer:** Elizabeth Hansen,  
Inuvik, NT

**Acclamation:** Floyd Roland,  
Inuvik, NT



# Inuvik Twin Lakes

**Returning Officer:** Juanita Bourque,  
Inuvik, NT

**Candidates:** Roger T. Allen,  
Inuvik, NT  
  
Ken Smith,  
Inuvik, NT  
  
Bobby Van Bridger,  
Inuvik, NT  
  
Clarence G. Wood,  
Inuvik, NT

## Polling Division

Candidate	1	2	3	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
ALLEN, Roger T.	40	79	74	102	295	54.53%
SMITH, Ken	18	33	41	9	101	18.67%
VAN BRIDGER, Bobby	3	6	12	1	22	4.07%
WOOD, Clarence G.	18	47	47	11	123	22.74%
Rejected Ballots	0	0	0	1	1	
Declined Ballots	0	1	0	0	1	
Total	79	166	174	124	543	
Voters on Official List	87	100	169		356	
Voter Turnout	90.80%	166.00%	102.96%		152.53%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Roger T. Allen  
Majority: 172 votes (31.79%)





**Returning Officer:** Gladys Eggenberger,  
Yellowknife, NT

**Candidates:** Bill Aho,  
Yellowknife, NT  
  
Steve Petersen,  
Yellowknife, NT  
  
Dave Ramsay,  
Yellowknife, NT

### Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1	2	3	4	5	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
AHO, Bill	77	47	10	28	83	23	268	35.69%
PETERSEN, Steve	15	25	12	23	30	6	111	14.78%
RAMSAY, Dave	106	59	31	48	101	27	372	49.53%
Rejected Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Declined Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	198	131	53	99	214	56	751	
Voters on Official List	255	230	176	200	261		1122	
Voter turnout	77.65%	56.96%	30.11%	49.50%	81.99%		66.93%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Dave Ramsay  
Majority: 104 votes (13.84%)



# Mackenzie Delta



Official Voting Results

**Returning Officer:** Elizabeth J. Wright,  
Fort McPherson, NT

**Acclamation:** David Krutko,  
Fort McPherson, NT





**Returning Officer:** Rita Cazon,  
Fort Simpson, NT

**Candidates:**

Walter Blondin, Fort Simpson, NT	Arnold Hope, Fort Simpson, NT
Rita Cli, Fort Simpson, NT	Kevin A. Menicoche, Fort Simpson, NT
Yanny Leo Cordero, Fort Simpson, NT	Shane A. Thompson, Fort Simpson, NT
John Hazenberg, Fort Simpson, NT	Kathy Tsetso, Fort Simpson, NT

### Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1 Fort Simpson North	2 Fort Simpson Central	3 Fort Simpson South	4 Jean Marie River	5 Trout Lake	6 Wrigley	7 Fort Liard	8 Nahanni Butte	Advance Poll Fort Liard	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
BLONDIN, Walter	17	9	12	3	13	33	4	1	3	27	122	11.62%
CLI, Rita	9	16	12	0	4	0	3	0	1	13	58	5.52%
CORDERO, Yanny Leo	4	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	17	1.62%
HAZENBERG John	13	7	3	0	0	2	6	0	0	2	33	3.14%
HOPE, Arnold	9	14	3	5	5	11	41	18	16	5	127	12.10%
MENICOCHÉ, Kevin A.	96	54	76	9	7	4	33	24	3	56	362	34.48%
THOMPSON, Shane A.	18	26	17	2	0	0	5	0	0	39	107	10.19%
TSETSO, Kathy	34	29	30	13	10	5	17	3	3	80	224	21.33%
Rejected Ballots	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	8	
Declined Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	202	162	156	32	41	55	109	46	28	227	1058	
Voters on Official List	317	284	238	57	61	103	369	71			1500	
Voter Turnout	63.72%	57.04%	65.55%	56.14%	67.21%	53.40%	29.54%	64.79%			70.53%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Kevin A. Menicoche  
Majority: 138 votes (13.15%)



# North Slave

**Returning Officer:** Harriet Koyina,  
Rae-Edzo, NT

**Candidates:** Nora P. Doig,  
Rae, NT  
  
Leon I. Lafferty,  
Rae-Edzo, NT  
  
Henry Zoe,  
Yellowknife, NT

## Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1 Rae South	2 Rae North	3 Rae East	4 Edzo	5 Wha Ti	6 Gameti	7 Wekweti	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
DOIG, Nora P.	64	83	64	57	36	44	13	18	379	32.37%
LAFFERTY, Leon I.	40	88	52	28	43	11	15	20	297	25.36%
ZOE, Henry	62	129	98	28	75	46	15	42	495	42.27%
Rejected Ballots	3	4	5	0	1	0	0	1	14	
Declined Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	
Total	169	304	219	113	155	101	43	85	1189	
Voters on Official List	220	383	297	148	275	164	89		1576	
Voter Turnout	76.82%	79.37%	73.74%	76.35%	56.36%	61.59%	48.31%		75.44%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Henry Zoe  
Majority 116 votes (9.90%)







**Returning Officer:** Molly Nogasak,  
Tuktoyaktuk, NT

**Candidates:** Calvin P. Pokiak,  
Tuktoyaktuk, NT  
  
Vince R. Steen,  
Tuktoyaktuk, NT

### Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1 Tuktoyaktuk	2 Tuktoyaktuk	3 Paulatuk	4 Sachs Harbour	5 Holman	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
POKIAK, Calvin P.	91	92	30	14	42	15	284	52.50%
STEEN, Vince R.	82	62	64	19	17	13	257	47.50%
Rejected Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Declined Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	173	154	94	33	59	28	541	
Voters on Official List	253	225	123	59	212		872	
Voter Turnout	68.38%	68.44%	76.42%	55.93%	27.83%		62.04%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Calvin P. Pokiak  
Majority 27 votes (5%)



# Range Lake

**Returning Officer:** Lynda Comerford,  
Yellowknife, NT

**Candidates:** Francis H. Chang,  
Yellowknife, NT  
Sandy Lee,  
Yellowknife, NT

## Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1	2	3	4	5	6	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
CHANG, Francis H.	22	20	28	24	18	31	9	152	19.44%
LEE, Sandy	64	84	126	99	99	99	59	630	80.56%
Rejected Ballots	1	1	0	2	1	2	1	8	
Declined Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	
Total	87	105	154	125	118	132	70	791	
Voters on Official List	251	195	372	317	193	295		1623	
Voter Turnout	34.66%	53.85%	41.40%	39.43%	61.14%	44.75%		48.74%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Sandy Lee  
Majority: 478 votes (61.12%)



**Returning Officer:** Melonie Dyck,  
Norman Wells, NT

**Candidates:** Lucy Jackson,  
Fort Good Hope, NT  
  
Frank T'Seleie,  
Fort Good Hope, NT  
  
Larry M. Tourangeau,  
Norman Wells, NT  
  
Judi M. Tutcho,  
Norman Wells, NT  
  
Norman Yakeleya,  
Tulita, NT

### Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1 Colville Lake	2 Fort Good Hope	3 Norman Wells	4 Tulita	5 Deline	Advance Poll Fort Good Hope	Advance Poll Deline	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
JACKSON, Lucy	2	18	6	0	2	2	0	3	33	3.63%
T'SELEIE, Frank	6	52	7	7	3	1	1	4	81	8.92%
TOURANGEAU, Larry M.	0	25	110	20	2	0	1	12	170	18.72%
TUTCHO, Judi M.	5	8	55	18	102	1	8	13	210	23.13%
YAKELEYA, Norman	28	93	59	121	93	2	5	13	414	45.59%
Rejected Ballots	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	2	7	
Declined Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>915</b>	
Voters on Official List	68	332	397	139	247				1183	
Voter Turnout	60.29%	59.04%	60.20%	119.42%	83.00%				77.35%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Norman Yakeleya  
Majority: 204 votes (22.46%)



**Returning Officer:** Anna Hodgkins,  
Fort Smith, NT

**Candidates:** J. Michael Miltenberger,  
Fort Smith, NT  
  
Don M. Tourangeau,  
Fort Smith, NT

### Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1	2	3	4	5	6	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
MILTENBERGER, J. Michael	112	85	72	64	106	119	178	736	65.36%
TOURANGEAU, Don M.	37	39	38	54	70	38	114	390	34.64%
Rejected Ballots	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	5	
Declined Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	149	124	110	119	178	157	294	1131	
Voters on Official List	262	201	218	207	323	245		1456	
Voter Turnout	56.87%	61.69%	50.46%	57.49%	55.11%	64.08%		77.68%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** J. Michael Miltenberger  
Majority 346 votes (30.72%)

## Official Voting Results



Returning Officer: Gloria Balsillie,  
Fort Resolution, NT

Candidates: Maurice E. Boucher, Fort Resolution, NT  Felix Lockhart, Lutselk'e, NT  James Marlowe, Lutselk'e, NT  Steven Nitah, Lutselk'e, NT	Robert G. Sayine, Fort Resolution, NT  Wilfred M. Simon, Fort Resolution, NT  Bobby J. Villeneuve, Yellowknife, NT
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### Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1 Fort Resolution	2 Lutselk'e	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
BOUCHER, Maurice E.	43	1	5	49	10.96%
LOCKHART, Felix	8	19	4	31	6.94%
MARLOWE, James	4	76	0	80	17.90%
NITAH, Steven	13	69	0	82	18.34%
SAYINE, Robert G.	48	1	6	55	12.30%
SIMON, Wilfred M.	40	0	4	44	9.84%
VILLENEUVE, Bobby J.	84	1	21	106	23.71%
Rejected Ballots	2	0	1	3	
Declined Ballots	0	0	0	0	
Total	242	167	41	450	
Voters on Official List	315	166		481	
Voter Turnout	76.83%	100.60%		93.56%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Bobby J. Villeneuve  
Majority: 24 votes (5.37%)



# Weledeh

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Official Voting Results

**Returning Officer:** Pam Dunbar,  
Yellowknife, NT

**Acclamation:** Joe L. Handley,  
Yellowknife, NT





**Returning Officer:** June Van Dine-Arden,  
Yellowknife, NT

**Candidates:**

Robert Hawkins, Yellowknife, NT	Lena M. Pedersen, Yellowknife, NT
Bob Haywood, Yellowknife, NT	Daniel A. Wong, Yellowknife, NT
Don Kindt, Yellowknife, NT	Liz Wyman, Yellowknife, NT
Annemieke Mulders, Yellowknife, NT	

## Polling Division

Ballots cast for:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Special Voting Opportunities	Total	Percentage of Valid Votes
HAWKINS, Robert	20	9	14	25	43	33	16	47	207	26.61%
HAYWOOD, Bob	7	2	5	9	3	12	7	8	53	6.81%
KINDT, Don	15	12	14	27	19	16	16	19	138	17.74%
MULDERS, Annemieke	14	5	18	22	12	32	16	48	167	21.47%
PEDERSEN, Lena M.	1	1	0	0	0	3	3	2	10	1.29%
WONG, Daniel A.	3	5	5	10	5	15	11	19	73	9.38%
WYMAN, Liz	22	6	12	13	17	21	9	30	130	16.71%
Rejected Ballots	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	
Declined Ballots	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	82	41	68	108	99	132	78	173	781	
Voters on Official List	174	124	210	147	137	273	201		1266	
Voter Turnout	47.13%	33.06%	32.38%	73.47%	72.26%	48.35%	38.81%		61.69%	

Special voting opportunities include voting in the office of the Returning Officer, special ballots and special mobile polls.

**Elected candidate:** Robert Hawkins  
Majority: 40 votes (5.14%)



# Yellowknife South



Official Voting Results

**Returning Officer:** Sandra Arberry,  
Yellowknife, NT

**Acclamation:** Brendan R. Bell,  
Yellowknife, NT

