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**Saskatoon Idylwyld By-Election - November 8, 2001**



October 28, 2002

The Honourable P. Myron Kowalsky  
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly  
129 Legislative Building  
Regina, Saskatchewan  
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Honourable Speaker:

Pursuant to section 286 of *The Election Act, 1996*, I am honoured to submit the Report of the Chief Electoral Officer for the by-election held on November 8, 2001, in the provincial constituency of Saskatoon Idylwyld.

The Report presents by-election financial activities by registered political party and candidate. This Report also provides an overview of election administration and official voting results by polling division. Also included is summary data for election related expenditures of Elections Saskatchewan.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. Baker".

Janice G. Baker  
Chief Electoral Officer



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#### Call of By-Election

Pursuant to subsection 35(b) of *The Legislative Assembly and Executive Council Act*, Ms. Janice MacKinnon, New Democratic Party, Sask. Section vacated her seat in the constituency of Saskatoon Idylwyld on October 1, 2001. On October 9, 2001, pursuant to an Order of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, a Writ of Election was issued by the Chief Electoral Officer to Ms. Stephanie Sydiaha, constituency returning officer. The Writ ordered that the by-election be held on Thursday, November 8, 2001. An Election Calendar for the Saskatoon Idylwyld by-election is included on the last page of the Official Report.

Prior to the November 8, 2001 by-election, standing in the Legislative Assembly included: 28 New Democrat, 26 Saskatchewan Party, 3 Independent and 1 vacant.

#### Constituency Boundaries

The Saskatoon Idylwyld constituency boundary was enacted in 1994 under *The Representation Act, 1994*, on the recommendation of the Constituency Boundaries Commission, 1993, as established under *The Constituency Boundaries Act, 1993*. Polling divisions for purposes of the Saskatoon Idylwyld by-election included forty-two (42) regular polls and three (3) personal care facilities. The Saskatoon Idylwyld constituency polling subdivision map and Directory of Communities are set out in Appendices I and VI, respectively.

#### Registered Political Party and Candidate Nomination

At the time of the Saskatoon Idylwyld by-election, the Office recognized the existence of six (6) political parties in the Register of Political Parties, as maintained pursuant to section 231 of *The Election Act, 1996* (the "Act"). On October 23, 2001, nomination of candidates concluded. At close of nomination, only five (5) of the Province's registered political parties nominated candidates, as follows:

<b>Candidate</b>	<b>Registered Political Party<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Abbreviation</b>
Gordon Robert Dumont	Indigenous Party of Saskatchewan	I.P.S.
David Forbes	New Democratic Party, Sask. Section	New Democratic Party (N.D.P.)
Dave Greenfield	New Green Alliance	New Green Alliance (NGA)
Bob Roy	Saskatchewan Liberal Association	Liberal
Shelley Hengen	The Saskatchewan Party	The Saskatchewan Party

<sup>1</sup> The following Saskatoon Idylwyld By-Election Appendices abbreviate the names of the Province's registered political parties as follows: Indigenous Party of Saskatchewan - I.P.S.; New Democratic Party, Sask. Section - N.D.P.; New Green Alliance - NGA; Saskatchewan Liberal Association - L.; The Saskatchewan Party - Sask.

Each of the registered political parties' chief official agents and candidate business managers for the by-election were as follows:

<b>Registered Political Party</b>	<b>Chief Official Agent</b>
Indigenous Party of Saskatchewan	Sheldon Poitras
New Democratic Party, Sask. Section	Dale Schmeichel
New Green Alliance	Donna Nelson
Saskatchewan Liberal Association	Allen J. Goudie
The Saskatchewan Party	Donald Morgan
<b>Candidate</b>	<b>Business Manager</b>
Gordon Robert Dumont (I.P.S.)	Colleen Carriere
David Forbes (N.D.P.)	Nic Tupone
Dave Greenfield (NGA)	Neal Anderson
Bob Roy (L.)	Daniel Konkin
Shelley Hengen (Sask.)	Leslie W. Prosser

#### Enumeration

From the 9th of October through to the 18th of October, enumeration of eligible electors was conducted for the constituency's forty-five polling divisions. Pursuant to section 26 of the Act, constituency enumerators sat on November 5, 2001 to make necessary revisions to the voters' lists. As a result of these efforts, 9,393 Saskatoon Idylwyld residents were declared eligible to vote, as established on the revised voters' list. In addition, pursuant to section 68 of the Act, eligible electors not included on the revised voters' list were entitled to vote by declaration.

#### Polling

To facilitate the electorate's participation in the Saskatoon Idylwyld by-election, an advance poll was conducted on the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th of November. Regular polling stations were open from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. CST on November 8, 2001, enabling the constituency's 9,393 eligible voters the opportunity to exercise their democratic franchise. Eligible voters unable to attend either a regular or advance poll were entitled to vote by absentee ballot.

#### Electoral Results

Unofficial electoral results were announced on the evening of November 8, 2001, resulting in Mr. David Forbes, New Democrat, being declared member elect. Deposits were forfeited by the Liberal, New Green Alliance and Indigenous Party candidates, pursuant to section 47 of the Act, for not obtaining at least one half of the total number of valid votes cast for the candidate elected.

On November 20, 2001, the constituency returning officer tabulated the results of votes cast by way of advance poll and absentee ballot. These figures were then reflected in the constituency results concluding the final count. Upon completion of the final count, on December 1, 2001, the constituency returning officer made a Return to the Writ of

Election. On December 14, 2001, the Office published in *The Saskatchewan Gazette* (Vol. 97, No. 50) notice of receipt of the Return to the Writ and the name of the candidate elected.

#### Registered Political Party and Candidate Financial Reporting

Pursuant to section 251 of the Act, audited Registered Political Party's Return of Election Expenses, Form E-524, were required to be filed with the Chief Electoral Officer within six (6) months of polling day (May 9, 2002). Under section 261 of the Act, candidates were required to file an audited Candidate's Return of Election Expenses, Form E-412, with the constituency returning officer, for subsequent forwarding to the Chief Electoral Officer, within three (3) months of the candidate returned being declared elected (February 21, 2002). Pursuant to the Act, the constituency returning officer published, in prescribed form, a summary of Messrs. Dumont, Forbes, Greenfield and Ms. Hengens' returns respecting candidate election expenses prior to March 21, 2002.

##### i) Registered Political Parties

As a southern constituency, the maximum amount of money that could be spent by a registered political party in the Saskatoon Idylwyld by-election, as set out in section 243 of the Act, was (a) the sum of \$34,900.00 or (b) the sum obtained by multiplying the number of voters in the constituency (9,393) by \$2.79, whichever sum was larger. A registered political party that endorsed a candidate who obtained fifteen (15) per cent or more of all valid votes cast in the by-election and whose chief official agent filed a Registered Political Party's Return of Election Expenses,<sup>2</sup> pursuant to section 264 of the Act, was entitled to receive a reimbursement of a portion of its election expenses from the Province's General Revenue Fund. The amount reimbursed to a qualifying political party was the lesser of either (a) \$11,633.33 or (b) one third of its election expenses.

All participating parties in the Saskatoon Idylwyld by-election filed their duly audited Registered Political Party's Return of Election Expenses on or before May 9, 2002. Contributions made to political parties are not listed in the Registered Political Party's Return of Election Expenses but are set out in each party's fiscal period return, filed in accordance with section 250 of the Act. Appendix II sets out a summary of eligible expenses incurred by the registered political parties in Saskatoon Idylwyld and the amounts paid in respect of each party who qualified for reimbursement.

##### ii) Candidates

Candidates seeking election in Saskatoon Idylwyld were limited in the amount of money that they could expend. Again, as a southern constituency, a candidate seeking election was entitled to spend, pursuant to section 252 of the Act, either (a) the sum of \$41,881.00 or (b) the sum obtained by multiplying the number of eligible voters in the constituency by \$2.79, whichever sum was larger. A candidate who obtained fifteen (15) per cent or more of all valid votes cast in Saskatoon Idylwyld and whose business manager filed with the constituency returning officer a Candidate's Return of Election Expenses,<sup>3</sup> pursuant to section 265 of the Act, was entitled to reimbursement of a portion of their eligible election expenses. The amount reimbursed to a qualifying candidate was an amount equal to one half of the candidate's election expenses to a maximum of \$20,940.50.

<sup>2</sup> Pursuant to subsection 267(3) of the Act, auditing services rendered in respect of preparation of a report pertaining to a Registered Political Party's Return of Election Expenses is eligible for a maximum reimbursable allowance of \$2,144.00.

<sup>3</sup> Pursuant to subsection 267(6) of the Act, auditing services rendered in respect of preparation of a report pertaining to a Candidate's Return of Election Expenses is eligible for a maximum reimbursable allowance of \$696.00.

All candidates filed their returns respecting contributions received and election expenses incurred in the course of the by-election, duly audited, on or before March 20, 2002. On the 21st of June, 2002, the Office published in *The Saskatchewan Gazette* (Vol. 98, No. 25) a summary of candidate contributions received and expenditures incurred in Saskatoon Idylwyld, as well as the amounts paid in respect of each candidate who qualified for reimbursement. Such contributions, expenditures and reimbursements are reported in Appendix III.

**Orders and Authorizations of the Chief Electoral Officer**

The Chief Electoral Officer may make exceptions to the Act's financial reporting provisions for election purposes for both registered political parties and candidates. In such instances, the Act under subsection 286(1), mandates that the Chief Electoral Officer report on the situation and events surrounding the order or authorization granted.

Pursuant to section 261 of the Act, the business manager for Mr. Bob Roy (Saskatchewan Liberal Association) failed to file the Candidate's Election Expenses Return (Form E-412) within the prescribed time period for the by-election held on November 8, 2001. On February 18, 2002, Mr. Roy's business manager made formal application under subsection 263(1) to extend the time period for filing the said candidate's Form E-412. On February 18, 2002, the Chief Electoral Officer, pursuant to subsection 263(3), granted the aforementioned application and ordered the candidate's Form E-412 be filed with the Office by close of business on March 20, 2002. The constituency returning officer published, in prescribed form, a summary of Mr. Roy's return respecting candidate election expenses on March 26, 2002. See Appendix IV for the particulars regarding the aforementioned order.

**Elections Saskatchewan Expenditures**

The total cost of conducting the November 8, 2001 by-election in Saskatoon Idylwyld was \$111,456.56. This figure is inclusive of, and reported by, administrative and constituency expenditure. See Appendix V for an itemization of particular expenditures incurred in each of these two categories. Should further constituency expenditure specifics be required, refer to the Detail of Expenditures *The Election Act, 1996* Provincial Constituencies Fiscal Year 2001-2002, tabled in the Legislative Assembly on July 8, 2002.

**Documentation**

Pursuant to section 232 of the Act, the Chief Electoral Officer is obliged to hold, in addition to the information contained in the Register of Political Parties, all original financial particulars concerning registered political parties' fiscal period and election expenses documentation for the purposes of public inspection. Also held are the returns and the original financial documentation regarding individual candidate election expenses, pursuant to section 262 of the Act. Such information is available for public inspection during regular office hours at Elections Saskatchewan.

**Election Calendar**

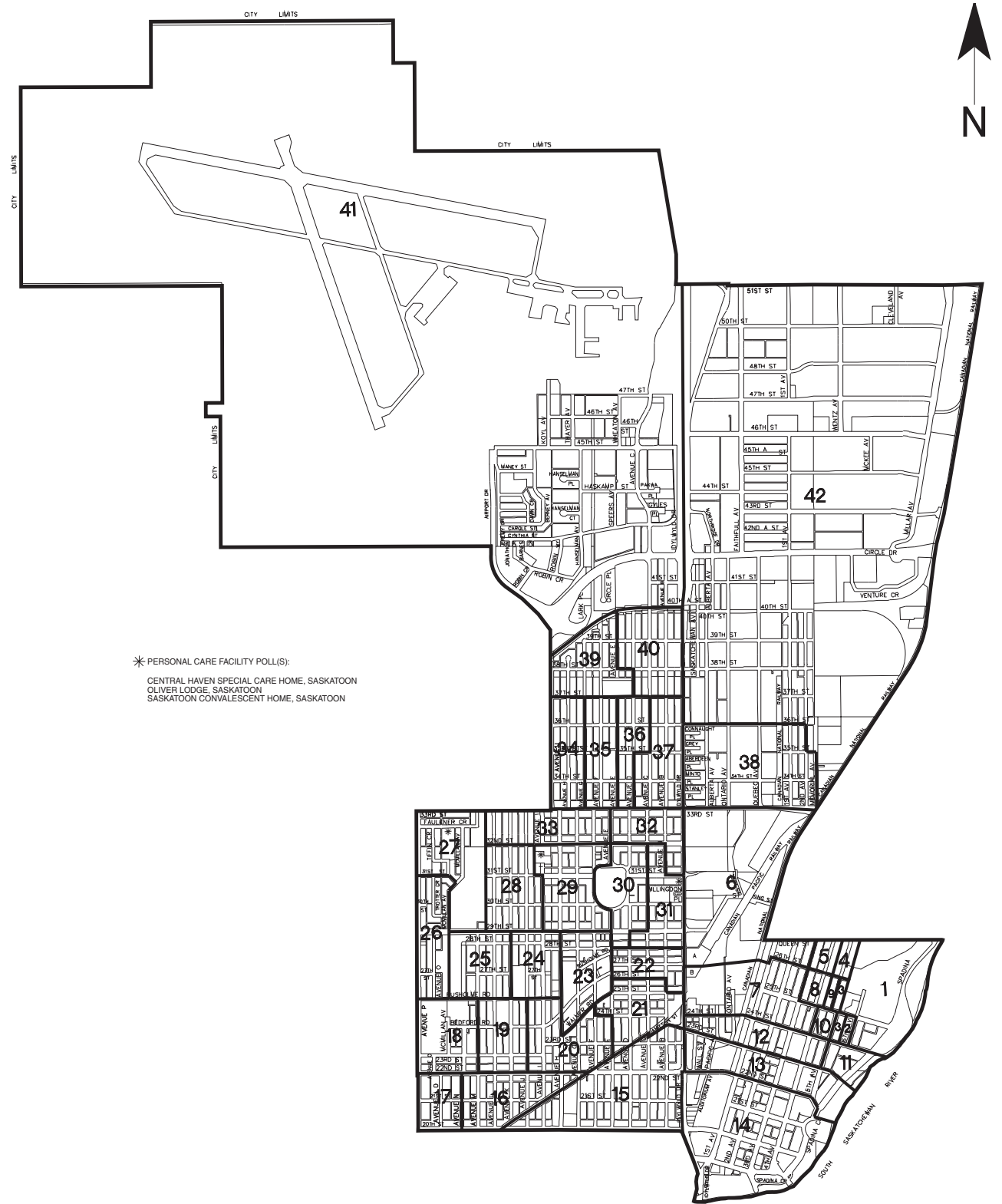
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>Writ of Election:</b>  <b>Minimum Writ Period:</b> (28 days) The minimum number of days between issue of the Writ of Election and Nomination Day is 11 clear days. (The date fixed for issuing the Writ of Election and the date fixed for Nomination Day are to be excluded (clause 31(3)(b) and subsection (4)).)  <b>Maximum Writ Period:</b> (34 days) The maximum number of days between issue of the Writ of Election and Nomination Day is 17 clear days. (The date fixed for issuing the Writ of Election and the date fixed for Nomination Day are to be excluded (clause 31(3)(b) and subsection (4)).)					<b>-34</b> October 5	<b>-33</b> October 6
<b>-32</b> October 7	<b>-31</b> October 8 <b>THANKSGIVING DAY</b>	<b>-30</b> October 9 <b>WRIT ISSUES</b> Date of issue of Writ of Election Commence accepting nomination of candidates <b>Enumeration Schools</b> s. 31(2), (3)(b); s. 44	<b>-29</b> October 10	<b>-28</b> October 11 Print election Proclamation	<b>-27</b> October 12 Enumeration	<b>-26</b> October 13 Begin monitoring each enumerator's progress
<b>-25</b> October 14	<b>-24</b> October 15 Check completed E-200A and begin data entry of preliminary voters' lists	<b>-23</b> October 16 Last day to post election Proclamation • Returning Officer's Office • Post Offices in constituency s. 34(3)	<b>-22</b> October 17 Photocopy secondary voters' lists (E-200) to be distributed to each candidate as available	<b>-21</b> October 18 Enumeration completed, telephone C.E.O. with number of names enumerated	<b>-20</b> October 19	<b>-19</b> October 20 Commence selection of voters to act as deputy returning officers, poll clerks and alternates
<b>-18</b> October 21	<b>-17</b> October 22 Reproduction of secondary Voters' Lists completed (-15) Forward 3 copies (5 copies - Northern constituencies) of each polling division list to enumerator; 10 copies including disk copy to known candidates; 5 copies to C.E.O. s. 25(1)(a), (b); s. 139(5)	<b>-16</b> October 23 <b>NOMINATION DAY</b> Facsimile/Telephone C.E.O. re: candidates • Furnish to Candidates list of candidates and enumerators s. 31(3)(b); s. 35(3); s. 44(1); s. 51(1)	<b>-15</b> October 24 Arrange for publication of candidates nominated Arrange for printing of ballots s. 35(3); s. 51(2)	<b>-14</b> October 25 Secondary Voters' Lists, including list of enumerators, to be publicly displayed in the head office of (rural - each municipality in the constituency or urban - the municipality in which the constituency is situated) and in the constituency Returning Officer's Office (approximately sixteen (16) days before election day) • Commence accepting revisions to the secondary Voters' Lists s. 25(1)(b)	<b>-13</b> October 26	<b>-12</b> October 27 Last day to receive Absentee Voter Applications s. 87(3)
<b>-11</b> October 28 Furnish to deputy returning officers (advance and regular polls) and candidates list of absentee voters to whom ballot paper was forwarded s. 88(3), (5)	<b>-10</b> October 29 <b>D.R.O. Schools</b>	<b>-9</b> October 30	<b>-8</b> October 31 Election officials and campaign workers should be encouraged to vote at advance poll Last day for applicant voter to receive absentee ballot paper and related materials, if mailed s. 88(2)(b)	<b>-7</b> November 1 Last day for applicant voter to receive absentee ballot paper and related materials, if delivered s. 88(2)(a)	<b>-6</b> November 2 <b>ADVANCE POLL</b> 3 p.m. - 10 p.m. C.S.T. s. 132(a)	<b>-5</b> November 3 <b>ADVANCE POLL</b> 12 noon - 7 p.m. C.S.T. s. 132(a)
<b>-4</b> November 4 <b>ADVANCE POLL</b> 12 noon - 7 p.m. C.S.T. Prepare to receive enumerators' expense claims s. 132(a)	<b>-3</b> November 5 <b>ADVANCE POLL</b> 3 p.m. - 10 p.m. C.S.T. <b>REVISION DAY</b> 2 p.m. - 10 p.m. C.S.T. s. 26; s. 132(a)	<b>-2</b> November 6 <b>ADVANCE POLL</b> 3 p.m. - 10 p.m. C.S.T. Deadline for enumerator to deliver official Voters' List to deputy returning officer s. 28(3); s. 132(a)	<b>-1</b> November 7 Receive advance poll voter information and forward to applicable deputy returning officers	<b>0</b> November 8 <b>ELECTION DAY</b> 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. C.S.T. Ensure arrangements for the display and tabulation of unofficial results Facsimile/Telephone results of election to C.E.O. s. 62	<b>+1</b> November 9 Ensure all ballot boxes and election materials are received from deputy returning officers	<b>+2</b> November 10 Prepare to receive deputy returning officers', poll clerks', etc. expense claims
<b>+3</b> November 11 <b>REMEMBRANCE DAY</b>	<b>+4</b> November 12	<b>+5</b> November 13 Last day for forwarding Imprest Account and related financial materials to C.E.O.	<b>+6</b> November 14	<b>+7</b> November 15	<b>+8</b> November 16	<b>+9</b> November 17
<b>+10</b> November 18 12 noon deadline for receipt of absentee voter certificate envelopes (postmarked not later than 8 p.m. on election day) s. 89(5)(b), (c)	<b>+11</b> November 19	<b>+12</b> November 20 <b>FINAL COUNT</b> by Returning Officer s. 31(3)(e); s. 145	<b>+13</b> November 21	<b>+14</b> November 22 Collection of ballot boxes and election materials by C.E.O. • Vacate office space	<b>+15</b> November 23	<b>+16</b> November 24 Last day to request a recount or an addition 155(2)(c)
<b>+17</b> November 25	<b>+18</b> November 26	<b>+19</b> November 27	<b>+20</b> November 28	<b>+21</b> November 29	<b>+22</b> November 30	<b>+23</b> December 1 <b>RETURN TO THE WRIT</b> Forward election Return and other documents to C.E.O. s. 31(3)(f); s. 17



Poll No.	Polling Location Name	Eligible Voters	Votes Cast For					Ballots	
			Gordon Robert Dumont I.P.S.	Bob Roy L.	David Forbes N.D.P.	Dave Greenfield NGA	Shelley Hengen Sask.	Total Counted	Rejected
1	St. John's Anglican Church Hall	215	-	12	42	2	22	78	1
2	St. John's Anglican Church Hall	198	-	15	31	2	19	67	-
3	St. John's Anglican Church Hall	235	-	7	60	3	27	97	-
4	St. John's Anglican Church Hall	223	1	19	48	1	13	82	-
5	Third Avenue United Church	236	-	12	30	2	13	57	1
6	Third Avenue United Church	277	1	10	32	-	23	66	-
7	Third Avenue United Church	239	2	10	46	-	17	75	-
8	Third Avenue United Church	188	2	12	24	5	8	51	-
9	St. John's Anglican Church	278	1	11	47	2	29	90	-
10	Third Avenue United Church	332	1	29	108	-	42	180	1
11	St. John's Anglican Church Hall	230	2	18	44	1	29	94	1
12	Third Avenue United Church	139	1	14	31	-	15	61	1
13	St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church	213	1	15	48	3	30	97	-
14	St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church	328	1	22	52	-	50	125	-
15	Princess Alexandra School	165	1	6	51	-	11	69	-
16	Princess Alexandra School	261	2	6	33	-	30	71	1
17	Princess Alexandra School	136	1	13	31	5	15	65	-
18	Westmount School	119	-	7	26	1	12	46	-
19	Princess Alexandra School	168	1	2	26	1	20	50	-
20	Princess Alexandra School	212	1	4	37	-	23	65	1
21	Westmount School	94	1	-	25	-	8	34	-
22	Westmount School	302	1	12	55	2	19	89	-
23	Westmount School	153	-	6	50	2	18	76	-
24	Westmount School	171	-	3	36	-	14	53	-
25	St. Edward School	190	-	1	16	-	31	48	-
26	St. Edward School	202	-	6	57	-	16	79	-
27	St. Edward School	241	2	11	75	-	24	112	-
28	St. Edward School	302	1	5	63	1	38	108	-
29	Caswell School	294	1	6	85	3	24	119	-
30	Caswell School	210	-	6	64	5	13	88	1
31	Caswell School	176	1	11	57	5	19	93	-
32	Caswell School	211	-	7	74	1	22	104	-
33	St. Edward School	391	3	5	50	3	36	97	-
34	Mayfair School	235	2	2	39	1	21	65	-
35	Mayfair School	124	-	6	35	1	28	70	1
36	Mayfair School	181	2	6	32	1	30	71	-
37	St. Michael School	191	-	1	41	-	23	65	-
38	St. Michael School	172	1	6	43	1	19	70	-
39	Mayfair School	240	1	4	35	1	41	82	-
40	St. Michael School	224	-	6	40	-	19	65	-
41	McNab Park Youth Centre	330	1	3	20	3	23	50	-
42	St. Michael School	177	-	7	34	-	12	53	1
	Central Haven Special Care Home	60	2	2	-	-	2	6	-
	Oliver Lodge	74	-	8	9	2	3	22	3
	Saskatoon Convalescent Home	56	2	19	2	4	2	29	-
	Caswell School Advance	-	5	21	234	2	117	379	6
	Absentee Ballots	-	-	-	9	2	-	11	1
	Hospital/Remand Ballots	-	-	1	2	-	2	5	-
<b>Totals</b>		<b>9,393</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>415</b>	<b>2,129</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>1,072</b>	<b>3,729</b>	<b>20</b>

Candidate Elected - David Forbes

Plurality	1,057
% Who Voted	39.91%
% By Party	1.21% 11.13% 57.09% 1.82% 28.75%



NOTE: SECOND EDITION  
 CONSTITUENCY BOUNDARIES ARE DRAWN PURSUANT TO THE REPRESENTATION ACT, 1994 PUBLISHED BY THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER URBAN MUNICIPAL BOUNDARIES AS OF JULY 1, 1993


**Summary of Expenses Incurred and Reimbursements Paid:  
Registered Political Parties**

Registered Political Party	Maximum Expenses Allowable	Petty Expenses	Hire of Premises	Advertising
I.P.S.	34,900.00	-	-	-
Liberal	34,900.00	-	-	-
New Democratic Party (N.D.P.)	34,900.00	-	-	-
New Green Alliance (NGA)	34,900.00	-	-	-
The Saskatchewan Party	34,900.00	181.62	-	-
<b>Totals</b>	<b>174,500.00</b>	<b>181.62</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

(a) Unpaid claims, if paid, are included in the total of expenses used for the calculation of reimbursement; disputed claims are not.

(b) Party failed to qualify for reimbursement pursuant to subsection 264(1) of *The Election Act, 1996*.

**Appendix II**

Services	Goods Supplied	Travel and Hire of Vehicle	Unpaid or Disputed Claims(a)	Total of Expenses	Amount of Reimbursement
-	-	-	-	-	(b)
-	-	-	-	-	(b)
6.31	-	1,344.02	-	1,350.33	450.11
-	-	-	-	-	(b)
26.15	-	-	-	207.77	69.26
<b>32.46</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,344.02</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,558.10</b>	<b>519.37</b>





**Summary of Contributions Received, Expenses Incurred and Reimbursements Paid:  
Candidates and Business Managers**

Candidate	Contributions Received	Maximum Expenses Allowable	Candidate's Personal Expenses(a)	Candidate's Campaign Expenses	Petty Expenses	Hire of Premises
<b>Saskatoon Idylwyld</b>						
(Eligible Voters - 9,393)						
Gordon Robert Dumont (I.P.S.)	-	41,881.00	-	-	-	-
Bob Roy (L.)	6,544.37	41,881.00	-	-	82.30	1,500.00
David Forbes (N.D.P.)	31,010.26	41,881.00	-	-	-	1,463.89
Dave Greenfield (NGA)	285.60	41,881.00	-	-	.70	-
Shelley Hengen	39,471.24	41,881.00	-	-	3,078.85	2,322.97
<b>Totals</b>	<b>77,311.47</b>	<b>209,405.00</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,161.85</b>	<b>5,286.86</b>

(a) Candidate's personal expenses are not included in the total of expenses.

(b) Unpaid claims, if paid, are included in the total of expenses used for the calculation of reimbursement; disputed claims are not.

(c) Candidate failed to qualify for reimbursement pursuant to subsection 265(1) of *The Election Act, 1996*.

Advertising	Services	Goods Supplied	Travel and Hire of Vehicle	Unpaid or Disputed Claims(b)	Total of Expenses	Amount of Reimbursement
-	-	-	-	-	-	(c)
-	3,326.84	1,562.79	-	-	6,471.93	(c)
-	16,767.17	10,975.80	270.96	-	29,477.82	14,738.91
-	-	279.56	-	-	280.26	(c)
10,122.99	-	15,599.21	-	-	31,124.02	15,562.01
10,122.99	20,094.01	28,417.36	270.96	-	67,354.03	30,300.92



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ORDER OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

**Circumstances in which application was made:**

Pursuant to section 261 of *The Election Act, 1996* (the "Act"), the business manager for the Robert A. (Bob) Roy campaign failed to file the Candidate's Election Expenses Return (Form E-412) for the by-election held on November 8, 2001, in the constituency of Saskatoon Idylwyld. Due to extraordinary circumstances surrounding the availability of the named business manager the said candidate was unable to file the required Form on or before February 21, 2002. As a result, an extension for the filing deadline is required.

In my opinion, this circumstance makes the following authorization necessary.

**Application of order:**

This order of the Chief Electoral Officer applies to the following:

Extension of time to prepare and file the required election expenses return (Form E-412) of Robert A. (Bob) Roy, a candidate in the by-election held on November 8, 2001, in the constituency of Saskatoon Idylwyld.

**Exception provided by order:**

Pursuant to subsection 263(3) of the Act, the Chief Electoral Officer grants the Robert A. (Bob) Roy application filed February 18, 2002, pursuant to subsection 263(1) of the Act. Specifically, the aforementioned campaign has thirty (30) days from close of business on February 18, 2002, to rectify their deficiency and meet the formal requirements of section 261 of the Act.

Janice G. Baker  
Chief Electoral Officer

February 18, 2002  
Order Number: **ORD:005/2002**



**By-Election: Constituency of Saskatoon Idylwyld**

I. Elections Saskatchewan	
A) Administration	
(i) Advertising	\$28,467.40
(ii) Postal/Courier/Freight	151.74
(iii) Travel/Business	242.14
(iv) Transportation	149.28
B) Registered Political Parties	
(i) Reimbursement of Registered Political Parties' Election Expenses	519.37
(ii) Reimbursement of Auditors' Fees	1,689.35
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Elections Saskatchewan Expenditure	\$31,219.28
II. Constituency	
A) Election Officials	
(i) Returning Officer	\$ 4,340.00
(ii) Election Clerk	3,000.00
(iii) Enumerators	9,874.20
(iv) Polls (Officials/Rental of Space)	18,879.50
B) Administration	
(i) General Contractual Services	1,661.50
(ii) Rent of Ground/Buildings/Office Space	2,400.00
(iii) Rent of Office Equipment	1,076.60
(iv) Telephones	1,140.11
(v) Miscellaneous Materials/Supplies	84.47
(vi) Postal/Courier/Freight	272.52
(vii) Advertising	2,390.20
(viii) Printing/Duplicating (Ballots/Proclamation/Voters' List)	2,893.45
(ix) Travel/Business	69.56
C) Candidates	
(i) Reimbursement of Candidates' Election Expenses	30,300.92
(ii) Reimbursement of Auditors' Fees	1,854.25
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Constituency Expenditure	\$80,237.28
<b>Total By-Election Expenditures</b>	<b>\$111,456.56</b>
<b>Eligible Voters</b>	9,393
<b>Cost Per Voter</b>	\$11.87 (11.865917)



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