

*Electoral History for Antigonish*

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*Including Former Electoral District Names*



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### ***Antigonish***

*In 1863, Sydney County was renamed Antigonish (SNS 1863, c. 37). From 1867 to 1928, Antigonish was represented in the legislature by two seats.*

*In 2013, following the recommendations of the 2012 Electoral Boundaries Commission report, the area east of the Tracadie River was lost to Guysborough-Eastern Shore-Tracadie.*

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<b><i>Member Elected</i></b>	<b><i>Election Date</i></b>	<b><i>Party Elected</i></b>
<b>Delorey, Randy</b>	<b>30-May-2017</b>	<b>Liberal</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (738)	
<b><i>Candidate</i></b>	<b><i>Party</i></b>	<b><i>Votes</i></b>
Delorey, Randy	Liberal	3877
Mattie, Ray	Progressive Conservative	3139
MacGillivray, Moraig	New Democratic Party	1815
Smyth, Ryan	Atlantica	106

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<b>Delorey, Randy</b>	<b>08-Oct-2013</b>	<b>Liberal</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (1014)	
<b><i>Candidate</i></b>	<b><i>Party</i></b>	<b><i>Votes</i></b>
Delorey, Randy	Liberal	3882
Thompson, Darren	Progressive Conservative	2868
Smith, Maurice G.	New Democratic Party	2324

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<b>Smith, Maurice G. (Moe)</b>	<b>20-Oct-2009 (By-election)</b>	<b>New Democratic Party</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (455)	
<b><i>Candidate</i></b>	<b><i>Party</i></b>	<b><i>Votes</i></b>
Smith, Maurice G.	New Democratic Party	3310
Thompson, Darren	Progressive Conservative	2855
Tompkins, Miles	Liberal	1830
Marshall, Michael	Green Party	74

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**Maclsaac, Alexander  
Angus [2] (Tando)**

**09-Jun-2009**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (275)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Maclsaac, Alexander Angus [2]	Progressive Conservative	3613
Smith, Maurice G.	New Democratic Party	3338
Tompkins, Miles	Liberal	2378
Mosher, Rebecca Steeves	Green Party	160

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**Maclsaac, Alexander  
Angus [2] (Tando)**

**13-Jun-2006**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (1676)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Maclsaac, Alexander Angus [2]	Progressive Conservative	4662
Maclsaac, Daniel J.	Liberal	2987
MacDonald, Andrew	New Democratic Party	1840
Dowden, Judith	Green Party	180

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**Maclsaac, Alexander  
Angus [2] (Tando)**

**05-Aug-2003**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (605)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Maclsaac, Alexander Angus [2]	Progressive Conservative	4256
Cameron, David Allister	Liberal	3650
O'Toole, Terry	New Democratic Party	1755
Purdy, Gene	Marijuana Party	560

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**Maclsaac, Alexander  
Angus [2] (Tando)**

**27-Jul-1999**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (12)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Maclsaac, Alexander Angus [2]	Progressive Conservative	4070
Fraser, Hyland	Liberal	4058
Long, Charlene	New Democratic Party	2229

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**Fraser, Hyland**

**24-Mar-1998**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (1095)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Fraser, Hyland	Liberal	4649
MacNeil, Andrew	Progressive Conservative	3554
Smith, Maurice G.	New Democratic Party	2986

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**Gillis, John William (Bill)**

**25-May-1993**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (4096)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Gillis, John William	Liberal	7292
Chisholm, Elizabeth	Progressive Conservative	3196
MacDonald, Marion	New Democratic Party	821

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**Gillis, John William (Bill)**

**06-Sep-1988**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (1541)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Gillis, John William	Liberal	6004
Garvie, Bill	Progressive Conservative	4463
Woodfine, Bill	New Democratic Party	811

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**Gillis, John William (Bill)**

**06-Nov-1984**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (313)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Gillis, John William	Liberal	5167
Chisholm, Elizabeth	Progressive Conservative	4854
Woodfine, Bill	New Democratic Party	793

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**Gillis, John William (Bill)**

**06-Oct-1981**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (251)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Gillis, John William	Liberal	4522
Maclsaac, Angus	Progressive Conservative	4271
Murphy, John A.	New Democratic Party	937

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**Gillis, John William (Bill) 19-Sep-1978 Liberal**

*Majority:* (976)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Gillis, John William	Liberal	4689
MacNeil, Bill	Progressive Conservative	3713
Murphy, John Arthur	New Democratic Party	1010

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**Gillis, John William (Bill) 02-Apr-1974 Liberal**

*Majority:* (1969)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Gillis, John William	Liberal	5141
MacDonald, Ronald A.	Progressive Conservative	3172
Gough, Patrick D.	New Democratic Party	726

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**Gillis, John William (Bill) 13-Oct-1970 Liberal**

*Majority:* (408)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Gillis, John William	Liberal	4002
Shaw, William	Progressive Conservative	3594
MacPherson, Alex	New Democratic Party	265

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**MacKinnon, William Francis 30-May-1967 Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (26)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
MacKinnon, William Francis	Progressive Conservative	3222
Gillis, John William	Liberal	3196

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**MacKinnon, William Francis 08-Oct-1963 Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (560)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
MacKinnon, William Francis	Progressive Conservative	3334
Chisholm, Ronald Saint John	Liberal	2774

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**MacKinnon, William Francis**

**07-Jun-1960**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (682)

*Candidate*

MacKinnon, William Francis  
MacDonald, Vincent J.  
MacPherson, Alex

*Party*

Progressive Conservative  
Liberal  
CCF (Cooperative Commonwealth Federation)

*Votes*

3177  
2495  
129

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**MacKinnon, William Francis**

**30-Oct-1956**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (215)

*Candidate*

MacKinnon, William Francis  
Chisholm, Colin Herman

*Party*

Progressive Conservative  
Liberal

*Votes*

2884  
2669

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**Chisholm, Colin Herman**

**26-May-1953**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (559)

*Candidate*

Chisholm, Colin Herman  
MacDonald, Vincent J.  
Thompson, Terrance B.

*Party*

Liberal  
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Progressive Conservative

*Votes*

2624  
2065  
675

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**Chisholm, Colin Herman**

**09-Jun-1949**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (899)

*Candidate*

Chisholm, Colin Herman  
Thompson, Terrance B.

*Party*

Liberal  
Progressive Conservative

*Votes*

3179  
2280

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**Gorman, John Patrick**

**23-Oct-1945**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (1014)

*Candidate*

Gorman, John Patrick  
MacDonald, Douglas

*Party*

Liberal  
Progressive Conservative

*Votes*

2650  
1636

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**Gorman, John Patrick**      **19-Oct-1942 (By-election)**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (1397)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Gorman, John Patrick	Liberal	2496
Cunningham, Russell	Progressive Conservative	1099

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**Maclsaac, John A.**      **28-Oct-1941**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (1033)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Maclsaac, John A.	Liberal	2759
Webb, Michael Ignatius	Progressive Conservative	1726

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John A. Maclsaac died June 1, 1942, while in office.

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**Maclsaac, John Laughlin**      **29-Jun-1937**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (1149)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Maclsaac, John Laughlin	Liberal	3160
Butts, Robert Hamilton	Progressive Conservative	2011

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Maclsaac died March 24, 1941, while in office.

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**Maclsaac, John Laughlin**      **22-Aug-1933**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (469)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Maclsaac, John Laughlin	Liberal	2951
Walker, John A,	Liberal Conservative	2482

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**Maclsaac, John Laughlin**      **01-Oct-1928**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (506)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Maclsaac, John Laughlin	Liberal	2431
Chisholm, William	Liberal	2407
McLellan, John F.	Liberal Conservative	1925
MacIntyre, John D.	Liberal Conservative	1792

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**Chisholm, William**      **01-Oct-1928**      **Liberal**

*Majority:* (482)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Maclsaac, John Laughlin	Liberal	2431
Chisholm, William	Liberal	2407
McLellan, John F.	Liberal Conservative	1925
MacIntyre, John D.	Liberal Conservative	1792

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**Maclsaac, John Laughlin**      **25-Jun-1925**      **Liberal**

*Majority:* (298)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Maclsaac, John Laughlin	Liberal	2393
Chisholm, William	Liberal	2267
Chisholm, Duncan S.	Liberal Conservative	2095
Irish, Frederick R.	Liberal Conservative	1871

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**Chisholm, William**      **25-Jun-1925**      **Liberal**

*Majority:* (172)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Maclsaac, John Laughlin	Liberal	2393
Chisholm, William	Liberal	2267
Chisholm, Duncan S.	Liberal Conservative	2095
Irish, Frederick R.	Liberal Conservative	1871

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**Chisholm, William**      **16-Jan-1923 (By-election)**      **Liberal**

*Majority:* ()

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Chisholm, William	Liberal	0

Chisholm won, took seat February 22, 1923.

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**MacGillivray, Angus J.**      **27-Jul-1920**      **Farmers' Party**

*Majority:* (79)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Chisholm, William	Liberal	2059
MacGillivray, Angus J.	Farmers' Party	1804
MacMillan, Alexander Sterling	Liberal	1725
Irish, Frederick R.	Farmers' Party	1706

Chisholm was appointed Minister of Highways. He was re-elected January 16, 1923.

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**Chisholm, William**      **27-Jul-1920**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (334)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Chisholm, William	Liberal	2059
MacGillivray, Angus J.	Farmers' Party	1804
MacMillan, Alexander Sterling	Liberal	1725
Irish, Frederick R.	Farmers' Party	1706

Chisholm was appointed Minister of Highways. He was re-elected January 16, 1923.

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**Trotter, Frederick Robert**      **20-Jun-1916**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (133)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Chisholm, William	Liberal	1366
Trotter, Frederick Robert	Liberal	1300
O'Brien, John Sarsfield	Liberal Conservative	1167
Macdonald, Allan	Liberal Conservative	953

**Chisholm, William**      **20-Jun-1916**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (199)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Chisholm, William	Liberal	1366
Trotter, Frederick Robert	Liberal	1300
O'Brien, John Sarsfield	Liberal Conservative	1167
Macdonald, Allan	Liberal Conservative	953

**O'Brien, John Sarsfield**      **16-Jan-1913 (By-election)**      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:*    (298)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
O'Brien, John Sarsfield	Liberal Conservative	1354
Chisholm, C. P.	Liberal	1056

**Trotter, Frederick Robert**      **14-Jun-1911**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (197)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Girroi, Edward Lavin	Liberal Conservative	1299
Trotter, Frederick Robert	Liberal	1267
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	1070
Macdougall, Hugh	Liberal Conservative	1016

Girroi was appointed to the Senate, November 20, 1912. He was replaced by John S. O'Brien.

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**Girroir, Edward Lavin 14-Jun-1911 Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (229)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Girroir, Edward Lavin	Liberal Conservative	1299
Trotter, Frederick Robert	Liberal	1267
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	1070
Macdougall, Hugh	Liberal Conservative	1016

Girroir was appointed to the Senate, November 20, 1912. He was replaced by John S. O'Brien.

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**Chisholm, Christopher P. 09-Apr-1907 (By-election) Liberal**

*Majority:* ()

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	0

Chisholm won by acclamation.

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**Trotter, Frederick Robert 20-Jun-1906 Liberal**

*Majority:* ()

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Trotter, Frederick Robert	Liberal	0
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	0

Both Chisholm and Trotter won by acclamation.

Chisholm resigned upon appointment as Commissioner of Public Works an Mines, March 23, 1907.

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**Chisholm, Christopher P. 20-Jun-1906 Liberal**

*Majority:* ()

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Trotter, Frederick Robert	Liberal	0
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	0

Both Chisholm and Trotter won by acclamation.

Chisholm resigned upon appointment as Commissioner of Public Works an Mines, March 23, 1907.

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**Trotter, Frederick Robert 22-Jan-1903 (By-election) Liberal**

*Majority:* ()

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Trotter, Frederick Robert	Liberal	0

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**McGillivray, Angus**      **02-Oct-1901**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    ()

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	0
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	0

Both Chisholm and McGillivray won their seats by acclamation.  
McGillivray resigned. He was appointed county court judge Dec. 1902.

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**Chisholm, Christopher P.**      **02-Oct-1901**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    ()

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	0
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	0

Both Chisholm and McGillivray won their seats by acclamation.  
McGillivray resigned. He was appointed county court judge Dec. 1902.

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**McGillivray, Angus**      **20-Apr-1897**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (140)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	1263
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	1176
Whidden, Charles Blanchard	Liberal Conservative	1123
Maccougald, Hugh	Liberal Conservative	986

**Chisholm, Christopher P.**      **20-Apr-1897**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (53)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	1263
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	1176
Whidden, Charles Blanchard	Liberal Conservative	1123
Maccougald, Hugh	Liberal Conservative	986

**McGillivray, Angus**      **13-Jun-1895 (By-election)**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (289)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	1314
Fraser, D. A.	Liberal	1025

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**Mclsaac, Colin Francis**      **15-Mar-1894**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (192)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Mclsaac, Colin Francis	Liberal	1333
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	1225
Cameron, J. J.	Liberal Conservative	1141
Gregory, C. E.	Liberal Conservative	1064

Mclsaac resigned to contest the federal by-election of April 17, 1895.

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**Chisholm, Christopher P.**      **15-Mar-1894**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (84)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Mclsaac, Colin Francis	Liberal	1333
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	1225
Cameron, J. J.	Liberal Conservative	1141
Gregory, C. E.	Liberal Conservative	1064

Mclsaac resigned to contest the federal by-election of April 17, 1895.

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**Chisholm, Christopher P.**      **05-Mar-1891 (By-election)**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (17)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Chisholm, Christopher P.	Liberal	933
Cameron, J. J.	Liberal	916

**Mclsaac, Colin Francis**      **21-May-1890**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (271)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	1362
Mclsaac, Colin Francis	Liberal	1274
Cameron, J. J.	Liberal Conservative	1003
McPhee, Archibald	Liberal Conservative	800

McGillivray resigned February 23, 1891, before the House met, to contest the federal general election March 5, 1891.

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**McGillivray, Angus**      **21-May-1890**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (359)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	1362
Mclsaac, Colin Francis	Liberal	1274
Cameron, J. J.	Liberal Conservative	1003
McPhee, Archibald	Liberal Conservative	800

McGillivray resigned February 23, 1891, before the House met, to contest the federal general election March 5, 1891.

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**McGillivray, Angus**      **22-Feb-1887 (By-election)**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    ()

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	0

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**Mclsaac, Colin Francis**      **15-Jun-1886**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (369)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	1384
Mclsaac, Colin Francis	Liberal	1269
Whidden, Charles Blanchard	Liberal Conservative	900
McDonald, Rod K.	Liberal Conservative	482

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McGillivray resigned Feb. 11, 1887, before the House met, to contest the federal general election February 22, 1887. He was defeated and ran again for the Legislative Assembly and was re-elected March 8, 1887.

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**McGillivray, Angus**      **15-Jun-1886**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (434)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	1384
Mclsaac, Colin Francis	Liberal	1269
Whidden, Charles Blanchard	Liberal Conservative	900
McDonald, Rod K.	Liberal Conservative	482

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McGillivray resigned Feb. 11, 1887, before the House met, to contest the federal general election February 22, 1887. He was defeated and ran again for the Legislative Assembly and was re-elected March 8, 1887.

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**Whidden, Charles  
Blanchard**      **29-Aug-1882 (By-election)**      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:*    (341)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Whidden, Charles Blanchard	Liberal Conservative	1026
Gregory, C. C.	Liberal	685

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**Thompson, John  
Sparrow David**      **20-Jun-1882**      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:*    (623)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Thompson, John Sparrow David	Liberal Conservative	1166
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	1094
McDonald, Joseph	Liberal	543

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Thompson resigned before the House met. He was appointed judge of the Supreme Court.

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**McGillivray, Angus**                      **20-Jun-1882**                      **Liberal**

*Majority:* (560)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Thompson, John Sparrow David	Liberal Conservative	1166
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	1094
McDonald, Joseph	Liberal	543

Thompson resigned before the House met. He was appointed judge of the Supreme Court.

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**Thompson, John Sparrow David**                      **17-Sep-1878**                      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* ()

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Thompson, John Sparrow David	Liberal Conservative	0
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	0

Both Thompson and McGillivray won by acclamation

**McGillivray, Angus**                      **17-Sep-1878**                      **Liberal**

*Majority:* ()

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Thompson, John Sparrow David	Liberal Conservative	0
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal	0

Both Thompson and McGillivray won by acclamation

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**Thompson, John Sparrow David**                      **04-Dec-1877 (By-election)**                      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (Acclamation)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Thompson, John Sparrow David	Liberal Conservative	0

Thompson won by acclamation

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**McKinnon, John J.**                      **17-Dec-1874**                      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (351)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McKinnon, John J.	Liberal Conservative	1012
McDonald, Daniel	Liberal	752
McDonald, Joseph	Liberal	661

McKinnon resigned July 1877 and was replaced by John S. D. Thompson.

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**McDonald, Daniel**                      **17-Dec-1874**                      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (91)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McKinnon, John J.	Liberal Conservative	1012
McDonald, Daniel	Liberal	752
McDonald, Joseph	Liberal	661

McKinnon resigned July 1877 and was replaced by John S. D. Thompson.

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**McDonald, Daniel**                      **11-Feb-1873 (By-election)**                      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    ()

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McDonald, Daniel	Liberal	0

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**McDonald, Daniel**                      **16-May-1871**                      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (199)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McDonald, Daniel	Liberal	1052
MacDonald, Joseph	Liberal	978
Henry, R. N.	Liberal Conservative	853
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal Conservative	553

D. McDonald seat declared vacant. He was appointed Chief Commissioner of Public Works and Mines Jan. 17, 1873 - re-elected 1873

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**MacDonald, Joseph**                      **16-May-1871**                      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (125)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McDonald, Daniel	Liberal	1052
MacDonald, Joseph	Liberal	978
Henry, R. N.	Liberal Conservative	853
McGillivray, Angus	Liberal Conservative	553

D. McDonald seat declared vacant. He was appointed Chief Commissioner of Public Works and Mines Jan. 17, 1873 - re-elected 1873

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**McDonald, Daniel**                      **18-Sep-1867**                      **Anti-Confederate**

*Majority:*    (1014)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McDonald, Daniel	Anti-Confederate	1424
MacDonald, Joseph	Anti-Confederate	1072
Henry, R. N.	Confederate	410
Macdonald, J.	Confederate	193

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**MacDonald, Joseph**

**18-Sep-1867**

**Anti-Confederate**

*Majority:* (662)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McDonald, Daniel	Anti-Confederate	1424
MacDonald, Joseph	Anti-Confederate	1072
Henry, R. N.	Confederate	410
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