

## Electoral Officer's Report

1. Name of First Nation: TI'azt'en Nation 2. Band Number: 617
3. Date of Election: June 2, 2022 4. District/Region: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Type of election (*General or By-election*): bi-election
6. Date of last general election (*month/year*):  
2021/11/23
7. Total number of band members: 1606
8. The band council is composed of one chief and 7 (#) councillors.  
Is there a Ministerial Order setting the size of council: YES  NO
9. Total number of eligible voters from the **master voters list**: 1184
10. The **Notice of Nomination Period** was:
  - a) Posted on the 2 day of May, 2022, at the following locations:  
\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
  - b) Mailed to \_\_\_\_\_ (#) off-reserve electors during the period from the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.
11. The nomination period ended on the 13 day of May, 2022,  
at TI'azt'en Nation Administration office in Tache, from 8 am to 4pm.  
(Location)
12. The **Polling Notice** was posted on the 16 day of May, 2022, at the following locations:  
\_\_\_\_\_ website, house-house, social media accounts and email contact\_
14. The poll was held on the 2 day of June, 2022, at  
the following location(s): Elder Centre in Tache; FSJ CNC, Nezul Be Hunyeyah from 8am to 8pm.  
Online poll evoters.ca/Tlazten was held May 30, 2022 @ 6am - May 31, 2022 @ 10pm, registration was open May 16-29,2022.

### 15. Mail-in Ballots (You must account for every ballot)

|    |  | FOR CHIEF | FOR COUNCILLOR |
|----|--|-----------|----------------|
| A) | Total number of mail-in ballot packages sent to <b>off and on reserve</b> electors (including any second mail-outs to the same elector, if applicable) | 0         | 0              |
| B) | Total number of mail-in packages returned as undeliverable   | 0         | 0              |
| C) | Total number of mail-in ballots returned by the elector who voted in person at the polling station   | 0         | 0              |
| D) | Total number of mail-in ballots not deposited in the ballot box during the verification process.   | 0         | 0              |
| E) | Total number of mail-in ballots deposited in the ballot box  | 0         | 0              |
| F) | Mail-in ballots not returned<br>(A – B – C – D – E) <b>(Subtract A through E)</b>  | 0         | 0              |

### 16. Ballot Reconciliation (You must account for every ballot)

|    |  | FOR CHIEF | FOR COUNCILLOR |
|----|--|-----------|----------------|
| A) | Number of <b>valid</b> ballots cast (i.e. inserted in the ballot box - including the tie breaker <sup>1</sup> vote, if applicable) |           |                |
| B) | Number of <b>rejected</b> ballots cast ( i.e. inserted in the ballot box)  |           |                |
| C) | Number of ballots spoiled (never placed in the ballot box)   |           |                |
| D) | Number of unused ballots   |           |                |
| E) | Total number of mail-in packages returned as undeliverable (same as 15 B)  |           |                |
| F) | Total number of mail-in ballots returned by the elector who voted in person at the polling station (same as 15 C)                  |           |                |
| G) | Number of mail-in ballots not deposited in the ballot box during the verification process. (same as 15 D)                          |           |                |
| H) | Total provided at 15 F (Mail-in ballot not returned)   |           |                |
| I) | Total number of ballots (A + B + C + D + E + F + G + H) <b>(Add A through H)</b>   |           |                |
| J) | Total number of ballots printed <b>(Should equal totals at (I) above)</b>  |           |                |

<sup>1</sup> In the event of a tie breaker, please complete section 22.

17. Please record all candidates' names, excluding those who withdrew before the close of the poll. Also complete all four columns below (a complete and accurate mailing address is mandatory and **MUST** be provided for each candidate.) Failing to provide mailing addresses in this report might result in it being returned to you for the missing information:

| <b>BAND/TREATY/REGISTRY/STATUS NUMBER</b> | <b>NAME OF CANDIDATE FOR CHIEF</b> | <b>MAILING ADDRESS</b> | <b>TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED</b> |
|---|------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|
|   | <b>ASLIN, LESLIE (YUPS)</b>        |                        | <b>115</b>                  |
|   | <b>AUSTIN, HARRY</b>               |                        | <b>6</b>                    |
|   | <b>HOLMES, MINA</b>                |                        | <b>63</b>                   |
|   | <b>JOHN, VINCENT</b>               |                        | <b>23</b>                   |
|   | <b>TOM, CHARLENE</b>               |                        | <b>24</b>                   |
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Unused ballots for chief 832  
 Spoiled ballots 29  
 Total ballots used 231

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| BAND/TREATY/REGISTRY<br>/STATUS NUMBER | NAME OF<br>CANDIDATE<br>FOR COUNCILLOR | MAILING ADDRESS<br>(MANDATORY) | TOTAL<br>VOTES<br>RECEIVED |
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19. The following candidates have been publicly declared elected:

(a) **To the Office of Chief:** Name: Aslin, Leslie (Yups)

(b) **To the Office of Councillor:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

20. **The term of office commences on the day of December, 2025 .**

21. Additional comments (i.e. election process, incident, disruption, objection raised, etc):

\_\_\_\_\_ none \_\_\_\_\_

22. Explain the tie breaker method:

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Names of Candidates who received the same number o valid ballots is put in a hat and drew the name of will receive the vote of the electoral officer

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**23. Declaration**

I, Cheryl Schweizer, appointed to the position of Electoral Officer on the day of 29 April, 2022, for the Tl'azt'en Nation First Nation election, declare that the polling place(s) was kept open between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. (local time), and that I have correctly counted the votes cast for each candidate and have performed all other duties required of me by section 11 of the *Indian Band Election Regulations*.<sup>2</sup> I further declare that a copy of the *Statement of the Votes* will be posted at each place where the *Polling Notice* was posted and will be mailed to the last known address of off-reserve electors.

\_\_\_\_\_ June 3, 2022 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature) (Date)

\_\_\_ 7150 Glenview Drive Prince George, BC Vv2k 2P1 \_\_\_\_\_

(Address)  
(Phone #) \_\_\_\_\_

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(E-mail) (Cell#)

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<sup>2</sup> Please refer to section 10.4 of The Electoral Officer's Handbook