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**Huu-ay-aht First Nation
Government
Election 2015**

**Final Declaration of Election Results
July 27, 2015**

The following is the final declaration of the results of the general election for Chief Councillor and for Councillor for the Huu-ay-aht First Nation held on June 20, 2015 and the run-off vote held on July 18, 2015

The following number of valid votes were cast in the general election on June 20, 2015:

Mail-In Ballots	113
Anacla Ballots	48
Port Alberni Ballots	81
Total Ballots	242

For Chief Councillor the following are the number of votes cast for each candidate:

Candidate	Votes
Cook, Jeffrey Robert	48
Dennis, Robert (Sr.) Jack	126
Waddell, Connie Mabel Frances	65
Rejected	3

Robert Dennis (Sr.) received the largest number of votes.

For Councillor, the following are the number of votes cast for each candidate:

Candidate	Votes
Charles, Sheila Marie	94
Clappis, Benny Ryan	94
Clappis, Molly Gloria	75
Cook, Jack Gary	94
Cootes, Trevor Lee Michael	101
Jack, John Alan	139
Johnson, Brittany Danielle Marie	65
Mio, Kiana Taylor	58
Nookemis, Duane Eric	89
Waddell, Connie Mabel Frances	121
Werner, Kenneth Roy	38
Williams, Irene Delores	92

The three candidates receiving the largest number of votes in order are :

- 1.) John Alan Jack
- 2.) Connie Waddell
- 3.) Trevor Cootes

Three candidates were tied for the final two seats, each gaining 94 votes.

- 1.) Sheila Charles
- 2.) Benny Clappis
- 3.) Jack Cook

There having been a tie vote among three candidates for two seats, a run-off vote was held pursuant to s.69 of the Election Act on July 18, 2015.

In the run off vote the following number of valid ballots were cast:

Mail In	77
Anacla	39
Port Alberni	<u>40</u>

<u>Total Valid Votes</u>	<u>156</u>
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For the office of Councillor, the valid votes for each candidate is:

Charles, Sheila Marie	84
Clappis, Benny Ryan	91
Cook, Jack Gary	79

The period for application under s.67 for a recount and the period under s.70 to apply for a declaration to have the election invalidated having expired I hereby declare the following elected:

Chief Councillor Robert Dennis (Sr.)

Councillors	John Alan Jack
	Connie Waddell
	Trevor Cootes
	Ben Clappis
	Sheila Charles



Kit Spence
Election Commissioner
Huu-ay-aht First Nation