



## MEDIA RELEASE

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RE: Charlie Chambers wins vacant council seat

**AMHERST, Nova Scotia** – Charlie Chambers topped the polls in the Town of Amherst’s special election that was held on Feb. 11, 2023, to fill a vacant council seat.

Chambers received 1,740 votes. Vaughn Martin, who received 205 votes. Third spot went to Bill Archer, who received 77 votes, while fourth spot went to Allan (Max) Davidson with 76 votes.

There were three spoiled ballots and two ballots that were declined.

Chambers replaces former councillor Sheila Christie who resigned last October.

“We welcome Charlie to the Amherst town council,” Mayor David Kogon said. “We look forward to working with Charlie as we all work to continue to make Amherst a great place to live, work and play. Charlie will bring a new voice to the council that I’m sure will have the best interest of the citizens of Amherst in mind.”

As per provincial legislation, election night results are not confirmed until the official election addition process is completed, which occurs on Tuesday, Feb. 14, 2023.

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