

MEDIA RELEASE — 2013 LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Candidates announced

When nominations closed at 12 noon on Thursday 11 April 2013, eleven candidates had been nominated to contest the 2013 Legislative Council elections to be held on Saturday 4 May 2013. Voting is compulsory.

By division candidate numbers are—

Division of Montgomery	4 candidates
Division of Nelson	4 candidates
Division of Pembroke	3 candidates

A list of candidates for each division follows. Candidates are listed in alphabetical order. It should be remembered that the names on the ballot paper are rotated and may not appear in this order. If a candidate has been nominated by a registered party, this will be indicated on the ballot paper.

Electors who cannot get to a polling place on polling day must vote early. This can be done in two ways—either by post, or in person during normal business hours at these locations:

Hobart —	Australian Electoral Commission, Second floor, NAB House, 86 Collins St
Launceston —	Australian Electoral Commission, Ground floor, 87 George St
Burnie —	Australian Electoral Commission, First floor, Harris Building, 51 Cattley St
Interstate —	any Australian Electoral Commission divisional office (from Wednesday 17 April)

Pre-poll centres will also be available at Kingston, Rosny and Ulverstone in the week before polling.

Postal vote applications are available at any post office within the Montgomery, Nelson and Pembroke divisions, at any Tasmanian electoral office, on our website www.tec.tas.gov.au or by calling 13 23 26.

Assistance for vision-impaired electors

An electronic system to assist vision-impaired electors to vote independently will be available during the pre-poll period and on polling day. For more details electors can call 13 23 26.

ENDS — 12 noon Friday 12 April 2013

For further information — Julian Type ELECTORAL COMMISSIONER

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Candidates nominated (in alphabetical order)

Division of Montgomery

FULLER, Cheryl..... Councillor..... West Ulverstone
HISCUTT, Leonie Farmer..... Howth Liberal Party
MORGAN, Kevin Ex Adviser Department of Premier & Cabinet Ulverstone
VINCENT, Ed..... C.E.O. Parklands

Division of Nelson

BAXTER, Tom..... University Lecturer Fern Tree Tasmanian Greens
RICHARDSON, Helen..... Union Organiser Sandy Bay
WILKINSON, Jim..... Member of Parliament..... Sandy Bay
WILLINK, Hans Information Technology Manager..... Acton Park

Division of Pembroke

GOODWIN, Vanessa Member of Parliament..... Howrah Liberal Party
HEATLEY, Wendy Director, Australian Public Service..... Glebe Tasmanian Greens
RITCHIE, Allison Business Owner Runnymede

