

I believe The Danny Williams team is concerned about the future of Rural Newfoundland and Labrador and have proven it by lowering the Provincial Ferry rates. This is not only good for the people who live here but for tourism and the shipping of goods. This is a beginningI need your support in order to act as your united voice within government to bring about changes for a brighter tomorrow. I need you to nominate me as your PC candidate. Anyone over the age of eighteen can vote in the Nomination process, no matter what your politics are. Within the PC party it is an open policy and a demographic process. My commitment to you will be hard work, a united voice, and the results will be bringing home our fellow Newfoundlanders.

Nomination date to be announced soon!

For more information or to offer support:

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For Twillingate/ Fogo district

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"Bringing Families Home"

"Working together to create a future for our children"

The Danny Williams Team.



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TWILLINGATE/FOGO

Nomination Candidate

Background- BIO Holly R Rideout

Born in Twillingate, Holly is the youngest in a family of nine children, all of which reside in the Twillingate/ Fogo district. Originally from Cottlesville (Cottles Island), Holly is part of a 4th generation family that have lived and fished here for generations and continue today. Shortly after graduation from college with a major in Tourism, Holly moved to Toronto, Ontario to find work in her designated field due to lack of work at home. Preferring to live in Newfoundland, Holly returned back home one year later and looked for employment in her chosen field, Travel and Tourism. Her career has spanned over eighteen years working within the tourism industry in the position of consultant, partner and manager with various companies in Newfoundland and Labrador. A life long learner Holly returned to school taking various courses , and upgrading during this time, eventually going on to earn a certificate in business from Memorial University of Newfoundland. In October 2005 Holly started a new career in Real Estate and made the winner's circle with Coldwell Banker Property Consultants within her first year. Holly's first political aspirations were in 2003 acting as a volunteer for the Progressive Conservative party. Holly like many fellow Newfoundlanders would love to return to her hometown to work in her chosen field of tourism. The tourism industry in this area is still in its infancy stages and the right things need to happen in order for the region to realize its full potential. Holly knows she can make things happen in this area in both tourism and fisheries. Holly will be **heard** as your member for the district! Holly would like to put her enthusiasm and strong work ethic to good use for the people of this district.

Experience

- Over eighteen years of experience working in tourism within Newfoundland and Labrador
- Two years working in Real Estate/ Property Consultant in Newfoundland and Labrador
- Entrepreneur, successfully starting her own company, Travel Broker Inc. www.travelbroker.ca
- Graduate of Memorial University's Division of Lifelong Learning
- Nominated for Entrepreneur of the Year by NLOWE (Newfoundland and Labrador Organization of Women Entrepreneurs)
- Proven communication, leadership abilities
- Skilled in planning, organizing and co-coordinating events
- Has written and published articles

Volunteer

- Instructor, Division of Lifelong Learning, Memorial University of Newfoundland
- Board of Directors, Eastern Newfoundland Real Estate Board (ENREB)
- Provincial political party volunteer 2003 election campaign
- Motivational speaker, Memorial Toastmasters
- Volunteer- Native Friendship centre, various initiatives
- Volunteer- ECMA awards show, NATI flat-out conference

Issues to be addressed

After much discussion and meeting with various stakeholders in the communities, I have been informed of the following issues, which I intend to address:

- Employment issues, **create jobs**, through tourism and secondary processing in fish plants, boat building and other initiatives
- Repair and **upgrade roads**, specifically Route 340 considered to be part of the main highway and local roads within the communities
- Home care workers low wages and benefits—**align the wages** with the work expectations
- **Align gas prices** on the islands with the rest of Newfoundland
- Address the issue of **out-migration**, develop a plan to sustain these communities
- Develop tourism as a long standing sustainable resource , **implementing a plan** for the future
- Insure **health concerns** are met through access to adequate facilities
- **Enhancing communities** and community services such as adequate water sources
- **Promote Entrepreneurs** and assist with new project developments, business plans and ideas
- **Eliminate red tape** for new business start-ups
- **Develop new upscale** and unique tourism products to attract niche markets
- **Fishery**- implement a plan to insure the future of a sustainable fishery

Twillingate Island, New World Island, Change Islands , Fogo Island (new proposed name "The Isles of Notre Dame") This new name symbolizes a new way of thinking , that we have to reconnect and unite as one to provide a stronger voice within government.