

PUBLISHED ELECTORATE

Ward	2004	2003	2002	2001*
St Thomas	8286	10378	10219	13153
St Jude	7889	9691	9651	10807
Central Southsea*	9022	10990	11191	11135
Eastney & Craneswater*	8966	10269	10386	11250
Milton	8896	9570	10084	10703
Fratton	9227	10441	10672	10747
Charles Dickens	9255	10621	10517	9577
Baffins	9815	10363	10421	N/a
Nelson	9394	10405	10426	10969
Copnor	9482	10025	9982	11811
Hilsea	9402	10084	10169	12196
Paulsgrove	9222	10150	10139	10550
Cosham	9332	9883	9925	9094
Drayton & Farlington	9701	9876	10048	10214
TOTAL	127889	142746	143830	142206

Note: The published electorate is that based on the annual qualifying date of 15 October.

ELECTORAL REGISTER PREPARATION – CANVASS RESPONSE

*Number of houses responded (% responded)

Ward	2003	2002	2001*	2000*
St Thomas	4598 (68%)	4442 (67%)	4412 (67%)	5784 (67%)
St Jude	4307 (66%)	4178 (63%)	3880 (59%)	4321 (62%)
Central Southsea*	4542 (71%)	4317 (67%)	4493 (71%)	4522 (70%)
Eastney & Craneswater*	4667 (75%)	4373 (70%)	4206 (68%)	5330 (79%)
Milton	4654 (81%)	4556 (79%)	4587 (80%)	4762 (81%)
Fratton	4800 (75%)	4650 (73%)	4412 (70%)	4217 (66%)
Charles Dickens	5006 (71%)	5063 (73%)	4659 (66%)	4126 (65%)
Baffins	4933 (87%)	4775 (84%)	4832 (85%)	N/a
Nelson	4844 (77%)	4728 (76%)	4587 (74%)	5291 (82%)
Copnor	4563 (85%)	4470 (84%)	4548 (85%)	5450 (86%)
Hilsea	4662 (82%)	4473 (79%)	4686 (83%)	5091 (74%)
Paulsgrove	4560 (80%)	4481 (78%)	4586 (80%)	4800 (80%)
Cosham	4634 (86%)	4501 (83%)	4522 (84%)	4029 (82%)
Drayton & Farlington	4792 (92%)	4697 (90%)	4740 (91%)	4849 (91%)
TOTAL	65562 (78%)	63704 (76%)	63150 (75%)	62572 (75%)

Note:

The canvass response has been shown as the number of houses that responded and also as a percentage as this reflects the increase in the number of properties (eg Gunwharf development) .

ELECTION TURNOUT

Ward	2004	2003	2002	2001*
St Thomas	3283	2936	3030	5829
St Jude	2808	2492	2510	4818
Central Southsea*	3560	3101	3707	5590
Eastney & Craneswater*	3573	2919	3206	6262
Milton	3250	3030	3332	6104
Fratton	2689	2113	2774	4900
Charles Dickens	2512	2442	2730	4018
Baffins	3590	3314	3889	N/a
Nelson	2609	2133	2494	5120
Copnor	3002	2360	3078	6876
Hilsea	3059	2862	3085	6225
Paulsgrove	2381	1994	2519	5023
Cosham	3416	2593	3133	5021
Drayton & Farlington	4597	3605	4179	6580
TOTAL	44329	37894	43666	76400

POSTAL VOTES ISSUED

Ward	2004	2003	2002	2001
St Thomas	767	653	431	Portsmouth
St Jude	844	650	376	South
Central Southsea*	642	532	384	2449
Eastney & Craneswater*	775	639	364	
Milton	599	518	300	
Fratton	452	389	278	
Charles Dickens	595	540	274	
Baffins	597	504	390	
Nelson	558	468	396	Portsmouth
Copnor	413	320	275	North
Hilsea	693	571	433	2729
Paulsgrove	621	563	466	
Cosham	868	563	503	
Drayton & Farlington	714	459	337	
TOTAL	9138	7369	5207	5178

Note:

In the case of the 2001 General Election postal votes were issued on a constituency basis, and therefore no individual ward figures are available

POSTAL VOTES

*Figures show number of Postal Votes returned.

Ward	2004	2003	2002	2001*
St Thomas	514	439	285	Portsmouth
St Jude	552	412	221	South
Central Southsea*	424	358	275	1184
Eastney & Craneswater*	549	426	223	
Milton	419	368	212	
Fratton	281	219	177	
Charles Dickens	344	343	254	
Baffins	430	365	183	
Nelson	369	304	246	Portsmouth
Copnor	291	186	182	North
Hilsea	482	343	276	2150
Paulsgrove	402	373	324	
Cosham	601	385	345	
Drayton & Farlington	532	335	240	
TOTAL	6190	4856	3443	4034

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