RESULTS

2023 LFA 26A LOBSTER FISHERY OPENING DATE VOTE

- Ballots counted on **NOVEMBER 9**^{th,} **2023** by **7** scrutineers at the **Farm Centre, Charlottetown**.
- 236 returned questionnaires out of a total of 356 LFA 26A commercial lobster license holders. This equates to an 66.30% return rate. Of the 236 returns, there were 1 spoiled questionnaire.
- 1. Which opening (setting) date would you prefer in the LFA 26A lobster fishery for 2024?
 - o 140 votes for April 30th opening date (60%)
 - o 95 votes for April 26th opening date (40%)
 - o 1 spoiled vote

As noted on the questionnaire, The LFA 26A advisory committee will be moving forward with the recommendation of the April 30th opening date based on the results.

The LFA26A would like to thank all those who submitted their feedback and appreciate their input in this process.