## RESULTS

## 2023 LFA 26A LOBSTER FISHERY OPENING DATE VOTE

- Ballots counted on NOVEMBER $\mathbf{9}^{\text {th }} \mathbf{2 0 2 3}$ by $\mathbf{7}$ 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?

- 140 votes for April $30^{\text {th }}$ opening date ( $60 \%$ )
- 95 votes for April 26th opening date (40\%)
- 1 spoiled vote

As noted on the questionnaire, The LFA 26A advisory committee will be moving forward with the recommendation of the April $30^{\text {th }}$ 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.

