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**SUBJECT: City growth seen in growing voter rolls**

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A good indication of the growth of Hervey Bay's permanent population is the number of people on the city's voting rolls.

Since 1988 an extra 20,719 people have enrolled to vote in the city.

In 1988 there were 13,923 voters and in 2005 there are 34,641 registered voters.

	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>1997</b>	<b>1996</b>	<b>1991</b>	<b>1988</b>
Enrolments	34641	32,755	27,868	25,110	21,795	17,814	13,923
% growth on previous election period	5.75%	17.5%	10.98%	15.2%	22.35%	27.95%	22.25%

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