

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Annfield Plain Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BELL, Christine	Derwentside Independents	666
CARMICHAEL, Douglas George	Labour Party	795
FERNANDEZ, Nicky Reece	The Conservative Party Candidate	227
NICHOLSON, Joan	Derwentside Independents	871 Elected
STEPHENSON, Jeanette Teresa	Labour Party	812 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	2
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	8
E rejected in part	0
Total	10

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5875

Ballot Papers Issued: 1843

Turnout: 31.37%

And I do hereby declare that

Joan Nicholson and Jeanette Teresa Stephenson

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Aycliffe East Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ATKINSON, James	Labour Party	707 Elected
BLINKINSOPP, William Maurice	Independent	498
DUFFY, Christine	The Conservative Party Candidate	347
GRANT, John William	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	254
HAIGH, Brian		179
HANKS, Helen Louise	The Green Party Candidate	84
IVESON, Sarah Jane	Labour Party	670 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	2
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	5
E rejected in part	0
Total	7

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6332

Ballot Papers Issued: 1643

Turnout: 25.95%

And I do hereby declare that

James Atkinson and Sarah Jane Iveson

are duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of County Councillors for

Aycliffe North and Middridge Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BOWMAN, Dorothy	Independent	573
CLARE, John Duncan	Labour Party	863 Elected
DIXON, Edward Michael	Labour Party	675
DURHAM, Scott William	The Conservative Party Candidate	868 Elected
GRAY, Joan	Labour Party	754
HAIGH, Sandra		187
HEWITSON, Irene	Independent	279
HOWELL, Paul	The Conservative Party Candidate	846 Elected
SYMONS, Paul	Independent	213
SYMONS, Sally Annmarie	Independent	151

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	13
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	9
E rejected in part	0
Total	22

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 8044

Ballot Papers Issued: 2216

Turnout: 27.5%

And I do hereby declare that

Scott William Durham, John Duncan Clare and Paul Howell

are duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of County Councillors for

Aycliffe West Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ADAM, Edward Montgomery	Labour Party	570 Elected
CHANDRAN, Arun Mohan	Independent	276
GRAY, George Coulson	Independent	416
HOPPER, Catherine Mary	Labour Party	519 Elected
ROBSON, Kenneth	Independent	437
SWAN, Marney Jane	The Conservative Party Candidate	229

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	4
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
E rejected in part	0
Total	7

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5509

Ballot Papers Issued: 1413

Turnout: 25.64%

And I do hereby declare that

Edward Montgomery Adam and Catherine Mary Hopper

are duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of County Councillors for

Barnard Castle East Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
KELSEY, Christopher Mark	Labour Party	644
RICHARDSON, George Morland	Conservative Party Candidate	1292 Elected
ROBINSON, Thomas Julian		478
ROWELL, Emma Louise	Labour Party	752
ROWLANDSON, James Michael	Conservative Party Candidate	1389 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	12
E rejected in part	0
Total	13

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6657

Ballot Papers Issued: 2483

Turnout: 37.3

And I do hereby declare that

George Morland Richardson and James Michael Rowlandson

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 05 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

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## Election of County Councillors for

Barnard Castle West Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BELL, Richard Andrew	Conservative Party Candidate	1837 Elected
HENDERSON, Edward	Conservative Party Candidate	1576 Elected
ROCHE, Francis William	Labour Party	616
SMITH, George	Labour Party	483

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	11
E rejected in part	0
Total	12

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6437

Ballot Papers Issued: 2435

Turnout: 37.8%

And I do hereby declare that

Richard Andrew Bell and Edward Henderson

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 05 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of County Councillors for

Belmont Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BEWICK, Liam John	Conservative and Unionist Party	841
CORRIGAN, Katie Marie	Labour and Co-operative Party	1497 Elected
FINLEY, Paul Thomas	Labour and Co-operative Party	1292
KELSEY, Ian	Independent	385
MAVIN, Eric Stuart	Liberal Democrat	1604 Elected
MAVIN, Lesley	Liberal Democrat	1472 Elected
MCADAM, Roger Michael	The Green Party Candidate	342
TURNER, Christopher Dunstan	Labour and Co-operative Party	1111
WALKER, Arthur Clifford	Independent	720
WHITE, Stephen Charles	Liberal Democrat	1149

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	8
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	6
E rejected in part	0
Total	14

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 10288

Ballot Papers Issued: 3873

Turnout: 37.6%

And I do hereby declare that

Eric Stuart Mavin, Kate Marie Corrigan and Lesley Mavin

are duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of County Councillors for

Benfieldside Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ENGLISH, Claire Nicole	Liberal Democrats	245
ENGLISH, Natalie Helen	Liberal Democrats	191
KINCH, David	The Conservative Party Candidate	341
OLIVER, Peter	Derwentside Independents	1023 Elected
PEAK, Sylvia Rae	Labour Party	567
ROBINSON, Stephen	Derwentside Independents	1161 Elected
WOOD, Steven John	Labour Party	632

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
E rejected in part	0
Total	3

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6418

Ballot Papers Issued: 2266

Turnout: 35.31%

And I do hereby declare that

Stephen Robinson and Peter Oliver

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of County Councillors for

Bishop Auckland Town Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ALLEN, Joy	Labour Party	640 Elected
BAINBRIDGE, Aaron Joshua	The Conservative Party Candidate	498
BRYSON, Nigel	Labour Party	483
CHILD, Patricia Ann	The Conservative Party Candidate	387
DAVISON, Daniel Christopher	The Green Party Candidate	164
NEILSON, William	Independent	283
ZAIR, Lesley Gwyneth	Independent	419
ZAIR, Samuel	Independent	692 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	11
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	4
E rejected in part	0
Total	15

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5999

Ballot Papers Issued: 1915

Turnout: 31.92%

And I do hereby declare that

Samuel Zair and Joy Allen

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 05 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of a County Councillor for

Bishop Middleham and Cornforth Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BRETT, Deane Michelle	Independent	209
CRATHORNE, Pauline	Labour Party	351 Elected
EVANS, David Barry	The Conservative Party Candidate	212

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	6
E rejected in part	0
Total	7

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 2876

Ballot Papers Issued: 779

Turnout: 27.1%

And I do hereby declare that

Pauline Crathorne

is duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of County Councillors for

Blackhalls Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
CRUTE, Robert	Labour Party	1115 Elected
EATON, Thomas George	The Conservative Party Candidate	412
FRANKLIN, Steven Patrick	The North East Party	259
POUNDER, Lynn	Labour Party	1041 Elected
ROBINSON, Jamie Michael Stuart	The North East Party	240

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	2
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	4
E rejected in part	0
Total	6

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6176

Ballot Papers Issued: 1742

Turnout: 28.2%

And I do hereby declare that

Robert Crute and Lynn Pounder

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of County Councillors for

Brandon Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BOOTH, Valerie Anne	The Conservative Party Candidate	464
JACKSON, Denis Edwin	Liberal Democrat	368
TAYLOR, Paul	Labour Party	1339 Elected
TURNBULL, John Alexander	Labour Party	1331 Elected
WILSON, Laura Helen	Liberal Democrat	417

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
E rejected in part	0
Total	4

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 7424

Ballot Papers Issued: 2175

Turnout: 29.3%

And I do hereby declare that

Paul Taylor and John Alexander Turnbull

are duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of County Councillors for

Burnopfield and Dipton Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
CARR, Joanne	Labour Party	698 Elected
HEMSLEY, Roland	Independent	508
JEWELL, Ivan	Labour Party	844 Elected
MARRS, David	Derwentside Independents	478
MINTO, Elizabeth	Derwentside Independents	416
SANDELLS, Melody Jane	Green Party	225
WILSON, Ivy	The Conservative Party Candidate	359

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	1
E rejected in part	0
Total	1

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6204

Ballot Papers Issued: 2022

Turnout: 32.6%

And I do hereby declare that

Ivan Jewell and Joanne Carr

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of a County Councillor for

Chester-le-Street East Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BAINBRIDGE, Beatrice	The Conservative Party Candidate	394 Elected
EVANS, Paul Leslie	Independent	175
HASWELL, Russell Amor	Liberal Democrat	43
MAY, Maureen Diana	Independent	71
MORSE, Derek Anthony	The Green Party Candidate	181
MULLIGAN, Simeon Peter	Labour Party	289
RENDLE, Stephen	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	59

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	1
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	1
E rejected in part	0
Total	2

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 3010

Ballot Papers Issued: 1214

Turnout: 40.3%

And I do hereby declare that

Beatrice Bainbridge

is duly elected.

Dated: Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of a County Councillor for

Chester-le-Street North Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
MIDDLEMASS, William Neil	The Conservative Party Candidate	222
NATHAN, Philip Bernard	Liberal Democrat	84
SMITH, Tracie Jane	Labour Party	678 Elected
TODD, Clare Helen	Independent	270

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	0
E rejected in part	0
Total	0

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 3044

Ballot Papers Issued: 1254

Turnout: 41.2%

And I do hereby declare that

Tracie Jane Smith

is duly elected.

Dated: Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

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## Election of County Councillors for

Chester-le-Street South Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BAINBRIDGE, Allan	The Conservative Party Candidate	766 Elected
DAVIDSON, George Keith	Labour Party	762
HENIG, Katherine Helen	Labour Party	718
MAYNE, Daniel James Campbell	The Conservative Party Candidate	637
MOIST, David William	Independent	751
PEACOCK, Michael Keith	Liberal Democrats	185
SCANLON-BROWN, Liam Ross	Liberal Democrats	233
SEXTON, Paul Stephen	Independent	789 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	1
E rejected in part	0
Total	2

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5962

Ballot Papers Issued: 2551

Turnout: 42.79%

And I do hereby declare that

Paul Stephen Sexton and Allan Bainbridge

are duly elected.

Dated: Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Chester-le-Street West Central Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ATKINSON, Mark Andrew	Independent	611
GOSSAGE, Michael John	The Conservative Party Candidate	289
HENIG, Simon Antony	Labour Party	854 Elected
MARSHALL, Ewan Charles	Independent	454
MARSHALL, Linda	Labour Party	749 Elected
THORP, Graham Roy	Standing Up For North East England	369

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	2
E rejected in part	0
Total	2

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5907

Ballot Papers Issued: 1872

Turnout: 31.7%

And I do hereby declare that

Simon Antony Henig and Linda Marshall

are duly elected.

Dated: Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of a County Councillor for

Chilton Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
POTTS, Christine	Labour Party	622 Elected
SANDLES, John	The Conservative Party Candidate	291

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	2
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	8
E rejected in part	0
Total	10

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 3174

Ballot Papers Issued: 923

Turnout: 29.08%

And I do hereby declare that

Christine Potts

is duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of County Councillors for

Consett North Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BEATY, Alan Munro	The Conservative Party Candidate	175
BROWN, Wendy Jane	Derwentside Independents	226
EARLEY, Kevin	Labour Party	557
ECKFORD, Benjamin	Labour Party	345
NEALIS, Margaret	Liberal Democrats	570
TEMPLE, Owen Leighton	Liberal Democrats	1089 Elected
WATSON, Alexander	Independent	913 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	0
E rejected in part	0
Total	0

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5903

Ballot Papers Issued: 2161

Turnout: 36.6%

And I do hereby declare that

Owen Leighton Temple and Alexander Watson

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of a County Councillor for

Consett South Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
GOODSON, Raymond Frederick	The Conservative Party Candidate	115
HICKS, Derek	Derwentside Independents	395 Elected
SIMONS, Jack Owen	Labour Party	267

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	1
E rejected in part	0
Total	1

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 3166

Ballot Papers Issued: 779

Turnout: 24.6%

And I do hereby declare that

Derek Hicks

is duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of a County Councillor for

Coundon Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
KAY, Charles Edmund	Labour Party	489 Elected
WATSON, Mark Anthony	The Conservative Party Candidate	146
ZAIR, Adam Julio	Independent	175

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	0
E rejected in part	2
Total	2

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 3145

Ballot Papers Issued: 812

Turnout: 25.8%

And I do hereby declare that

Charles Edmund Kay

is duly elected.

Dated Friday 05 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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## Election of County Councillors for

Coxhoe Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BLAKEY, Janet		1325 Elected
DUNN, John Stuart	Labour Party	1220 Elected
MCKEON, Maura Christina	Labour Party	1160 Elected
MURPHY, Anne	The Conservative Party Candidate	757
PLEWS, Maria Leina	Labour Party	1123
SHUTTLEWORTH, Andrew	Liberal Democrat	545
WALKER, Adam Joseph	Liberal Democrat	322

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	8
E rejected in part	0
Total	9

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 9561

Ballot Papers Issued: 2861

Turnout: 29.9%

And I do hereby declare that

Janet Blakey, John Stuart Dunn and Maura Christine McKeon

are duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

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Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Craghead and South Moor Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
COLTMAN, Gregory Stephen Daniel	Liberal Democrats	60
DAVINSON, Mark	Labour Party	874 Elected
HAMPSON, Carole Ann	Labour Party	831 Elected
ROLLINGS, Kenneth Richard	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	221
SEARGEANT, Patrick John Miles	The Conservative Party Candidate	190
SMITH, Katy	Derwentside Independents	374
WHITWORTH, Graeme Edward	Derwentside Independents	205
WILLIAMS, Martin	Liberal Democrats	60

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	7
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	1
E rejected in part	0
Total	8

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5425

Ballot Papers Issued: 1563

Turnout: 28.81%

And I do hereby declare that

Mark Davinson and Carole Ann Hampson

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Crook Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
COHEN, Daniel Benjamin	The Conservative Party Candidate	776
ENGLISH, David	Liberal Democrats	512
HUDSPITH, Andrea Jean	Labour Party	913 Elected
JOPLING, Patricia Ann	Independent	1022 Elected
REED, Anne	Independent	1239 Elected
STANTON, Maureen Blanche	Labour Party	667
TOMLINSON, Edward Warner	Labour Party	893

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	2
E rejected in part	0
Total	3

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 9141

Ballot Papers Issued: 2556

Turnout: 27.96%

And I do hereby declare that

Anne Reed, Patricia Ann Jopling and Andrea Jean Hudspith

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Dawdon Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ARTHUR, Robert	Seaham Community Party	710
BRACE, Kathryn	Seaham Community Party	520
COOPER, Ben Thomas	The Conservative Party Candidate	209
KENNEDY, Leanne	Labour Party	812 Elected
REAY, Robert James	Green Party	117
SHAW, Kevin Joseph	Labour Party	886 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	9
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	6
E rejected in part	0
Total	15

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6147

Ballot Papers Issued: 1763

Turnout: 28.68%

And I do hereby declare that

Kevin Joseph Shaw and Leanne Kennedy

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Deerness Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BELL, David	Labour Party	1502 Elected
CHAPLOW, Jean Kathleen	Labour Party	1533 Elected
GILMORE, Jack Patrick	The Conservative Party Candidate	644
KASCH, Nicholas	Green Party	295
KELLEY, John Joseph	Liberal Democrat	529
SIMPSON, Edwin Herbert	Liberal Democrat	426
SIMPSON, Florence Diana	Liberal Democrat	429
WILSON, Janice	The Green Party	461
WILSON, Marion	Labour Party	1340 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	16
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	17
E rejected in part	0
Total	33

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 9220

Ballot Papers Issued: 2893

Turnout: 31.3%

And I do hereby declare that

Jean Kathleen Chaplow, David Bell and Marion Wilson

are duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Delves Lane Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BROWN, Jane	Labour Party	776 Elected
CLARKE, Malcolm Andrew	Labour Party	798 Elected
MCKAY, George James Robert	Derwentside Independents	672
SMITH, Wendy Frances	The Conservative Party Candidate	464

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
E rejected in part	0
Total	4

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6332

Ballot Papers Issued: 1165

Turnout: 26.3%

And I do hereby declare that

Malcolm Andrew Clarke and Jane Brown

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Deneside Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BELL, Edward	Labour Party	777 Elected
BELL, Jennifer Ann	Labour Party	716 Elected
DUFFY, Terence	The North East Party	62
GILBRAITH, Arron	The North East Party	128
JACKSON, George Edward	The Conservative Party Candidate	172
MURDEN, Katie	Seaham Community Party	432
TAYLOR, Barry	Seaham Community Party	462

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	6
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	6
E rejected in part	0
Total	12

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5505

Ballot Papers Issued: 1468

Turnout: 26.67%

And I do hereby declare that

Edward Bell and Jennifer Ann Bell

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of a County Councillor for

Durham South Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
LAWRIE, Richard Marshall Alexander Robert	The Conservative Party Candidate	178
OLECHNOWICZ, Andrzej Jan	Labour Party	225
STOKER, David	Liberal Democrat	351 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	2
E rejected in part	0
Total	2

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 1747

Ballot Papers Issued: 756

Turnout: 43.27%

And I do hereby declare that

David Stoker

is duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Easington Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BOYES, David John	Labour Party	835 Elected
HOLT, Christine Susan	The Conservative Party Candidate	303
MURRAY, Terrence	Independent	392
SURTEES, Angela	Labour Party	885 Elected
WATSON, Andrew	The North East Party	231

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
E rejected in part	0
Total	3

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5567

Ballot Papers Issued: 1473

Turnout: 26.5%

And I do hereby declare that

Angela Surtees and David John Boyes

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Elvet and Gilesgate Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BOETTCHER, Maureen St Clare	Labour Party	335
FREEMAN, David Robert	Liberal Democrat	905 Elected
GLAISTER, Benjamin James	The Conservative Party Candidate	141
ORMEROD, Richard Daniel	Liberal Democrat	923 Elected
PENSTON RAJA, James Benjamin	Green Party	149
SALISBURY, Francis Stephen	Labour Party	284
WYNNE, Patricia	The Conservative Party Candidate	133

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	4
E rejected in part	0
Total	4

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 4825

Ballot Papers Issued: 1468

Turnout: 30.42%

And I do hereby declare that

Richard Daniel Ormerod and David Robert Freeman

are duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Esh and Witton Gilbert Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ARMSTRONG, Barbara	Labour Party	659
ARMSTRONG, Joseph	Labour Party	644
MCGAUN, Michael	Liberal Democrat	1231 Elected
SIMPSON, Arnold	Liberal Democrat	1320 Elected
WHITTAKER, Kathryn	The Conservative Party Candidate	402

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	2
E rejected in part	0
Total	3

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6280

Ballot Papers Issued: 2315

Turnout: 36.86%

And I do hereby declare that

Michael McGaun and Arnold Simpson

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Evenwood Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BREEZE, Alan John	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	293
BROADBENT, Heather Lesley	Labour Party	847 Elected
COSSLETT, James Langford	Conservative Party Candidate	657
HUGILL, Anthony Stephen	Conservative Party Candidate	775 Elected
TURNER, Andrew Hunter	Labour Party	668

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	8
E rejected in part	0
Total	9

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6296

Ballot Papers Issued: 1849

Turnout: 29.37%

And I do hereby declare that

Heather Lesley Broadbent and Anthony Stephen Hugill

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Ferryhill Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ATKINSON, Carole	Labour Party	722
ATKINSON, Peter Bernard	Labour Party	806 Elected
AVERY, Brian Francis	Independent	1127 Elected
FARRY, David	Independent	740
HUTLEY, Douglas Neill	The Conservative Party Candidate	367
LINDSAY, John	Labour Party	731
MAKEPEACE, Joseph		834 Elected
WAYMAN, Laura Leigh	Independent	731

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	7
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	7
E rejected in part	0
Total	14

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 8093

Ballot Papers Issued: 2397

Turnout: 29.62%

And I do hereby declare that

Brian Francis Avery, Joseph Makepeace and Peter Bernard Atkinson

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Framwellgate and Newton Hall Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BONNER, Anne	Labour Party	768
BROMLEY, Elizabeth Helen Claire	Green Party	271
GALLAND, Clare Amy	Green Party	214
GILL, David Brian	Labour Party	892
HASSEN, Rim	Green Party	212
HEATH, Philip James	The Conservative Party Candidate	658
HOPGOOD, Amanda Jayne	Liberal Democrat	2491 Elected
MORGAN, Joshua Lewis	The Conservative Party Candidate	695
NELSON, Susan	Labour Party	687
SIMMONS, Frances Mamie	Liberal Democrat	2286 Elected
WILKES, Mark Ashley	Liberal Democrat	2459 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	11
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	8
E rejected in part	0
Total	19

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 10394

Ballot Papers Issued: 4202

Turnout: 40.4%

And I do hereby declare that

Amanda Jayne Hopgood, Mark Ashley Wilkes and Frances Mamie Simmons

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 05 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Horden Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
CARTWRIGHT, Mary Alison	Standing Up For North East England	461
CLARK, June	Labour Party	673 Elected
CURRIE, Kathleen Joan Margaret	The Conservative Party Candidate	87
HAWLEY, David	The North East Party	265
LANGAN, Douglas		242
MADDISON, John Paul	Independent	381
MCLEAN, Ian	Labour Party	748 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	4
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	5
E rejected in part	0
Total	9

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5688

Ballot Papers Issued: 1553

Turnout: 27.3%

And I do hereby declare that

June Clark and Ian McLean

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Lanchester Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
COAD, Richard Louis	The Conservative Party Candidate	522
CONSIDINE, Judith	Labour Party	652 Elected
ENGLISH, Keith	Liberal Democrats	242
INGHAM, John Gordon	Derwentside Independents	567
JOHNSON, Oswald	Labour Party	937 Elected
LINDSAY, David Alexander Stephen		203
ROLFE, David Agutter	Liberal Democrats	161
YOUNG, Richard	Derwentside Independents	642

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	6
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	2
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	5
E rejected in part	0
Total	13

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5969

Ballot Papers Issued: 2203

Turnout: 36.9%

And I do hereby declare that

Oswald Johnson and Judith Considine

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Leadgate and Medomsley Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
CARR, Liam	Labour Party	732
SHIELD, Alan	Derwentside Independents	1275 Elected
STELLING, Watts	Derwentside Independents	1426 Elected
SUMMERSON, Donna Marie	Labour Party	597
TAFFURELLI, Gaynor-Anne	The Conservative Party Candidate	331

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
E rejected in part	0
Total	3

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6693

Ballot Papers Issued: 2432

Turnout: 36.34%

And I do hereby declare that

Alan Shield and Watts Stelling

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Lumley Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ANDERS, Lauren	Labour Party	396
BELL, Alan	Independent	1079 Elected
FIELDER, Graham	The Conservative Party Candidate	339
LAVERY, Anna Marie	Labour Party	523
THOMPSON, David	Independent	510
WILLIS, Audrey	Independent	824 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	5
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	7
E rejected in part	0
Total	12

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5667

Ballot Papers Issued: 2057

Turnout: 36.3%

And I do hereby declare that

Alan Bell and Audrey Willis

are duly elected.

Dated: Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Murton Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BROWN, Brian	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	370
LEWIS, Oliver George William	The Conservative Party Candidate	196
MAITLAND, Joyce	Labour Party	836 Elected
NAPIER, Alan	Labour Party	983 Elected
ROBSON, Stephen George	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	320
YOUNG, Thomas Philip	Independent	604

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	1
E rejected in part	0
Total	2

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5892

Ballot Papers Issued: 1843

Turnout: 31.28%

And I do hereby declare that

Alan Napier and Joyce Maitland

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Nevilles Cross Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ASHFIELD, Stephen James	Independent	158
BROWN, Elizabeth Anne	Liberal Democrat	1192 Elected
EDWARDS, Owen Christopher	Labour Party	274
ELMER, Jonathan	Green Party lead candidate	948
HALFORD, William Peter Rowles	The Conservative Party Candidate	347
MATUSZEWSKI, Maciej Tadeusz	Labour Party	272
SCOTT, Elizabeth Elton	Liberal Democrat	1056 Elected
SMITH, Michael Drummond Moverley	The Conservative Party Candidate	309
THIN, Sarah	Green Party	724

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	0
E rejected in part	2
Total	2

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6634

Ballot Papers Issued: 2710

Turnout: 40.85%

And I do hereby declare that

Elizabeth Anne Brown and Elizabeth Elton Scott

are duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of a County Councillor for

North Lodge Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
CAHILL, Saul Josef	Labour Party	110
MARTIN, Craig	Liberal Democrats	743 Elected
MAY, Peter Howard	Independent	464
MIDDLETON, John Christopher	The Conservative Party Candidate	104

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	2
E rejected in part	0
Total	3

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 2782

Ballot Papers Issued: 1425

Turnout: 51.2%

And I do hereby declare that

Craig Martin

is duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of a County Councillor for

Passfield Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
DUFFY, Isaac James	The Conservative Party Candidate	157
HAWLEY, Karen	The North East Party	337 Elected
MASLIN, Joan	Independent	296
WILSON, Barry Spoors	Labour Party	201

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	2
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	1
E rejected in part	0
Total	3

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 3500

Ballot Papers Issued: 994

Turnout: 28.4%

And I do hereby declare that

Karen Hawley

is duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Pelton Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BATEY, Alison Joan	Labour Party	1846 Elected
BOTTERILL, Michael James	The Conservative Party Candidate	1000
CARR, Colin	Labour Party	1431 Elected
REDFERN, Callum Robert	UK Independence Party	681
REVETT, David Francis	Green Party	530
WOOD, Daniel Geoffrey	Labour Party	1371 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	2
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	2
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	0
E rejected in part	0
Total	4

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 10031

Ballot Papers Issued: 2948

Turnout: 29.39%

And I do hereby declare that

Alison Joan Batey, Colin Carr and Daniel Geoffrey Wood

are duly elected.

Dated: Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Peterlee East Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BAYLISS, Jonathan Edward	The Conservative Party Candidate	129
BENNETT, Henry	Labour Party	568 Elected
COOK, Lee	The North East Party	547
LAING, Audrey Ellen	Labour Party	586 Elected
WATSON, Victoria Mary	The North East Party	531

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	2
E rejected in part	0
Total	3

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5461

Ballot Papers Issued: 1273

Turnout: 23.31%

And I do hereby declare that

Henry Bennett and Audrey Ellen Laing

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Peterlee West Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ALVEY, James	Labour Party	623
ALVEY, Lisa Ann	Labour Party	549
LEE, Aaron Travis	The Conservative Party Candidate	211
LIDDELL, Karon	The North East Party	635 Elected
MCDONNELL, Susan	Standing Up For North East England	736 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	4
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	7
E rejected in part	0
Total	11

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6230

Ballot Papers Issued: 1494

Turnout: 23.98%

And I do hereby declare that

Susan McDonnell and Karon Liddell

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Sacrison Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
HYNDS, Graeme	The Conservative Party Candidate	403
LIDDLE, Heather Sara	Labour Party	1013 Elected
TOMS, Michael Trevor	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	394
WILSON, Simon Joseph	Labour Party	952 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	2
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	1
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	5
E rejected in part	0
Total	8

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5515

Ballot Papers Issued: 1652

Turnout: 30%

And I do hereby declare that

Heather Sara Liddle and Simon Joseph Wilson

are duly elected.

Dated: Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Seaham Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BLEASDALE, Geraldine	Labour Party	634 Elected
DIXON, Derick	The Conservative Party Candidate	468
HEPWORTH, Graeme Neville	Seaham Community Party	471
MORRISON, Susan	Labour Party	604 Elected
REAY, Helen Milburn	Green Party	94
REID, Margaret	The Conservative Party Candidate	402
REMMER, Adam Stephen	Seaham Community Party	438

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	5
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
E rejected in part	0
Total	8

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5394

Ballot Papers Issued: 1625

Turnout: 30.13%

And I do hereby declare that

Geraldine Bleasdale and Susan Morrison

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of Councillors for

Sedgefield Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BELL, Alan	Liberal Democrat	193
BROWN, David Ralph	The Conservative Party Candidate	817 Elected
CARR, Melvyn Maurice	Independent	479
GASSTON, John Harold	The Conservative Party Candidate	293
ILLINGWORTH, Timothy Mark	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	144
LUMSDON, Rachel	Labour Party	733
MOORE, Christine	Independent	119
ROBINSON, John	Labour Party	800 Elected
SEYMOUR, James Allan	Independent	168
WILLS, Gloria	Independent	301

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	0
E rejected in part	0
Total	1

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6235

Ballot Papers Issued: 2174

Turnout: 28.6%

And I do hereby declare that

David Ralph Brown and John Robinson

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Sherburn Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
HALL, David Marshall	Labour Party	1131 Elected
HOPGOOD, Ellie Jayne	Liberal Democrat	452
KELLETT, William	Labour Party	1056 Elected
TAFFURELLI, Raymond William	The Conservative Party Candidate	523
TIBBS, Andrew Neil	Liberal Democrat	366

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	5
E rejected in part	0
Total	5

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6642

Ballot Papers Issued: 1989

Turnout: 29.9%

And I do hereby declare that

David Marshall Hall and William Kellet

are duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Shildon and Dene Valley Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BRIGSTOCK, John Dennis	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	468
COCKFIELD, Leonard Edward	Liberal Democrats	625
GILBERTSON, Mary Elizabeth	The Conservative Party Candidate	587
HUNTINGTON, James Garry	Liberal Democrat	817
INGLEDEW, Robert	Independent	814
NICHOLSON, Henry	Labour Party	1172 Elected
QUINN, Shirley	Labour Party	1023 Elected
STEPHENS, Brian	Labour Party	1129 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	3
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
E rejected in part	0
Total	6

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 9471

Ballot Papers Issued: 2728

Turnout: 28.8%

And I do hereby declare that

Henry Nicholson, Shirley Quinn and Brian Stephens

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Shotton and South Hetton Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
COCHRANE, Ivan	Independent	808 Elected
HOOD, Christopher Ross	Independent	617
HUNTINGTON, Eunice	Labour Party	738 Elected
LINCOLN, Victoria Rupa Sadie	The Conservative Party Candidate	268
LIVERSIDGE, Alan	Labour Party	695
ROUND, Christian Emmanuel	Liberal Democrat	103

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	3
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	6
E rejected in part	0
Total	9

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6654

Ballot Papers Issued: 1777

Turnout: 26.71%

And I do hereby declare that

Ivan Cochrane and Eunice Huntington

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Spennymoor Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BOOTH, Alan	The Conservative Party Candidate	362
CALDER, Rebecca Elizabeth	Liberal Democrat	579
CHILD, Richard	The Conservative Party Candidate	332
DARKES, Geoffrey William	Spennymoor Independents People Before Politics	938 Elected
GELDARD, Ian	Labour Party	745
GRIFFITHS, Kathleen Elizabeth	Labour Party	517
HARGRAVE, James Arthur	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	258
JONES, Steven Alan	Labour Party	642
MADDISON, Elizabeth	Spennymoor Independents People Before Politics	894 Elected
MOLLOY, Peter Michael	Independent	601
ORD, Benjamin May	Liberal Democrat	824
QUINN, Mark James	Green Party	130
RANYARD, Dean	Liberal Democrat	517
THOMPSON, Kevin	Spennymoor Independents People Before Politics	1140 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	29
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	5
E rejected in part	0
Total	34

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 8646

Ballot Papers Issued: 3126

Turnout: 36.16%

And I do hereby declare that

Kevin Thompson, Geoffrey William Darkes and Elizabeth Maddison

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Stanley Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BOYD, Lyn	Labour Party	919 Elected
MARSHALL, Carl	Labour Party	924 Elected
MCCALLUM, Gary	The Conservative Party Candidate	250
WALKER, David	Derwentside Independents	496
WILKINSON, Mary Patricia	Derwentside Independents	437

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	2
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	5
E rejected in part	1
Total	8

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6314

Ballot Papers Issued: 1670

Turnout: 26.45%

And I do hereby declare that

Lyn Boyd and Carl Marshall

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Tanfield Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BINNEY, Gordon	Labour Party	800
CHARLTON, Joyce	Derwentside Independents	929 Elected
FOSTER, Kevin	The Conservative Party Candidate	274
MILBURN, Olga	Labour Party	839 Elected
THOMPSON, Colin	Derwentside Independents	766
WRIGHT, Julia Alexandra	Liberal Democrat	94

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	3
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	2
E rejected in part	0
Total	5

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6566

Ballot Papers Issued: 1996

Turnout: 30.39%

And I do hereby declare that

Joyce Charlton and Olga Milburn

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of a County Councillor for

Tow Law Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BAILEY, John	Independent	300
DIXON, Andrew John	The Conservative Party Candidate	195
MANCHESTER, Richard James	Labour Party	433 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
E rejected in part	0
Total	3

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 3352

Ballot Papers Issued: 931

Turnout: 27.8%

And I do hereby declare that

Richard James Manchester

is duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Trimdon and Thornley Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BROOKES, Peter	Labour Party	1413 Elected
GRAHAM, Ilsa	The Conservative Party Candidate	546
HOVVELS, Lucy	Labour Party	1433 Elected
JONES, Martin Thomas Brian	Liberal Democrat	295
NICHOLLS, Morris	Labour Party	1392 Elected
TAYLOR-SHOLL, Clive	United Kingdom Independence Party	582
TEMPLE, Elizabeth	Liberal Democrat	231

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	3
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	1
E rejected in part	0
Total	4

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 9753

Ballot Papers Issued: 2437

Turnout: 25%

And I do hereby declare that

Lucy Hovvells, Peter Brookes and Morris Nicholls

are duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Tudhoe Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
FOSTER, Neil Crowther	Labour Party	624
GARDNER, Alan	Spennymoor Independents People Before Politics	775 Elected
GRAHAM, Barbara	Labour Party	654
GRAYSON, Neil Houston	Spennymoor Independents People Before Politics	802 Elected
MCALOON, William Owen		635
RAPER, Linda	The Conservative Party Candidate	367

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	8
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	10
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	0
E rejected in part	0
Total	18

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6436

Ballot Papers Issued: 2166

Turnout: 33.65%

And I do hereby declare that

Neil Houston Grayson and Alan Gardner

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Weardale Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
GEORGE, Robert James	Labour Party	509
GILBERTSON, Peter	The Conservative Party Candidate	495
MYERS, Alan Christopher	Labour Party	358
SAVORY, Mary Anita	Independent	1717 Elected
SHUTTLEWORTH, John	Independent	1899 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	3
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
E rejected in part	0
Total	6

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6544

Ballot Papers Issued: 2982

Turnout: 45.57%

And I do hereby declare that

John Shuttleworth and Mary Anita Savory

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

West Auckland Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
HARRIS, Lee-James	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	239
ROBERTS, Mark Robert Idwal	The Conservative Party Candidate	585
THOMPSON, Victor	The Conservative Party Candidate	359
TIGHE, Alexander William	Independent	254
WILSON, Christine	Labour Party	759 Elected
YORKE, Robert John	Labour Party	808 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	2
E rejected in part	0
Total	3

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6481

Ballot Papers Issued: 1636

Turnout: 25.2%

And I do hereby declare that

Robert John Yorke and Christine Wilson

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Willington and Hunwick Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
GUNN, Olwyn Elizabeth	Labour Party	1069 Elected
HANNAR, Helen Louise	The Conservative Party Candidate	629
RICHARDSON, Samuel Jon	Liberal Democrat	318
TINSLEY, Fraser Paul	Labour Party	1086 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	3
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	6
E rejected in part	0
Total	9

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6834

Ballot Papers Issued: 1855

Turnout: 27.14%

And I do hereby declare that

Fraser Paul Tinsley and Olwyn Elizabeth Gunn

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of a County Councillor for

Wingate Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
LORD, Cameron Stuart	Liberal Democrat	21
MILES, Stephen Joseph	The North East Party	78
PIKE, Greta Winifred	The Conservative Party Candidate	107
TAYLOR, Robert	Labour Party	577 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	1
E rejected in part	0
Total	1

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 3009

Ballot Papers Issued: 784

Turnout: 26%

And I do hereby declare that

Robert Taylor

is duly elected.

Dated 5 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of County Councillors for

Woodhouse Close Division  
on Thursday 4 May 2017

I, Terry Collins, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
LETHBRIDGE, John	Labour Party	765 Elected
RACE, Colin	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	306
THOMPSON, Nichola Suzanne	The Conservative Party Candidate	396
TUCKER, Tanya	Labour Party	594 Elected

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	2
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	12
E rejected in part	0
Total	14

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6229

Ballot Papers Issued: 1301

Turnout: 20.89%

And I do hereby declare that

John Lethbridge and Tanya Tucker

are duly elected.

Dated Friday 05 May 2017

Terry Collins  
Returning Officer