

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

## Durham County Council

### Great Aycliffe Neighbourhood Planning Referendum

I David Collingwood, being the Deputy Counting Officer at the above referendum held on Thursday 22 June 2017, do hereby give notice that the results of the votes cast is as follows:

<b>Question</b>		
<b>Do you want Durham County Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Great Aycliffe to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?</b>		
	<b>Votes Recorded</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Number cast in favour of a <b>Yes</b>	2540	91.2
Number cast in favour of a <b>No</b>	244	8.8

<b>The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:</b>	<b>Number of ballot papers</b>
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more answers than required	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	1
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
E rejected in part	0
Total	5

Electorate: 20015

Ballot Papers Issued: 2789

Turnout: 13.9%

And I do hereby declare that more than half of those voting have voted **in favour of** the Neighbourhood Plan.

Dated Friday 23 June 2017

David Collingwood  
Deputy Counting Officer