

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

## Durham County Council

### Durham City Neighbourhood Planning Referendum

I John Hewitt, being the Counting Officer at the above referendum held on Thursday 6 May 2021, 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 Durham City 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>	4306	85.6%
Number cast in favour of a <b>No</b>	494	9.8%

<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	11
C	writing or mark by which voter could be identified	1
D	being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	218
E	rejected in part	0
Total		230

Electorate: 13077

Ballot Papers Issued: 5030

Turnout 38.46%

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

Dated Sunday 9 May 2021

John Hewitt  
Counting Officer