

## Declaration of Results

This report is the Declaration of Results script for Returning Officer.

**Contest Name**

Ward 5 Govan

I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 5 Govan. There are 4 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 20,026 and the number of ballot papers received was 6,689 giving a percentage turnout of 33.4%. There were 233 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 1,292.

The number of first preference votes for each of the candidates was:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
Imran ALAM	Glasgow Labour	1,272
Ricky BELL	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,181
William BONNAR	Scottish Socialist Party - People Not Profit	95
Stephen DORNAN	Scottish National Party (SNP)	794
Uche Gladys EMORDI	Alba Party for independence	132
Funmi FAJEMISEYE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	498
John FLANAGAN		124
Ruth S HALL	Glasgow Labour	644
Dan HUTCHISON	Elect a Scottish Green Councillor	975
Neil O'DOCHERTY	Scottish Liberal Democrats	97
Mamun RASHID	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	644
Total		6,456

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Ward 5 Govan:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Imran ALAM	Glasgow Labour	3
Ricky BELL	Scottish National Party (SNP)	7
Stephen DORNAN	Scottish National Party (SNP)	10
Dan HUTCHISON	Elect a Scottish Green Councillor	10

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Of the total ballot papers, the following were rejected and not counted on account of:

2011 Order Rule 44(1)	Adjudication Rejection Reason	Number
(a)	Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means	0
(b)	On which a number standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate	11
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	205
(d)	On which anything is written or marked by which the voter can be identified except the printed number and other unique identifying mark on the back	0
(e)	Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	17
Total		233