

Declaration of Results

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

Contest Name	Hazlehead-Queens Cross-Countesswells Ward
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I will now declare the result of the election in the Hazlehead-Queens Cross-Countesswells Ward. There are 4 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 15,281 and the number of ballot papers received was 7,808 giving a percentage turnout of 51.1%. There were 72 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 1,548.

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
John COOKE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,426
Lars FREVERT	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	941
Martin GREIG	Scottish Liberal Democrats	1,967
Ken MCLEOD	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	1,021
Mohamed Abdul MOSOBBIR	Aberdeen Labour	486
Becky RAFFERTY	Scottish Green Party	277
Jennifer STEWART		1,618
	Total	7,736

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Hazlehead-Queens Cross-Countesswells Ward:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
John COOKE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	4
Martin GREIG	Scottish Liberal Democrats	1
Ken MCLEOD	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	7
Jennifer STEWART		1

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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	8
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	61
(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	3
Total		72