

## Declaration of Results

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

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Ward 4 - Kilpatrick

I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 4 - Kilpatrick. There are 3 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 8,987 and the number of ballot papers received was 4,059 giving a percentage turnout of 45.2%. There were 183 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 970.

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
David JARDINE	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	229
Douglas MCALLISTER	Scottish Labour Party	1,903
Lawrence O'NEILL	Scottish Labour Party	272
GORDON SCANLAN	Scottish National Party (SNP)	986
MARINA SCANLAN	Scottish National Party (SNP)	486
<b>Total</b>		<b>3,876</b>

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Ward 4 - Kilpatrick:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Douglas MCALLISTER	Scottish Labour Party	1
Lawrence O'NEILL	Scottish Labour Party	2
GORDON SCANLAN	Scottish National Party (SNP)	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	12
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	9
(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	162
<b>Total</b>		<b>183</b>