

Declaration of Results

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

Contest Name

Ward 6 - Corstorphine-Murrayfield

I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 6 - Corstorphine-Murrayfield. There are 3 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 19,533 and the number of ballot papers received was 11,492 giving a percentage turnout of 58.8%. There were 108 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 2,847.

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
Alan Christopher BEAL	Scottish Liberal Democrats	3,897
Norman David COLVILLE	Scottish Family Party Pro-Family, Pro-Marriage, Pro-Life	88
Euan Robert DAVIDSON	Scottish Liberal Democrats	1,772
Hugh FINDLAY	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	1,818
Connal HUGHES	Scottish Green Party	784
Richard PARKER	Scottish Labour Party	893
Frank ROSS	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2,132
Total		11,384

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Ward 6 - Corstorphine-Murrayfield:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Alan Christopher BEAL	Scottish Liberal Democrats	1
Euan Robert DAVIDSON	Scottish Liberal Democrats	4
Frank ROSS	Scottish National Party (SNP)	6

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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	21
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	85
(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	2
Total		108