

North Lanarkshire Council
Declaration of Results

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

Contest Name

Ward 6 - Gartcosh Glenboig and Moodiesburn

I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 6 - Gartcosh Glenboig and Moodiesburn. There are 3 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 10,698 and the number of ballot papers received was 4,552 giving a percentage turnout of 42.6%. There were 80 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 1,119.

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
Joseph BEEKMAN	Scottish Labour Party	826
Joanne Katy KELTIE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	728
Greg LENNON	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,365
Patrick Pearse MCALEER	Scottish Greens - Think Global Act Local	203
Michael MCPAKE	Scottish Labour Party	929
Norma RAESIDE	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	421
	Total	4,472

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Ward 6 - Gartcosh Glenboig and Moodiesburn:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Joanne Katy KELTIE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	5
Greg LENNON	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Michael MCPAKE	Scottish Labour Party	5

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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	3
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	67
(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	10
	Total	80