

## Declaration of Results

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

<b>Contest Name</b>	Ward 10 - Houston Crosslee and Linwood
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I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 10 - Houston Crosslee and Linwood. There are 4 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 12,758 and the number of ballot papers received was 5,752 giving a percentage turnout of 45.1%. There were 143 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 1,122.

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
Alison ANN-DOWLING	Labour and Co-operative Party	1,568
Connor CUNNINGHAM	Labour and Co-operative Party	515
Audrey DOIG	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,172
Robert INNES	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,020
David MCGONIGLE	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	1,334
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5,609</b>

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Ward 10 - Houston Crosslee and Linwood:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Alison ANN-DOWLING	Labour and Co-operative Party	1
Audrey DOIG	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Robert INNES	Scottish National Party (SNP)	5
David MCGONIGLE	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	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	19
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	15
(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	109
<b>Total</b>		<b>143</b>