

Declaration of Results

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

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| Contest Name | Ward 1 - Strathmartine |
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I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 1 - Strathmartine. There are 4 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 15,266 and the number of ballot papers received was 6,124 giving a percentage turnout of 40.1%. There were 168 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 1,192.

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

| Candidate Name | Affiliation | Number of First Preference Votes |
|-----------------|--|----------------------------------|
| John ALEXANDER | Scottish National Party (SNP) | 2,143 |
| Callum BAIRD | Scottish Greens - Delivering For Our Community | 199 |
| Daniel COLEMAN | Liberal Democrat Focus Team | 1,116 |
| Susan ETTLE | Scottish Family Party Pro-Family, Pro-Marriage, Pro-Life | 81 |
| Stewart HUNTER | Scottish National Party (SNP) | 559 |
| Maddie JAMIESON | Scottish Trade Unionist and Socialist Coalition | 43 |
| Kevin KEENAN | Scottish Labour Party | 1,359 |
| Calum WALKER | Scottish Conservative and Unionist | 351 |
| Laura WHYTE | Alba Party for independence | 105 |
| Total | | 5,956 |

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Ward 1 - Strathmartine:

| Candidate Name | Affiliation | Stage at which Candidate was Elected |
|----------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| John ALEXANDER | Scottish National Party (SNP) | 1 |
| Daniel COLEMAN | Liberal Democrat Focus Team | 3 |
| Stewart HUNTER | Scottish National Party (SNP) | 2 |
| Kevin KEENAN | Scottish Labour Party | 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 |
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| (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 | 9 |
| (c) | On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate | 148 |
| (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 | 11 |
| Total | | 168 |