

## Declaration of Results

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

Contest Name

Ward 7 Langside

I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 7 Langside. There are 4 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 24,680 and the number of ballot papers received was 11,597 giving a percentage turnout of 47.0%. There were 239 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 2,272.

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
Susan AITKEN	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2,899
Holly BRUCE	Elect a Scottish Green Councillor	3,173
Stephen Ignatius DOCHERTY	Glasgow Labour	1,870
Paul LEINSTER	Scottish National Party (SNP)	775
Aileen Mary MCKENZIE	Glasgow Labour	1,163
Chigozie Anne OSUCHUKWU	Alba Party for independence	125
Michael Edward SHIELDS	Scottish Liberal Democrats	225
Ronnie STEVENSON	Scottish Trade Unionist and Socialist Coalition	153
Bruce WHYTE	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	975
Total		11,358

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Ward 7 Langside:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Susan AITKEN	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Holly BRUCE	Elect a Scottish Green Councillor	1
Stephen Ignatius DOCHERTY	Glasgow Labour	7
Paul LEINSTER	Scottish National Party (SNP)	9

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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	9
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	194
(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	36
Total		239