East Ayrshire Council

Declaration of Results

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

| Contest Name | Ward 5 - Kilmarnock South |

I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 5 - Kilmarnock South. There are 3 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 8,186 and the number of ballot papers received was 3,103 giving a percentage turnout of 37.9%. There were 67 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 760.

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
Robin BAWA	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	370
Peter MABON	Scottish Labour Party	954
Clare MAITLAND	Scottish National Party (SNP)	627
Stewart John MCLINTOCK	Alba Party for independence	57
Jim TODD	Scottish National Party (SNP)	990
Keyrin James VON-DÃ–RING	Scottish Libertarian Party	38
	Total	3,036

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Ward 5 - Kilmarnock South:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Peter MABON	Scottish Labour Party	1
Clare MAITLAND	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2
Jim TODD	Scottish National Party (SNP)	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	8
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	56
(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	3
	Total	67