Stirling Council

Declaration of Results

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Contest Name

Ward 7 - Bannockburn

I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 7 - Bannockburn. There are 3 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 8,777 and the number of ballot papers received was 3,743 giving a percentage turnout of 42.6%. There were 64 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 920.

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
Margaret BRISLEY	Scottish Labour Party	762
Brian HAMBLY	Scottish National Party (SNP)	749
Sophie HENDRY	Scottish Family Party Pro-Family, Pro-Marriage, Pro-Life	41
ALASDAIR MACPHERSON	Independent	955
HILARY MACPHERSON	Scottish Liberal Democrats	77
Stuart MCLUCKIE	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	702
Marie STADTLER	Scottish Greens - Think Global Act Local	87
Diane TORTOLANO	Scottish National Party (SNP)	306
	Total	3.679

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Margaret BRISLEY	Scottish Labour Party	8
Brian HAMBLY	Scottish National Party (SNP)	6
ALASDAIR MACPHERSON	Independent	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	54
(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	2
	Total	64