

Declaration of Results

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

Contest Name

Ward 1 - Strathmartine

I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 1 - Strathmartine. There is 1 Councillor to be elected.

The electorate was 15,403 and the number of ballot papers received was 3,432 giving a percentage turnout of 22.3%. There were 41 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 1,696.

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
Naveed ALI	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	143
Callum BAIRD	Scottish Greens	121
Jimmy BLACK	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,188
Jenny BLAIN	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	912
Donald MACLEOD	Scottish Trade Unionist and Socialist Coalition	116
Richard MCCREADY	Labour and Co-operative Party	911
Total		3,391

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Jimmy BLACK	Scottish National Party (SNP)	6

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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	3
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	27
(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		41