

## Declaration of Results

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

**Contest Name**

Ward 7 - East End

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

The electorate was 12,005 and the number of ballot papers received was 4,226 giving a percentage turnout of 35.2%. There were 109 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 1,030.

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
Bill CRABB	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	440
Will DAWSON	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,350
Outi MAATTANEN-BOURKE	Scottish Liberal Democrats	115
Dorothy MCHUGH	Scottish Labour Party	1,071
Alison MCINTOSH	Scottish Greens - Think Global Act Local	167
Allan PETRIE	Alba Party for independence	151
Christina ROBERTS	Scottish National Party (SNP)	823
Total		4,117

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Will DAWSON	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Dorothy MCHUGH	Scottish Labour Party	1
Christina ROBERTS	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2

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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	7
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	96
(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	6
Total		109