

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Borough of Darlington

Election of Borough Councillors for

Stephenson
on Thursday 4 May 2023

I, Luke Swinhoe, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

| Name of Candidate | Description (if any) | Number of Votes* |
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| BRACK Kevin John commonly known as BRACK Monty | Independent | 23 |
| CHAPMAN Lucy Rosemary | Green Party | 79 |
| GREENWOOD Peter commonly known as GREENWOOD Pete | Green Party | 48 |
| HASZELDINE Ian George | Labour Party | 483 Elected |
| MAHMUD Mohammad Romalus | Labour Party | 432 Elected |
| RENTON Michael Francis commonly known as RENTON Mike | Local Conservatives | 403 |
| SPENCE Frazer | Independent | 22 |
| WALKER Michael Alan | Local Conservatives | 331 |

* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

| The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows: | Number of ballot papers |
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| A want of an official mark | 0 |
| B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to | 0 |
| C writing or mark by which voter could be identified | 0 |
| D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty | 2 |
| E rejected in part | 0 |
| Total | 2 |

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 3193

Ballot Papers Issued: 955

Turnout: 29.91%

And I do hereby declare that, Ian George Haszeldine, Mohammad Romalus Mahmud are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2023

Luke Swinhoe
Returning Officer