

Election Results

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Contest Name

Ward 1 - Tweeddale West

I declare that the result of the election in the Ward 1 - Tweeddale West is as follows.

There are 3 councillor(s) to be elected.

The percentage poll was 57.4%. There were 4,610 valid ballot papers and 78 rejected ballot papers.

The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 1,153.

The first preference votes received by each of the candidates and the stage at which any candidate was elected is as follows:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes	Stage at Which Candidate Has Been Elected
HEATHER ANDERSON	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,160	1
JOHN ANDERSON	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	984	0
Kris CHAPMAN	Scottish Liberal Democrats	768	7
Tommy DAVIDSON	Independent	170	0
Catriona HAMILTON	Scottish Green Party	218	0
Michael NEEDHAM	Independent	73	0
Julia REID	Scottish Labour Party	201	0
Eric SMALL	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	1,036	7
	Total	4,610	

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Of the total ballot papers, the following were rejected and not counted on account of:

Adjudication Rejection Reason	Number
Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means	0
On which the figure "1" standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate	5
On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	65
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
Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	8
Total	78

Returning Officer Signature: _____

Date: _____