

## Declaration of Results

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

Contest Name

Ward 5 - Leaderdale and Melrose

Here is the result of the election in the Ward 5 - Leaderdale and Melrose. There are 1 councillors to be elected.

- The percentage poll was 38.2%.
- There were 25 rejected papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 1,728.
- The first preference votes received by each of the candidates was:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of 1st Preferences
Jonny ADAMSON	Scottish Liberal Democrats	538
Mary DOUGLAS	Independent	159
Jenny LINEHAN	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	1,380
Michael NEEDHAM	Scottish Green Party	152
John PATONDAY	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,042
Scott REDPATH	Scottish Labour Party	115
Karen WILKS	Independent	69
<b>Total</b>		<b>3,455</b>

After application of the election rules I declare that the following are deemed to be elected as councillors for the Ward 5 - Leaderdale and Melrose

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Jenny LINEHAN	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	7

Returning Officer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_