

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Canterbury

Election of a City Councillor for

Blean Forest
on 4 May 2023

I, Tricia Marshall, 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*
HILTON, Alexander Ian William	Green Party	398
JUPE, Stephanie Morag commonly known as JUPE, Steph	Liberal Democrats	Elected 1035
MAY, Nicola Amy	Labour Party	444
NEEDHAM, Howard Michael	Labour Party	383
NEWMAN, Samuel Edwin commonly known as NEWMAN, Sam	Labour Party	367
OVENDEN, Gary David Albert	Conservative Party Candidate	299
RICKETTS, Alex James	Liberal Democrats	Elected 1214
SMITH, Daniel Mark	Liberal Democrats	Elected 944
SOMERVILLE-MEIKLE, James Peter	Conservative Party Candidate	329
STREATER, Timothy Charles	Conservative Party Candidate	281

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

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
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	6
E rejected in part	0
Total	5700

Vacant Seats: 3

Electorate: 4155

Ballot Papers Issued: 2006

Turnout: 35%

And I do hereby declare that Alex James Ricketts, Steph Jupe and Daniel Mark Smith are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2023

Tricia Marshall
Returning Officer