

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

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Election of District Councillors for

Bexhill St Stephens
on Thursday 4 May 2023

I, Malcolm Johnston, 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* |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|
| AMMOUN, Gillian Elaine | UKIP | 139 |
| AZAD, Abul Kalam | Conservative Party Candidate | 462 |
| CARROLL, Richard Charles | Conservative Party Candidate | 425 |
| RATHBONE ARIEL, Arren | Green Party | 561 Elected |
| THOMAS, Richard Beverly | Liberal Democrats | 548 Elected |

* 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 | |
| B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to | |
| C writing or mark by which voter could be identified | |
| D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty | 9 |
| E rejected in part | |
| Total | 9 |

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 3961

Ballot Papers Issued: 1247

Turnout: 31%

And I do hereby declare that, **Arren Rathbone Ariel & Richard Beverly Thomas** are duly elected.

Dated Wednesday 26 February 2025

Malcolm Johnston
Returning Officer