## **DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL**

## Election of Councillor to Folkestone & Hythe District Council for the Broadmead Ward

## on Thursday 4 May 2023

I, Susan Priest, 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*
LEIGH, Kieran	The Conservative Party Candidate	448
STOKES, John	Liberal Democrats	246
WALKER, Belinda Jane	Labour And Co-Operative Party	454 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	0
В	voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	4
С	writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D	being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	11
E	rejected in part	0
	Total	15

Vacant Seats: 1 Electorate: 3106 Ballot papers issued: 1163 Turnout: 37.44%

And I do hereby declare that, Belinda Jane Walker is duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2023

Susan Priest Returning Officer

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