## **DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL**

## Election of Councillors to Folkestone & Hythe District Council for the Walland And Denge Marsh 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*
CARTER, Ross	The Green Party	301
COOPER, Chrissie	Labour Party	382
GLASS, Jack	Independent	197
GODDARD, Clive	Conservative Party Candidate	868 Elected
LAWS, Leonard	Ukip	124
MARTIN, Alan	Conservative Party Candidate	618 Elected
PIPER, Suzanne Maree	Liberal Democrats	322
RYE, Kim Elizabeth	Independent	269
WEBB, Peter	Independent	406

\* 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		7
С	writing or mark by which voter could be identified		1
D	being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty		8
Е	rejected in part		0
		Total	16

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 6133

Ballot papers issued: 1968

Turnout: 32.09%

And I do hereby declare that, Clive Goddard and Alan Martin are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2023

Susan Priest Returning Officer

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