

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Election of Councillors to Folkestone & Hythe District Council for the Hythe Rural 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*
GABRIS, John	Conservative Party Candidate	482
LE FANU, Edward	Labour Party	229
LYONS, Michael John Anthony	Conservative Party Candidate	471
SPEAKMAN, Jeremy	The Green Party	1055 Elected
WING, John	The Green Party	1103 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
B	voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	2
C	writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D	being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	20
E	rejected in part	0
Total		22

Vacant Seats: 2 Electorate: 5030 Ballot papers issued: 1847 Turnout: 36.72%

And I do hereby declare that, Jeremy Speakman and John Wing are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2023

Susan Priest
Returning Officer