

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Election of Councillors to Folkestone & Hythe District Council for the New Romney 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*
CAREY, Paul	Labour Party	315
DAVIES, John Edward	Independent	246
GLOVER, Laurie	Conservative Party Candidate	400
HOUSTON, John Alan	Independent	72
NEVARD, Wendy Valerie	Reform Uk	181
ROBERTSON-RITCHIE, Hugh	Liberal Democrats	111
ROLFE, Patricia	Conservative Party Candidate	501
THOMAS, Paul David	Independent	680 Elected
WATKINSON, Malcolm	The Green Party	317
WIMBLE, David	Independent	653 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	1
C	writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D	being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	5
E	rejected in part	0
Total		6

Vacant Seats: 2 Electorate: 5910 Ballot papers issued: 1935 Turnout: 32.74%

And I do hereby declare that, Paul David Thomas and David Wimble are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2023

Susan Priest
Returning Officer