

Results Script for Returning Officer

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Contest Name

Ward 12 - Leith Walk

I now have the provisional result for the election in Ward 12 - Leith Walk.

Before I take you through the result stage by stage I would like to give you a quick overview what happens when a candidate achieves the quota or where no candidate does so.

At any Stage, where one or more Candidates have achieved the quota those candidates will be declared elected when the formal announcement is made. Where there are still further councillors to be elected the next stages of process will involve the transfer, one stage at a time, of the surplus votes from the successful Candidates to the other candidates based on the preferences expressed by the voters. These votes, of course, transfer at less than full value.

At any stage where no candidate has achieved the quota the next stage of the process means that the candidate with the lowest number of votes is excluded. This candidate's votes will be transferred to the remaining candidates based on the preferences expressed by the voters. All votes will transfer at full value as they have not yet been used to elect anyone.

Full details of the votes to be transferred, the transfer value of each vote and who they transferred to is given in the Transfers report that I have handed out/ will be handed out shortly and will be published on the Council's website as soon as the result has been declared.

Now, turning to the result for the Ward 12 - Leith Walk.

There were 7,267 valid votes cast and 67 votes had to be rejected. With 1 Councillors to be elected this means that the STV quota for the ward is 3,634 votes.

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At Stage 1 the number of first preference votes each candidate received was:

Candidate Name	First Preferences Votes
Steven ALEXANDER	85
Jack CALDWELL	623
Nick GARDNER	1,123
Kevin ILLINGWORTH	110
David Don JACOBSEN	56
Tom LAIRD	12
Dan MCCROSKRIE	777
Rob MUNN	2,596
John Ferguson SCOTT	16
Lorna SLATER	1,855
Paul Mitchell STIRLING	14

At this stage no candidate has achieved the quota required to be elected. It is now necessary to exclude the candidate with the lowest number of votes. This is Tom LAIRD. These votes will be transferred to the remaining candidates based on the preferences expressed by the voters. All votes will transfer at full value as they have not yet been used to elect anyone.

On this basis the votes to be transferred to the remaining candidate are:

Info from Transfer Report

Steven ALEXANDER - 3 ballot papers at a total value of 3.

Jack CALDWELL - 1 ballot papers at a total value of 1.

Nick GARDNER - 1 ballot papers at a total value of 1.

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 2 ballot papers at a total value of 2.

Rob MUNN - 2 ballot papers at a total value of 2.

Lorna SLATER - 1 ballot papers at a total value of 1.

Adding these to the ongoing total for each candidate give the Stage 2 result as:

Steven ALEXANDER - 88

Jack CALDWELL - 624

Nick GARDNER - 1,124

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 112

David Don JACOBSEN - 56

Tom LAIRD - 0

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 777

Rob MUNN - 2,598

John Ferguson SCOTT - 16

Lorna SLATER - 1,856

Paul Mitchell STIRLING - 14

Value of non-transferable ballot papers - 2

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At this stage no (other) candidate has achieved the quota required to be elected. It is now necessary to exclude the candidate with the lowest number of votes. This is Paul Mitchell STIRLING. These votes will be transferred to the remaining candidates based on the preferences expressed by the voters. The value of votes to be transferred are made up of the full value votes for Paul Mitchell STIRLING at Stage 1 and the value of any votes transferred to the candidate at subsequent stages.

On this basis the number of ballot papers and the consequent value of the votes transferring to each remaining candidate is:

Info from Transfer Report

Steven ALEXANDER - 9 ballot papers at a total value of 9.

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 2 ballot papers at a total value of 2.

John Ferguson SCOTT - 1 ballot papers at a total value of 1.

Adding these to the ongoing total for each candidate give the Stage 3 result as:

Steven ALEXANDER - 97

Jack CALDWELL - 624

Nick GARDNER - 1,124

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 112

David Don JACOBSEN - 56

Tom LAIRD - 0

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 779

Rob MUNN - 2,598

John Ferguson SCOTT - 17

Lorna SLATER - 1,856

Paul Mitchell STIRLING - 0

Value of non-transferable ballot papers - 2

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At this stage no (other) candidate has achieved the quota required to be elected. It is now necessary to exclude the candidate with the lowest number of votes. This is John Ferguson SCOTT. These votes will be transferred to the remaining candidates based on the preferences expressed by the voters. The value of votes to be transferred are made up of the full value votes for John Ferguson SCOTT at Stage 1 and the value of any votes transferred to the candidate at subsequent stages.

On this basis the number of ballot papers and the consequent value of the votes transferring to each remaining candidate is:

Info from Transfer Report

Jack CALDWELL - 2 ballot papers at a total value of 2.

Nick GARDNER - 2 ballot papers at a total value of 2.

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 10 ballot papers at a total value of 10.

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 2 ballot papers at a total value of 2.

Adding these to the ongoing total for each candidate give the Stage 4 result as:

Steven ALEXANDER - 97

Jack CALDWELL - 626

Nick GARDNER - 1,126

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 122

David Don JACOBSEN - 56

Tom LAIRD - 0

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 781

Rob MUNN - 2,598

John Ferguson SCOTT - 0

Lorna SLATER - 1,856

Paul Mitchell STIRLING - 0

Value of non-transferable ballot papers - 1

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At this stage no (other) candidate has achieved the quota required to be elected. It is now necessary to exclude the candidate with the lowest number of votes. This is David Don JACOBSEN. These votes will be transferred to the remaining candidates based on the preferences expressed by the voters. The value of votes to be transferred are made up of the full value votes for David Don JACOBSEN at Stage 1 and the value of any votes transferred to the candidate at subsequent stages.

On this basis the number of ballot papers and the consequent value of the votes transferring to each remaining candidate is:

Info from Transfer Report

Steven ALEXANDER - 1 ballot papers at a total value of 1.

Jack CALDWELL - 2 ballot papers at a total value of 2.

Nick GARDNER - 10 ballot papers at a total value of 10.

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 4 ballot papers at a total value of 4.

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 3 ballot papers at a total value of 3.

Rob MUNN - 14 ballot papers at a total value of 14.

Lorna SLATER - 9 ballot papers at a total value of 9.

Adding these to the ongoing total for each candidate give the Stage 5 result as:

Steven ALEXANDER - 98

Jack CALDWELL - 628

Nick GARDNER - 1,136

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 126

David Don JACOBSEN - 0

Tom LAIRD - 0

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 784

Rob MUNN - 2,612

John Ferguson SCOTT - 0

Lorna SLATER - 1,865

Paul Mitchell STIRLING - 0

Value of non-transferable ballot papers - 13

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On this basis the number of ballot papers and the consequent value of the votes transferring to each remaining candidate is:

Info from Transfer Report

Jack CALDWELL - 5 ballot papers at a total value of 5.

Nick GARDNER - 4 ballot papers at a total value of 4.

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 17 ballot papers at a total value of 17.

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 27 ballot papers at a total value of 27.

Rob MUNN - 4 ballot papers at a total value of 4.

Lorna SLATER - 4 ballot papers at a total value of 4.

Adding these to the ongoing total for each candidate give the Stage 6 result as:

Steven ALEXANDER - 0

Jack CALDWELL - 633

Nick GARDNER - 1,140

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 143

David Don JACOBSEN - 0

Tom LAIRD - 0

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 811

Rob MUNN - 2,616

John Ferguson SCOTT - 0

Lorna SLATER - 1,869

Paul Mitchell STIRLING - 0

Value of non-transferable ballot papers - 37

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At this stage no (other) candidate has achieved the quota required to be elected. It is now necessary to exclude the candidate with the lowest number of votes. This is Kevin ILLINGWORTH. These votes will be transferred to the remaining candidates based on the preferences expressed by the voters. The value of votes to be transferred are made up of the full value votes for Kevin ILLINGWORTH at Stage 1 and the value of any votes transferred to the candidate at subsequent stages.

On this basis the number of ballot papers and the consequent value of the votes transferring to each remaining candidate is:

Info from Transfer Report

Jack CALDWELL - 19 ballot papers at a total value of 19.
Nick GARDNER - 17 ballot papers at a total value of 17.
Dan MCCROSKRIE - 14 ballot papers at a total value of 14.
Rob MUNN - 14 ballot papers at a total value of 14.
Lorna SLATER - 35 ballot papers at a total value of 35.

Adding these to the ongoing total for each candidate give the Stage 7 result as:

Steven ALEXANDER - 0
Jack CALDWELL - 652
Nick GARDNER - 1,157
Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 0
David Don JACOBSEN - 0
Tom LAIRD - 0
Dan MCCROSKRIE - 825
Rob MUNN - 2,630
John Ferguson SCOTT - 0
Lorna SLATER - 1,904
Paul Mitchell STIRLING - 0
Value of non-transferable ballot papers - 44

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On this basis the number of ballot papers and the consequent value of the votes transferring to each remaining candidate is:

Info from Transfer Report

Nick GARDNER - 163 ballot papers at a total value of 163.

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 87 ballot papers at a total value of 87.

Rob MUNN - 91 ballot papers at a total value of 91.

Lorna SLATER - 189 ballot papers at a total value of 189.

Adding these to the ongoing total for each candidate give the Stage 8 result as:

Steven ALEXANDER - 0

Jack CALDWELL - 0

Nick GARDNER - 1,320

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 0

David Don JACOBSEN - 0

Tom LAIRD - 0

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 912

Rob MUNN - 2,721

John Ferguson SCOTT - 0

Lorna SLATER - 2,093

Paul Mitchell STIRLING - 0

Value of non-transferable ballot papers - 122

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At this stage no (other) candidate has achieved the quota required to be elected. It is now necessary to exclude the candidate with the lowest number of votes. This is Dan MCCROSKRIE. These votes will be transferred to the remaining candidates based on the preferences expressed by the voters. The value of votes to be transferred are made up of the full value votes for Dan MCCROSKRIE at Stage 1 and the value of any votes transferred to the candidate at subsequent stages.

On this basis the number of ballot papers and the consequent value of the votes transferring to each remaining candidate is:

Info from Transfer Report

Nick GARDNER - 177 ballot papers at a total value of 177.

Rob MUNN - 42 ballot papers at a total value of 42.

Lorna SLATER - 130 ballot papers at a total value of 130.

Adding these to the ongoing total for each candidate give the Stage 9 result as:

Steven ALEXANDER - 0

Jack CALDWELL - 0

Nick GARDNER - 1,497

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 0

David Don JACOBSEN - 0

Tom LAIRD - 0

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 0

Rob MUNN - 2,763

John Ferguson SCOTT - 0

Lorna SLATER - 2,223

Paul Mitchell STIRLING - 0

Value of non-transferable ballot papers - 563

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On this basis the number of ballot papers and the consequent value of the votes transferring to each remaining candidate is:

Info from Transfer Report

Rob MUNN - 258 ballot papers at a total value of 258.

Lorna SLATER - 542 ballot papers at a total value of 542.

Adding these to the ongoing total for each candidate give the Stage 10 result as:

Steven ALEXANDER - 0

Jack CALDWELL - 0

Nick GARDNER - 0

Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 0

David Don JACOBSEN - 0

Tom LAIRD - 0

Dan MCCROSKRIE - 0

Rob MUNN - 3,021

John Ferguson SCOTT - 0

Lorna SLATER - 2,765

Paul Mitchell STIRLING - 0

Value of non-transferable ballot papers - 697

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On this basis the number of ballot papers and the consequent value of the votes transferring to each remaining candidate is:

Info from Transfer Report

Rob MUNN - 1,466 ballot papers at a total value of 1,466.

Adding these to the ongoing total for each candidate give the Stage 11 result as:

Steven ALEXANDER - 0
Jack CALDWELL - 0
Nick GARDNER - 0
Kevin ILLINGWORTH - 0
David Don JACOBSEN - 0
Tom LAIRD - 0
Dan MCCROSKRIE - 0
Rob MUNN - 4,487
John Ferguson SCOTT - 0
Lorna SLATER - 0
Paul Mitchell STIRLING - 0
Value of non-transferable ballot papers - 1,299

That means on the basis of the foregoing Rob MUNN will be declared elected. I have copies of the basic result information for candidates here.

Are you content that the results is accurate or would you like a few minutes to examine this yourselves?

If so, I will allow 5 minutes to review the result, here. I would ask that at this stage you do not disclose the provisional result to anyone else. I will deal with any questions or other issues after that time.