Aberdeen City Council

Declaration of Results

This report is the Declaration of Results script for Returning Officer.

Contest Name	Airyhall-Broomhill-Garthdee Ward

I will now declare the result of the election in the Airyhall-Broomhill-Garthdee Ward. There are 3 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 11,842 and the number of ballot papers received was 5,927 giving a percentage turnout of 50.1%. There were 55 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 1,469.

The number of first preference votes for each of the candidates was:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
Derek DAVIDSON	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,615
Ryan HOUGHTON	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	1,240
Logan Andrew MACHELL	Aberdeen Labour	627
Harry RAFFERTY	Scottish Green Party	244
Ian YUILL	Scottish Liberal Democrats	2,146
	Total	5,872

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Airyhall-Broomhill-Garthdee Ward:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Derek DAVIDSON	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Ryan HOUGHTON	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	4
Ian YUILL	Scottish Liberal Democrats	1

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Of the total ballot papers, the following were rejected and not counted on account of:

2011 Order Rule 44(1)	Adjudication Rejection Reason	Number
(a)	Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means	0
(b)	On which a number standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate	15
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	38
(d)	On which anything is written or marked by which the voter can be identified except the printed number and other unique identifying mark on the back	0
(e)	Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	2
	Total	55