

Declaration of Results

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

Contest Name	Ward 4 - Castle Douglas and Crocketford
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Here is the result of the election in the Ward 4 - Castle Douglas and Crocketford. There are 3 councillors to be elected.

- The percentage poll was 50.6%.
- There were 41 rejected papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 941.
- The first preference votes received by each of the candidates was:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of 1st Preferences
Iain HOWIE	Independent	901
David JAMES	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	1,346
Lucy MCKIE	Scottish Labour Party	264
George PRENTICE	Independent	365
Paul John TAYLORSON	Scottish Green Party	129
John Lachlan YOUNG	Scottish National Party (SNP)	756
Total		3,761

After application of the election rules I declare that the following are deemed to be elected as councillors for the Ward 4 - Castle Douglas and Crocketford

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Iain HOWIE	Independent	2
David JAMES	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	1
John Lachlan YOUNG	Scottish National Party (SNP)	6

Returning Officer Signature: _____

Date: _____