

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

New Forest

## Election of District Councillors for

Totton Central  
on Thursday 4 May 2023

I, Kate Ryan, 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*
COOMBES Ian Charles	Independent	243
JOHNSTONE Adrian Joseph	Labour Party	330
KANGARANI Mahmoud commonly known as KANGARANI Matt	Liberal Democrats	555
MURRAY Ian Alec	Local Conservatives	596 Elected
ORCHARD Frances May	Independent	180
SHEPHERD Stephen Anthony	Liberal Democrats	568
SLEEP John Hugh	Local Conservatives	647 Elected
SMITH David Edward	Labour Party	287

\* 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	4
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	8
E rejected in part	0
Total	12

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 5653

Ballot Papers Issued: 1803

Turnout: 32%

And I do hereby declare that, Ian Alec Murray, John Hugh Sleep are duly elected.

Dated Saturday 6 May 2023

Kate Ryan  
Returning Officer