

# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE BRICKHILL WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Brickhill Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
HAUGHTON, Nigel Ernest	The Conservative Party Candidate	524
RANI, Sudesh	Labour Party	291
RETOUT, Tim	The Green Party	253
RIDER, Wendy	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	1756 ELECTED
ROYDEN, Charles	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	1756 ELECTED
STANBRA, Matt	The Conservative Party Candidate	404
WARD, Cathrine	Labour Party	317

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	6
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	48
E Rejected in part	0
Total	54

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 6667

Turnout: 43.6 %

I duly declare Wendy Rider and Charles Royden

elected as Borough Councillors for the Brickhill Ward

Dated : Thursday 2 May  
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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE BROMHAM AND BIDDENHAM WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Bromham And Biddenham Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
CHARLTON, Gordon William	Labour Party	307
CHARLTON, Ollie	Labour Party	288
GAMBOLD, Jon	Conservative Party Candidate	1565 ELECTED
MATTHEWS, Samuel John Charles	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	450
MORES, Stelios	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	386
RIGBY, Roger	Conservative Party Candidate	1607 ELECTED

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	0
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	78
E Rejected in part	0
Total	78

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 5959

Turnout: 43.3%

I duly declare Terence Roger Rigby and Jonathan Christopher Warwick Gambold

elected as Borough Councillors for the Bromham And Biddenham Ward

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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE CASTLE WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Castle Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
BOYES, Karen Rosalie	The Conservative Party Candidate	416
BYWATER, Lucy Clare	The Green Party	957 ELECTED
FOLEY, Ben	The Green Party	732 ELECTED
MARCHANT, Lorna Rose	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	145
REALE, Luigi	Labour Party	690
RIGBY, Robert John	The Conservative Party Candidate	340
WHATHAM, Louise	Labour Party	507
WOOD, Pat	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	91

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	2
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	13
E Rejected in part	0
Total	15

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 6395

Turnout: 33.5 %

I duly declare Lucy Clare Bywater and Ben Foley

elected as Borough Councillors for the Castle Ward

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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE CAULDWELL WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Cauldwell Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
HASKINS, Kim	The Green Party	284
ISLAM, Mohammed Nurul	The Conservative Party Candidate	527
SALE, Jacob	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	342
SULTAN, Abu	Labour Party	1033 ELECTED
WINDER, Joy Ruth	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	294
ZAMIR, Fouzia	Labour Party	970 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 official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	10
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	52
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	2
E Rejected in part	0
Total	64

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 7319

Turnout: 29 %

I duly declare Abu Sultan and Fouzia Zamir

elected as Borough Councillors for the Cauldwell Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE CLAPHAM WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Clapham Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
COOPER, Eric Charles	Renew	161
RUTHERFORD, Stephen John	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	77
WADY, Lynne	Labour Party	175
WALKER, Jane Anne	Conservative Party Candidate	723 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 official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	2
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	14
E Rejected in part	0
Total	16

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 3526

Turnout: 33.8%

I duly declare Jane Anne Walker

elected as Borough Councillor for the Clapham Ward

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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE DE PARYS WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the De Parys Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
ILLINGWORTH, Robin	The Conservative Party Candidate	510
SAWYER, David Alexander	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	1125 ELECTED
SMITH, Conny	Labour Party	244
SPICE, Andrea	The Conservative Party Candidate	456
TURNER, Laurence David Russell	Labour Party	209
VANN, Henry Paul	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	1178 ELECTED

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	2
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	38
E Rejected in part	0
Total	40

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 5119

Turnout: 40.4%

I duly declare David Alexander Sawyer and Henry Paul Vann

elected as Borough Councillors for the De Parys Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE EASTCOTTS WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Eastcotts Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
ANCLIFF, Sam	Conservative Party Candidate	215
GALLAGHER, Sarah	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	676 ELECTED
NASIR, Mansoor	Labour Party	192

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	8
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	19
E Rejected in part	0
Total	27

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 3611

Turnout: 31.7%

I duly declare Sarah-Jayne Gallagher

elected as Borough Councillor for the Eastcotts Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE ELSTOW AND STEWARTBY WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Elstow And Stewartby Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
ANCLIFF, Jade Melissa	The Conservative Party Candidate	157
HILL, Timothy John	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	1062 ELECTED
SAUNDERS, Elizabeth Anne	Labour Party	117

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	14
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	0
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	13
E Rejected in part	0
Total	27

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 3848

Turnout: 36.1%

I duly declare Timothy John Hill

elected as Borough Councillor for the Elstow And Stewartby Ward

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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE GOLDINGTON WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Goldington Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
CASWELL, Tim	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	882 ELECTED
FLEMING, Philippa Deirore Nell	The Green Party	133
FOLEY, Jennifer	The Green Party	122
FORTH, Anthony James	Labour Party	805
HAYNES, Adrian John	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	202
HEDWORTH, Jenny	The Conservative Party Candidate	277
MERRYMAN, Philip John	The Conservative Party Candidate	264
MCHUGH, Christine Alison	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	871 ELECTED
UKO, Jade Chelsea	Labour Party	726

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	20
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	20
E Rejected in part	0
Total	40

Vacant seats: 2      Electorate: 7135      Ballot papers issued:      Turnout: 33.7%

I duly declare Timothy Charles Caswell and Christine Alison McHugh

elected as Borough Councillors for the Goldington Ward

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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE GREAT BARFORD WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Great Barford Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
CARLTON, Linda	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	591
FITZPATRICK, Mark	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	554
MARTIN-MORAN-BRYANT, Phillippa Anne	Conservative Party Candidate	1090 ELECTED
MOON, Stephen	Conservative Party Candidate	1392 ELECTED
WADY, Silas	Labour Party	178
WALTHAM, Tobias	The Green Party	368
WEBB, Pauline	Labour Party	222

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	2
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	34
E Rejected in part	0
Total	36

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 6437

Turnout: 38.9 %

I duly declare Stephen Moon and Phillippa Anne Martin-Moran-Bryant

elected as Borough Councillors for the Great Barford Ward

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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE HARPUR WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Harpur Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
ALLEN, David John	Independent	395
ATKINS, Colleen	Labour Party	1217 ELECTED
JACKSON, Louise	Labour Party	1022 ELECTED
KIRK-FRAISER, Phoebe Ida-Anne	The Conservative Party Candidate	250
WHALEY, Jason Christopher	The Conservative Party Candidate	285
WILLIAMS, Alexandra Laura	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	252
ZEBEDEE-TOPHAM, Marion Wendy	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	337

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	20
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	6
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	18
E Rejected in part	0
Total	44

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 6293

Turnout: 34.4%

I duly declare Colleen Atkins and Louise Jackson

elected as Borough Councillors for the Harpur Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE HARROLD WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Harrold Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
DAWSON, John Gerard	Labour Party	102
FIELD-FOSTER, Alison Jane	Conservative Party Candidate	1054 ELECTED
LLOYD, Gary Nicholas	The Green Party	311
NORTON, Daniel Millington	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	91

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	5
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	12
E Rejected in part	0
Total	

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 3289

Turnout: 45.8%

I duly declare Alison Jane Field-Foster

elected as Borough Councillor for the Harrold Ward

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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE KEMPSTON CENTRAL AND EAST WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Kempston Central And East Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
BURLEY, Kay	Labour Party	879 ELECTED
FARTHING, Hannah	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	180
HYDE, Richard Douglas	The Conservative Party Candidate	533
NAWAZ, Mohammed	Labour Party	807 ELECTED
REES, Liam Anton Samuel	The Conservative Party Candidate	399
SHAH, Sarika	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	125

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	26
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	56
E Rejected in part	0
Total	82

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 5490

Turnout: 31.2%

I duly declare Gillian Kay Burley and Mohammed Nawaz

elected as Borough Councillors for the Kempston Central And East Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE KEMPSTON NORTH WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Kempston North Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
FLAXMAN, George Alfred	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	48
OLIVER, Sue	Labour Party	498 ELECTED
PARKER, Alison Heather	The Green Party	83
STONE, Kathy	The Conservative Party Candidate	423

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	4
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	9
E Rejected in part	0
Total	13

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 3014

Turnout: 36.1%

I duly declare Susan Jane Oliver

elected as Borough Councillor for the Kempston North Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE KEMPSTON RURAL WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Kempston Rural Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
FRITH, Ashley	Labour Party	251
GALLAGHER, Steve	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	736
HAGEN, Ann	The Green Party	166
WEIR, Jim	The Conservative Party Candidate	860 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 official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	1
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	16
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	0
E Rejected in part	0
Total	17

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 5963

Turnout: 34.5%

I duly declare James Robert Weir

elected as Borough Councillor for the Kempston Rural Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE KEMPSTON SOUTH WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Kempston South Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
LONGMORE, Conrad Holden	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	41
MEADER, Carl Rex	Labour Party	1000 ELECTED
RYAN, Barry	The Conservative Party Candidate	157

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	5
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	4
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	3
E Rejected in part	0
Total	12

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 3290

Turnout: 37.4%

I duly declare Carl Rex Meader

elected as Borough Councillor for the Kempston South Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE KEMPSTON WEST WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Kempston West Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
MCCARTHY, Matt	The Conservative Party Candidate	493
SHAH, Bipinchandra	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	87
VALENTINE, James Emmanuel	Labour Party	631 ELECTED

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	2
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	19
E Rejected in part	0
Total	21

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 3916

Turnout: 31.8%

I duly declare James Emmanuel Valentine

elected as Borough Councillor for the Kempston West Ward

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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE KINGSBROOK WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Kingsbrook Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
CROFTS, Dean Gary	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	830 ELECTED
HARVEY, Wendie	Labour Party	583
MOON, Martine	The Conservative Party Candidate	256
SAUNDERS, James	Labour Party	700
SOLOMON, Patrick	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	840 ELECTED
SYKES, Isabelle	The Green Party	204

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	4
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	52
E Rejected in part	0
Total	56

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 6867

Turnout: 30.2%

I duly declare Patrick Solomon and Dean Gary Crofts

elected as Borough Councillors for the Kingsbrook Ward

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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE NEWNHAM WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Newnham Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
BAKER, Richard James	The Green Party	387
CHIGWADA, Ceciliah	Labour Party	414
CROOK, Alison	The Conservative Party Candidate	687
HENDRICKX, Hilde Augusta Emilia	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	894 ELECTED
KELLY, Shane	Labour Party	421
MINGAY, John Kenneth Samuel	The Conservative Party Candidate	751
SAMPSON, Jake	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	795 ELECTED
TILDS, Brant	The Green Party	249

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	4
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	18
E Rejected in part	0
Total	22

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 5775

Turnout: 43.6%

I duly declare Hilde Augusta Emilia Hendrickx and Jake Sampson

elected as Borough Councillors for the Newnham Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE OAKLEY WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Oakley Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
ABBOTT, Jon	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	887 ELECTED
BAGULEY, Ian Alexander	Labour Party	76
SENIOR, Andrew Michael	Conservative Party Candidate	575

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The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	2
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	17
E Rejected in part	0
Total	19

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 3052

Turnout: 52.2%

I duly declare Jonathan Abbott

elected as Borough Councillor for the Oakley Ward

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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE PUTNOE WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Putnoe Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
ALLEN, Dawn	The Conservative Party Candidate	724
BEGUM, Lila	Labour Party	238
HEADLEY, Michael	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	1731 ELECTED
RETOUT, Kate	The Green Party	203
ROYDEN, Max Samuel Charles	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	1351 ELECTED
SEAMARKS, Mike	The Conservative Party Candidate	526
TRANQUADA, Graham John	Labour and Co-operative Party	216

\* 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 official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	4
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	54
E Rejected in part	0
Total	58

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 6072

Turnout: 45.6%

I duly declare Michael Headley and Max Samuel Charles Royden

elected as Borough Councillors for the Putnoe Ward

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# ELECTION OF BOROUGH COUNCILLORS FOR THE QUEENS PARK WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of Borough Councillors for the Queens Park Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
AHMED, Abdul Razakq	The Conservative Party Candidate	392
AKHTAR, Nesreen	Labour Party	1507 ELECTED
JONES, Hannah Mary	The Green Party	264
KURIA, June	The Conservative Party Candidate	199
MASUD, Mohammed	Labour Party	1291 ELECTED
MAH, Taru	Independent	1290
PATTISON, Michael Charles	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	108
TRENGROVE, Janet Elizabeth	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	96

\* 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 official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	5
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	14
E Rejected in part	0
Total	19

Vacant seats: 2

Electorate: 6244

Turnout: 49.8%

I duly declare Nesreen Akhtar and Mohammed Masud

elected as Borough Councillors for the Queens Park Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE RISELEY WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Riseley Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
MARTIN-DAY, Liam Michael	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	185
TOWLER, Martin Edward James	Conservative Party Candidate	823 ELECTED
WADY, Martyn Jon Philip	Labour Party	352

\* 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 official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	2
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	18
E Rejected in part	0
Total	20

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 2828

Turnout: 50.1%

I duly declare Martin Edward James Towler

elected as Borough Councillor for the Riseley Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE SHARNBROOK WARD

I, P J simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Sharnbrook Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
BARTON, Paul Anthony	Labour Party	69
MCMURDO, Doug	Independent	1006 ELECTED
QUINCE, Martin Howard	Conservative Party Candidate	403
WALSH-MASON, Bernadette Leonie	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	91

\* 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 official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	3
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	5
E Rejected in part	0
Total	8

Vacant seats: 1      Electorate: 3239

Turnout: 49.9%

I duly declare Douglas John McMurdo

elected as Borough Councillor for the Sharnbrook Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE WILSHAMSTEAD WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Wilshamstead Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
ALI, Saqhib Ijthehad	Labour Party	212
COOMBES, Graeme Stuart	The Conservative Party Candidate	992 ELECTED
SMITH, Malcolm Raymond	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	140

\* 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 official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	0
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	18
E Rejected in part	0
Total	18

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 3992

Turnout: 34.8%

I duly declare Graeme Stuart Coombes

elected as Borough Councillor for the Wilshamstead Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE WOOTTON WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Wootton Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
BEARDMORE, Adrien Gordon	Labour Party	181
HALL, Bill	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	192
STEPHENS, Peter	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	273
WHEELER, John Stephen	The Conservative Party Candidate	861 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 official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	4
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	4
E Rejected in part	0
Total	8

Vacant seats: 1      Electorate: 4776

Turnout: 32.4 %

I duly declare John Stephen Wheeler

elected as Borough Councillor for the Wootton Ward

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# ELECTION OF A BOROUGH COUNCILLOR FOR THE WYBOSTON WARD

I, P J Simpkins, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a Borough Councillor for the Wyboston Ward held on Thursday 2 May 2019, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
EYRE, Derek Anthony	Liberal Democrat Focus Team	359
WOOTTON, Tom	Conservative Party Candidate	900 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 official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	1
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	22
E Rejected in part	0
Total	23

Vacant seats: 1

Electorate: 3107

Turnout: 42.1%

I duly declare Thomas Edward Wootton

elected as Borough Councillor for the Wyboston Ward

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## STATEMENT AS TO FIRST AND SECOND PREFERENCE VOTES

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**Date of Election: 2 May 2019**

I, Philip Simpkins, being the Returning Officer for the Mayoral Election held on 2 May 2019 in the Borough of Bedford, state that after the count of first and second preference votes, the number of votes recorded for each candidate is as follows:

Candidate Name	First Preference votes	Second Preference votes for candidates remaining after the count of first preference votes	Total number of votes for Candidates remaining after the count of second preference votes
Dave Hodgson	17,596	3,820	21,416
Giovanni Carafano	15,778	2,327	18,105
Adrian Haynes	2,627		
Jenni Jackson	9,677		
Adrian Spurrell	3,239		

I therefore declare that the said Dave Hodgson is duly elected Mayor for the Borough of Bedford.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:-	Number
(A) want of an official mark	0
(B) voting for more than one candidate	430
(C) writing or mark by which voter could be identified	11
(D) being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	556
(E) rejected in part	4
TOTAL REJECTED	1001

Dated:

P J SIMPKINS  
RETURNING OFFICER

