

## Declaration of Results

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

**Contest Name**

Ward 1 Linn

I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 1 Linn. There is 1 Councillor to be elected.

The electorate was 22,372 and the number of ballot papers received was 5,205 giving a percentage turnout of 23.3%. There were 73 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 2,567.

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

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes
Jen BELL	Elect a Scottish Green Councillor	409
John CARSON	Glasgow Labour	2,227
Kirsty FRASER	Alba Party Yes to Scottish Independence	90
Christopher HO	UKIP	19
Chris LANG-TAIT	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,702
George Willis MACDOUGALL	Scottish Socialist Party "End Fuel Poverty	46
Joe MCCAULEY	Scottish Liberal Democrats	294
Di MCMILLAN	End Lies, Fear and Corruption. Freedom Alliance	18
Pauline SUTHERLAND	Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party	327
Total		5,132

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following is elected as Councillor for the Ward 1 Linn:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
John CARSON	Glasgow Labour	8

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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	14
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	49
(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	10
Total		73