



Election of County Councillor Thursday 1 May 2025

Declaration of Result of Poll

I, John Robinson being the Deputy Returning Officer at the election of County Councillor for the **Newark East Division**, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each candidate at this election held on Thursday 1 May 2025, was as follows: -

Names of Candidates		Number of votes recorded	Number of seats: 1 <small>The word 'elected' will appear against the successful candidate(s)</small>
Surname, Forename(s)	Description		
Adams, Chris	Liberal Democrats	91	
Challans, Daniel Adam	Reform UK	700	
Crosby, Susan	Independent	136	
Geary, Lisa	Labour Party	302	
Smith, Sam Thomas	Local Conservatives	935	Elected
Spours, Matt	Green Party	516	

The total number of ballot papers rejected was **8**

The numbers of ballot papers rejected were as follows: -

a) does not bear the official mark	0
b) votes given for more candidates than voter was entitled to	2
c) written or marked by which the voter can be identified	0
d) being unmarked or void for uncertainty	6
Total number of rejected ballot papers	8

The total number of votes cast across the Newark East Division at this election was **2,688**, and I do hereby declare that the said **Smith, Sam Thomas** is duly elected County Councillor for the Newark East Division

Majority (lowest elected to first placed non-elected candidate)	235
Eligible electorate for this election	8,049
Percentage Turnout (from verification sheet)	33.40%

DATED: Friday 2 May 2025 at:

John Robinson
Deputy Returning Officer