

Declaration of Results

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

Contest Name

Ward 6 - Midlothian South

Here is the result of the election in the Ward 6 - Midlothian South. There are 3 councillors to be elected.

- The percentage poll was 45.2%.
- There were 76 rejected papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 1,238.
- The first preference votes received by each of the candidates was:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of 1st Preferences
Jason FERRY	Independent	478
Cath JOHNSTONE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,067
Jim MUIRHEAD	Scottish Labour Party	1,218
Kieran MUNRO	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	781
Bryan POTTINGER	Scottish Labour Party	464
Ellen SCOTT	Scottish National Party (SNP)	658
Malcolm SPAVEN	Scottish Green Party	283
Total		4,949

After application of the election rules I declare that the following are deemed to be elected as councillors for the Ward 6 - Midlothian South

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Cath JOHNSTONE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	5
Jim MUIRHEAD	Scottish Labour Party	2
Kieran MUNRO	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	7

Returning Officer Signature:

K. G. E. Lewis

Date:

5 May 2017

Midlothian Council

Candidate Votes Per Stage Report

This report describes votes attained by candidates at each stage.

Contest Name	Ward 6 - Midlothian South
Total number of Ballot Papers Received	5,025
Total Number of Valid Votes	4,949
Positions to be Filled	3
Quota	1,238

Stage 1

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Transfer Value	Votes	Status
Jason FERRY	Independent	0.00000	478.00000	
Cath JOHNSTONE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	0.00000	1,067.00000	
Jim MUIRHEAD	Scottish Labour Party	0.00000	1,218.00000	
Kieran MUNRO	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	0.00000	781.00000	
Bryan POTTINGER	Scottish Labour Party	0.00000	464.00000	
Ellen SCOTT	Scottish National Party (SNP)	0.00000	658.00000	
Malcolm SPAVEN	Scottish Green Party	0.00000	283.00000	
Non-transferable votes		0.00000	0.00000	
Total			4,949.00000	

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Stage 2

Exclusion of Malcolm SPAVEN

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Transfer Value	Votes	Status
Jason FERRY	Independent	63.00000	541.00000	
Cath JOHNSTONE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	37.00000	1,104.00000	
Jim MUIRHEAD	Scottish Labour Party	39.00000	1,257.00000	Elected
Kieran MUNRO	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	20.00000	801.00000	
Bryan POTTINGER	Scottish Labour Party	33.00000	497.00000	
Ellen SCOTT	Scottish National Party (SNP)	63.00000	721.00000	
Malcolm SPAVEN	Scottish Green Party	-283.00000	0.00000	
Non-transferable votes		28.00000	28.00000	
Total			4,949.00000	

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Stage 3

Surplus of Jim MUIRHEAD

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Transfer Value	Votes	Status
Jason FERRY	Independent	0.89149	541.89149	
Cath JOHNSTONE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	0.90660	1,104.90660	
Jim MUIRHEAD	Scottish Labour Party	-19.00000	1,238.00000	
Kieran MUNRO	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	0.95193	801.95193	
Bryan POTTINGER	Scottish Labour Party	13.75010	510.75010	
Ellen SCOTT	Scottish National Party (SNP)	0.92171	721.92171	
Malcolm SPAVEN	Scottish Green Party	0.00000	0.00000	
Non-transferable votes		1.57817	29.57817	
Total			4,949.00000	

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Stage 4

Exclusion of Bryan POTTINGER

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Transfer Value	Votes	Status
Jason FERRY	Independent	110.57144	652.46293	
Cath JOHNSTONE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	59.92171	1,164.82831	
Jim MUIRHEAD	Scottish Labour Party	0.00000	1,238.00000	
Kieran MUNRO	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	65.05496	867.00689	
Bryan POTTINGER	Scottish Labour Party	-510.75010	0.00000	
Ellen SCOTT	Scottish National Party (SNP)	26.37501	748.29672	
Malcolm SPAVEN	Scottish Green Party	0.00000	0.00000	
Non-transferable votes		248.82698	278.40515	
Total			4,949.00000	

Candidate Votes Per Stage Report

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Stage 5

Exclusion of Jason FERRY

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Transfer Value	Votes	Status
Jason FERRY	Independent	-652.46293	0.00000	
Cath JOHNSTONE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	130.22665	1,295.05496	Elected
Jim MUIRHEAD	Scottish Labour Party	0.00000	1,238.00000	
Kieran MUNRO	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	181.40797	1,048.41486	
Bryan POTTINGER	Scottish Labour Party	0.00000	0.00000	
Ellen SCOTT	Scottish National Party (SNP)	49.22665	797.52337	
Malcolm SPAVEN	Scottish Green Party	0.00000	0.00000	
Non-transferable votes		291.60166	570.00681	
Total			4,949.00000	

Candidate Votes Per Stage Report

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Stage 6

Surplus of Cath JOHNSTONE

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Transfer Value	Votes	Status
Jason FERRY	Independent	0.00000	0.00000	
Cath JOHNSTONE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	-57.05496	1,238.00000	
Jim MUIRHEAD	Scottish Labour Party	0.00000	1,238.00000	
Kieran MUNRO	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	2.25249	1,050.66735	
Bryan POTTINGER	Scottish Labour Party	0.00000	0.00000	
Ellen SCOTT	Scottish National Party (SNP)	46.55904	844.08241	
Malcolm SPAVEN	Scottish Green Party	0.00000	0.00000	
Non-transferable votes		8.24343	578.25024	
Total			4,949.00000	

Candidate Votes Per Stage Report

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Stage 7

Exclusion of Ellen SCOTT

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Transfer Value	Votes	Status
Jason FERRY	Independent	0.00000	0.00000	
Cath JOHNSTONE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	0.00000	1,238.00000	
Jim MUIRHEAD	Scottish Labour Party	0.00000	1,238.00000	
Kieran MUNRO	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	198.99296	1,249.66031	Elected
Bryan POTTINGER	Scottish Labour Party	0.00000	0.00000	
Ellen SCOTT	Scottish National Party (SNP)	-844.08241	0.00000	
Malcolm SPAVEN	Scottish Green Party	0.00000	0.00000	
Non-transferable votes		645.08945	1,223.33969	
Total			4,949.00000	