

## Election Results

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Contest Name

Ward 3 - Dalkeith

I declare that the result of the election in the Ward 3 - Dalkeith is as follows.

There are 3 councillor(s) to be elected.

The percentage poll was 41.9%. There were 4,198 valid ballot papers and 121 rejected ballot papers.

The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 1,050.

The first preference votes received by each of the candidates and the stage at which any candidate was elected is as follows:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes	Stage at Which Candidate Has Been Elected
Jim BRYANT	Independent	248	0
Colin John CASSIDY	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,142	1
Stephen CURRAN	Scottish Labour Party	976	4
Margot RUSSELL	Scottish Labour Party	800	7
Jill SIMON	Scottish Green Party	168	0
Robin TRAQUAIR	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	706	0
Gary YOUNG	Scottish National Party (SNP)	158	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>4,198</b>	

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Of the total ballot papers, the following were rejected and not counted on account of:

Adjudication Rejection Reason	Number
Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means	0
On which the figure "1" standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate	4
On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	114
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
Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>121</b>

Returning Officer Signature:

K. G. E. Lewis

Date:

5 May 2017