## Glasgow City Council

## Declaration of Results

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

## Contest Name

Ward 8 Southside Central

I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 8 Southside Central. There are 4 Councillors to be elected.
The electorate was 20,537 and the number of ballot papers received was 8,013 giving a percentage turnout of $39.0 \%$. There were 296 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 1,544.

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

| Candidate Name | Affiliation | Number of First Preference Votes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alexander BELIC | Scottish National Party (SNP) | 1,460 |
| Kamran BUTT | Alba Party for independence | 623 |
| Paul Robert DONNELLY | Scottish Socialist Party - End Fuel Poverty | 154 |
| Jamie DYER |  | 41 |
| Elaine GALLAGHER | Elect a Scottish Green Councillor | 1,395 |
| Sam GLASGOW-JACKSON | Scottish Liberal Democrats | 110 |
| Mhairi HUNTER | Scottish National Party (SNP) | 1,185 |
| Tariq PARVEZ | Scottish Conservative and Unionist | 317 |
| James SCANLON | Glasgow Labour | 1,161 |
| Soryia SIDDIQUE | Glasgow Labour | 1,271 |
| Total $\quad 7,717$ |  |  |

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Ward 8 Southside Central:

| Candidate Name | Affiliation | Stage at which <br> Candidate was Elected |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Alexander BELIC | Scottish National Party (SNP) | 6 |
| Elaine GALLAGHER | Elect a Scottish Green Councillor | 6 |
| James SCANLON | Glasgow Labour | 8 |
| Soryia SIDDIQUE | Glasgow Labour | 8 |

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

| 2011 Order <br> 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 <br> electronic means | 0 |
| (b) | On which a number standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some <br> candidate | 34 |
| (c) | On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of <br> more than one candidate | 236 |
| (d) | On which anything is written or marked by which the voter can be identified except the printed <br> number and other unique identifying mark on the back <br> (e) | Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty |
|  |  | Total |

