

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County Council

Lanchester Neighbourhood Planning Referendum

I Helen Lynch, being the Deputy Counting Officer at the above referendum held on Thursday 6 May 2021, do hereby give notice that the results of the votes cast is as follows:

Question		
Do you want Durham County Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Lanchester to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?		
	Votes Recorded	Percentage
Number cast in favour of a Yes	1482	89.28%
Number cast in favour of a No	163	9.82%

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:		Number of ballot papers
A	want of an official mark	1
B	voting for more answers than required	3
C	writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D	being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	11
E	rejected in part	0
Total		15

Electorate: 3315

Ballot Papers Issued: 1660

Turnout: 50.08%

And I do hereby declare that more than half of those voting have voted **in favour** of the Neighbourhood Plan.

Dated Sunday 9 May 2021

Helen Lynch
Deputy Counting Officer

Dated Sunday 9 May 2021

Terry Collins
Returning Officer