

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

Election of a County Councillor for

Chester-le-Street East
on Thursday 4 May 2023

I, John Hewitt, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
BAINBRIDGE, Allan	The Conservative Party Candidate	439
HASWELL, Russell Amor	Liberal Democrat	43
SCURFIELD, Julie Anne	Labour Party	716 Elected

* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	6
E rejected in part	0
Total	6

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 2901

Ballot Papers Issued: 1204

Turnout: 41.50%

And I do hereby declare that, Julie Anne Scurfield is duly elected.

Dated Thursday 4 May 2023

John Hewitt
Returning Officer