

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Gloucestershire County Council Election of a Councillor Highnam County Division

Thursday 1 May 2025

I, Alistair Cunningham, being the Deputy 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* |
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| BOCKING, Graham John | Reform UK | 1063 |
| BRISTOW, Jonathan Richard | Green Party | 157 |
| HANDS, Sarah Jane | Liberal Democrats | 1074 Elected |
| LAPINGTON, Jane Ann (commonly known as Annie LAPINGTON) | Labour Party | 145 |
| MCLAIN, Paul Dermot | The Conservative Party Candidate | 876 |

* 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 | 3 |
| C writing or mark by which voter could be identified | 0 |
| D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty | 4 |
| Total | 7 |

Vacant Seats: 1 Electorate: 9281 Ballot Papers Issued: 3322 Turnout: 35.79%

And I do hereby declare that Sarah Jane Hands is duly elected.

Dated Friday 2 May 2025

Alistair Cunningham
Deputy Returning Officer