

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Stroud District

## Election of a Town Councillor for

**Stroud (Trinity Ward)**  
on Thursday 28 September 2017

I, Hannah Emery, being the Deputy Returning Officer at the election of a Town Councillor for Stroud (Trinity Ward), 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*
<b>DECHAN</b> , Stephen Douglas	Liberal Democrats	262 <b>Elected</b>
<b>MAPPLEBECK</b> , Paul	Labour Party	186

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

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 1755

Ballot Papers Issued: 455

Turnout: 25.9%

And I do hereby declare that

**Stephen Douglas Dechan**

is duly elected.

Dated Thursday 28 September 2017

David Hagg  
Returning Officer