

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Stroud District Council

Election of a District Councillor for Rodborough Ward

on Tuesday 13 October 2026

I, Kathy O'Leary, being the Returning Officer at the above election of a Councillor to **Rodborough 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*
BLOXSOM , John	Labour Party	697 Elected
EASTON , Christopher John	Local Conservatives	103
JAMES , George William	Liberal Democrats	23
LAYFIELD , Robin	Green Party	470
O'BRIEN , Gerald Michael	Reform UK	191

* 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 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 void for uncertainty	2
Total		2

Vacant Seats: 1 Electorate: 3519 Ballot Papers Issued: 1486 Turnout: 42.23 %

And I do hereby declare that John Bloxsom is duly elected.

Dated Tuesday 13 October 2026

Kathy O'Leary
Returning Officer