

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

## Stroud District Council Election of a District Councillor for Stroud Central Ward on Thursday 1 May 2025

I, Kathy O'Leary, being the Returning Officer at the election of a Councillor to **Stroud Central 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	Number of votes*
<b>AERIS</b> , Lucian	UK Independence Party	10
<b>JAMES-HODGES</b> , Cate	Green Party	416
<b>MANNAN-RAHMAN</b> , Hena	The Conservative Party Candidate	60
<b>PURVES</b> , Philip James	Liberal Democrats	27
<b>RIDER</b> , Shelley	Labour Party	118
<b>SMITH</b> , Daryl Leslie Arthur	Reform UK	108

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\* If elected the letter 'E' 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 than 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	4
<b>Total number of rejected ballot papers</b>	<b>4</b>

Vacant Seats: 1    Electorate: 1816    Ballot Papers Issued: 743    Turnout: 40.9%

And I do hereby declare that

**Cate James-Hodges**

is duly elected.

Dated Friday, 2 May 2025

Kathy O'Leary  
Returning Officer

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