

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

## Election of a District Councillor for

The Beeches Ward  
on Thursday 12 March 2026

I, Jane Portman, being the Returning Officer for the election of councillors for The Beeches 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*
EVANS, Paul David	Liberal Democrats	390 Elected
IRVING, Robert William	Green Party	53
LITTLER-JENNINGS, Joshua	Labour Party Candidate	7
SHAW, Benjamin James	Local Conservatives	122
VAUGHAN, Mackenzie Jayne	Reform UK	168

\* 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	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	1
E rejected in part	0
Total	2

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 2195

Ballot Papers Issued: 742

Turnout: 33.80%

And I do hereby declare that, Paul David Evans is duly elected.

Dated Thursday 12 March 2026

Jane Portman  
Returning Officer