

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

North Hertfordshire District Council

Election of a District Councillor for

Hitchwood

on Thursday 2 May 2024

I, Melanie Stimpson, being the 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* |
|---|----------------------------------|------------------|
| CARR Francis William commonly known as CARR Frank | Labour Party | 204 |
| GRAZIANO Giuseppe commonly known as GRAZIANO Joe | The Conservative Party Candidate | 472 Elected |
| STANIER Carol Ann | Liberal Democrat | 190 |

* 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: 2329 Ballot Papers Issued: 868 Turnout: 37.27%

And I do hereby declare that, Giuseppe Graziano is duly elected.

Dated Friday 3 May 2024

Melanie Stimpson
Returning Officer