

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Kent County Council

Election of a County Councillor for

Ashford Rural East
on Thursday 1 May 2025

I, Tracey Kerly, being the Deputy 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*
COLLINS, Brian Philip	Reform UK	2260 Elected
GIDEON, Joanna Mary commonly known as GIDEON, Jo	The Conservative Party Candidate	1204
KNIGHT, Caroline Mary Anne	Liberal Democrats	412
MARSH, Patricia Jane commonly known as MARSH, Pat	The Green Party	1381
ROE, Xanthe Kyriacou Yvonne commonly known as ROE, Xanthe	Labour Party	434

* 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	8
E rejected in part	0
Total	9

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 14537 Ballot Papers Issued: 5701

Turnout: 39%

And I do hereby declare that COLLINS, Brian Philip is duly elected.

Dated Friday 2 May 2025

Tracey Kerly
Deputy Returning Officer