

Election Results

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Contest Name

Ward 2 - Preston Seton and Gosford

I declare that the result of the election in the Ward 2 - Preston Seton and Gosford is as follows.

There are 4 councillor(s) to be elected.

The percentage poll was 51.5%. There were 7,397 valid ballot papers and 178 rejected ballot papers.

The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 1,480.

The first preference votes received by each of the candidates and the stage at which any candidate was elected is as follows:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes	Stage at Which Candidate Has Been Elected
Lachlan BRUCE	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	1,784	1
Ghill Duncan DONALD	Scottish Liberal Democrats	180	0
Neil George GILBERT	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,197	8
Willie INNES	Scottish Labour Party	1,801	1
Fiona O'DONNELL	Scottish Labour Party	932	6
Lesley Anne ORR	Scottish Green Party	230	0
Brian WEDDELL	Scottish Labour Party	429	0
Janis WILSON	Scottish National Party (SNP)	844	0
Total		7,397	

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Of the total ballot papers, the following were rejected and not counted on account of:

Adjudication Rejection Reason	Number
Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means	0
On which the figure "1" standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate	13
On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	156
On which anything is written or marked by which the voter can be identified except the printed number and other unique identifying mark on the back	4
Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	5
Total	178

Returning Officer Signature: _____

Date: _____