

# Swale Borough Council

## Election of Borough Councillor for Murston Borough Ward

### DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

I, Larissa Reed, being the Returning Officer at the election held on Thursday, 21 November 2024, DO HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that the number of votes cast for each candidate at the election is as follows:

| Name of Candidate     | Description                         | Votes Recorded<br>(E): Elected |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Bencych, Mariusz      | Local Conservatives                 | 116                            |
| Bobbett, Ian Michael  | Reform UK                           | 139                            |
| Eseku, Rakel Morenike | Labour Party                        | 229                            |
| Pollard, Carrie       | Swale Independents<br>a local voice | 269(E)                         |
| Stennings, Alexander  | Liberal Democrats                   | 26                             |

And I hereby declare that Carrie Pollard has been duly elected

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| The Number of Ballot Papers Rejected was as follows:          |          |
| (a) Want of Official Mark                                     | 1        |
| (b) Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to |          |
| (c) Writing or mark by which the voter could be identified    | 1        |
| (d) Being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty             |          |
| Total spoilt votes  | <b>2</b> |

Vacant seats: 1      Electorate: 4717

Ballot Papers Issued: 781

Turnout 17%:

Dated: 22 November 2024

Larissa Reed, Returning Officer

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