Fife Council

Declaration of Results

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Contest Name

Ward 13 - Glenrothes West & Kinglassie

I will now declare the result of the election in the Ward 13 - Glenrothes West & Kinglassie. There are 3 Councillors to be elected.

The electorate was 12,068 and the number of ballot papers received was 4,691 giving a percentage turnout of 38.9%. There were 103 rejected ballot papers. The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected was 1,148.

The number of first preference votes for each of the candidates was:

Candidate Name	Affiliation		Number of First Preference Votes
Altany Steel Andrew CRAIK	Scottish Labour Party		1,491
David CROLL	Scottish Conservative and Unionist		531
Julie Christina FORD	Scottish National Party (SNP)		1,740
Ian ROBERTSON			119
Keith William SMITH	Scottish Liberal Democrats		174
Craig WALKER	Scottish National Party (SNP)		533
		Total	4,588

After application of the Election Rules, I declare that the following are elected as Councillors for the Ward 13 - Glenrothes West & Kinglassie:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Stage at which Candidate was Elected
Altany Steel Andrew CRAIK	Scottish Labour Party	1
Julie Christina FORD	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Craig WALKER	Scottish National Party (SNP)	5

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

2011 Order Rule 44(1)	Adjudication Rejection Reason	Number
(a)	Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means	0
(b)	On which a number standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate	72
(c)	On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	22
(d)	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	0
(e)	Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	9
	Total	103