

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

East Suffolk Council

## Election of District Councillors

to

## Melton District Ward

on

Thursday, 4 May 2023

I, Chris Bally, 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)	Votes Recorded (E): Elected
<b>BICKNELL</b> Katherine	Labour Party	178
<b>PORTER</b> Alan Harry	The Conservative Party Candidate	641
<b>SMITH-LYTE</b> Rachel Ann	The Green Party	890 (E)

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A Want of official mark	0
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	3
C Writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	4
E Rejected in part	0
<b>Total Rejected Votes:</b>	<b>7</b>

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 3,594

Ballot Papers Issued: 1,716

Turnout: 47.7 %

And I do hereby declare that Rachel Ann **SMITH-LYTE** is duly elected.



Dated: Friday, 5 May 2023

Chris Bally  
Returning Officer