## BY ELECTION 07-04-2016 Declaration of Results Ward 9 - Almond and Earn 07/04/2016

I declare that the result of the election in the Ward 9 - Almond and Earn is as follows.

There are 1 councillors to be elected.

The percentage poll was 39.33%. There were 3431 valid papers and 19 rejected papers.

The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 1716.

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

Name of Candidate	Number of First Preference Votes	Stage at which candidate has been elected
Kathleen BAIRD	1651	3
Denise BAYKAL	77	
George HAYTON	157	
Wilma LUMSDEN	1327	
Dave MACKENZIE	219	

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

Adjudication Reject 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	10
On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	8
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
Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	1
Total number of ballot papers rejected	19

Signature Returning Officer

Date