

Election Results

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| Contest Name |
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Ward 14 - Inverness Central

I declare that the result of the election in the Ward 14 - Inverness Central is as follows.

There are 3 councillor(s) to be elected.

The percentage poll was 39.5%. There were 3,419 valid ballot papers and 64 rejected ballot papers.

The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 855.

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 |
|------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| Janet CAMPBELL | Independent | 522 | 8 |
| Russell DEACON | Scottish Green Party | 208 | 0 |
| DONNIE KERR | Independent | 360 | 0 |
| MARGOT KERR | Scottish Liberal Democrats | 154 | 0 |
| Richard LAIRD | Scottish National Party (SNP) | 1,122 | 1 |
| Donald MACKENZIE | Scottish Conservative and Unionist | 426 | 0 |
| Bet MCALLISTER | Scottish Labour Party | 577 | 6 |
| Diane WILKINSON | Independent | 50 | 0 |
| | Total | 3,419 | |

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

| Adjudication Rejection Reason | Number |
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| 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 | 4 |
| On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate | 56 |
| 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 | 4 |
| Total | 64 |

Returning Officer Signature: _____

Date: _____