

DECLARATION OF THE RESULT OF POLL ELECTION OF A CITY COUNCILLOR FOR THE TOWN CLOSE WARD

I, Louise Rawsthorne, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a City Councillor for the TOWN CLOSE Ward held on Thursday 7 May 2026, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the Election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes Recorded*
ALSTON , Lisa Charlotte	Labour and Co-operative Party	1313
BROOME , Mark	Reform UK	526
CHACKSFIELD , Mary Josephine	The Conservative Party Candidate	309
FAIRBAIRN , David Angus	Liberal Democrat	185
OLIVER , Cate	The Green Party	1973 * Elected

* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

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	1
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	16
Total	17

Vacant Seats: 1 Electorate: 8176 Turnout: 52.86%

I duly declare GATE OLIVER is elected as City Councillor for Town Close

Returning Officer
Louise Rawsthorne

Dated: Friday 8 May 2026

Returning Officer, Norwich City Council, City Hall, Norwich, NR2 1NH