

DECLARATION OF THE RESULT OF POLL ELECTION OF A CITY COUNCILLOR FOR THE UNIVERSITY WARD

I, Louise Rawsthorne, being the Returning Officer at the Election of a City Councillor for the UNIVERSITY 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*
AINSLEY , Matthew	Labour and Co-operative Party	578
ASHBURN , Jenny	Reform UK	672
HAWKETTS , James Andrew	Liberal Democrat	455
MENUAL , Patricia Marie	The Conservative Party Candidate	132
SEARLE , Tammy	The Green Party	1384 * 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	2
B Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	0
C Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D Being unmarked or void for uncertainty	10
Total	12

Vacant Seats: 1 Electorate: 8247 Turnout: 39.24%

I duly declare TAMMY SEARLE is elected as City Councillor for University Ward

Returning Officer
Louise Rawsthorne

Dated: Friday 8 May 2026

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