

Cliffe Woods ward of Cliffe and Cliffe Woods Parish by-election

Declaration of result

I, the undersigned, being the Deputy Returning Officer for the Parish ward hereby give notice that the number of votes given for each candidate in the Cliffe Woods Parish ward by-election was as follows:

Annette Elizabeth Cooper		183
Andrew John Keates, known as Andy Keates	Independent	96
Andrew Lawrence Millsom	Liberal Democrat	17

and declare that **Annette Elizabeth Cooper** has been elected as Councillor for the Parish ward

Rejected votes

The number of votes rejected and not counted by me at this election was:

For want of Official Mark	0
For voting for more than one candidate	0
For writing or marks by which the voter could be identified	0
For being unmarked or voided for uncertainty	2
Total	2

Verification statement

As Deputy Returning Officer I declare that having conducted the verification of ballot papers for this by-election:

The total number of verified ballot papers from the polling stations is	161
The total number of verified postal ballot papers is	137
The total number of ballot papers verified is	298
The electorate as of today is	2220
And the turnout is	13.4%