

**LIVE ELECTIONS MAY 2012**  
**Declaration of Results**  
**Kirkintilloch East & Twechar Ward**  
**04/05/2012**

I declare that the result of the election in the Kirkintilloch East & Twechar Ward is as follows.

There are 3 councillors to be elected.

The percentage poll was 40.01%. There were 3568 valid papers and 72 rejected papers.

The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 893.

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

<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Number of First Preference Votes</b>	<b>Stage at which candidate has been elected</b>
John JAMIESON	868	3
Samantha JOHNSTONE	66	
Alison LOTHIAN	118	
Stewart MACDONALD	1293	1
Jim NEILL	241	
Willie TELFER	41	
Jack YOUNG	941	1

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

<b>Adjudication Reject Reason</b>	<b>Number</b>
<b>Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means;</b>	0
<b>On which the figure "1" standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate</b>	1
<b>On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate</b>	58
<b>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</b>	0
<b>Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty</b>	13
<b>Total number of ballot papers rejected</b>	72

Signature  
 Returning Officer

Date