

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL**Election of a Parish Councillor for
Taunton (Halcon & Lane Ward)**

on Thursday 4 May 2023

I, Andrew Pritchard, being the Deputy Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
CLARK, James Louis	Conservative Party Candidate	214
ELY, Stanley Joseph	Labour Party	158
SALTER, Lauren Denise	Conservative Party Candidate	207
STRAUS, Martin G	Liberal Democrats	555 Elected
TULLY, Raymond Alec	Liberal Democrats	519 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 an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	2
E rejected in part	0
Total	2

Vacant Seats: 2

Electorate: 4373

Ballot Papers Issued: 488

Turnout: 20.24%

And I do hereby declare that Martin G Straus and Raymond Alec Tully are duly elected.

Dated: 5 May 2023

Andrew Pritchard
Deputy Returning Officer