

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

West Sussex County Council

Election of a County Councillor for

Haywards Heath Town
on Thursday 7 May 2026

I, Kathryn Hall, 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*
KAIL, Richard	Green Party	575
MCCULLOCH, Thomas William	Reform UK	901
MORLEY, David George	Labour Party	190
WARD, Caroline Jane	Liberal Democrats	1889 Elected
WICKREMARATCHI, Lasitha Sujana	The Conservative Party Candidate	892

* 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	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	8
E rejected in part	0
Total	9

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 9835

Ballot Papers Issued: 4457

Turnout: 45.32%

And I do hereby declare that, Caroline Jane Ward is duly elected.

Dated Friday 8 May 2026

Kathryn Hall
Deputy Returning Officer