

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Neighbourhood Planning Referendum

Hailsham Neighbourhood Planning Area

I, Heather Blanshard, being the Deputy Counting Officer at the above referendum held on Thursday 6 May 2021 do hereby give notice that the result of the votes cast is as follows:

Question:		
<i>“Do you want Wealden District Council to use the neighbourhood plan for Hailsham to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?”</i>		
	Votes Recorded	Percentage
Number cast in favour of a Yes	3770	72.82%
Number cast in favour of a No	1408	27.20%

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows :-		Number of ballot papers
A	want of an official mark	0
B	voting for more answers than required	0
C	writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	0
D	being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	119
TOTAL		119

Electorate **17458** **Ballot Papers Issued** **5296** **Turnout** **30.34%**

And I do hereby declare that more than half of those voting have voted:

YES in response to the question: “Do you want Wealden District Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Hailsham to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?”

Dated Friday 7th May 2021


Heather Blanshard
Deputy Counting Officer