LIVE ELECTIONS MAY 2012

Declaration of Results Inverurie and District Ward 04/05/2012

I declare that the result of the election in the Inverurie and District Ward is as follows.

There are 4 councillors to be elected.

The percentage poll was 34.85%. There were 3497 valid papers and 59 rejected papers.

The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 700.

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

	Number of First Preference Votes	Stage at which candidate has been elected
Richard COWLING	608	7
Martin Christopher KITTS-HAYES	606	5
Karen A MACKENZIE	113	
Mike RAEBURN	211	
Ron REID	196	
Bryan STUART	688	2
Ellis THORPE	463	
Hamish VERNAL	612	7

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

Adjudication Reject Reason	Number
Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means;	0
On which the figure "1" standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate	4
On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	55
On which anything is written or marked by which the voter can be identified except the printed number and	33
other unique identifying mark on the back	0
Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	0
Total number of ballot papers rejected	59

Signature Returning Officer

Date