

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Hertsmere Council

Election of Councillor to Hertsmere Borough Council
Bentley Heath & The Royds Ward

held on Thursday, 7 May 2026

I, Sajida Bijle, being the 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)	Votes Recorded (E): Elected
GRAHAM, John Martin	The Conservative Party Candidate	700 (E)
HUMPHRIES, John	Green Party	205
RHODES, Simon Edward	Reform UK	607
SMITH, Theresa Noreen	Liberal Democrat	93
WORRELL, Lisa	Labour Party Candidate	491

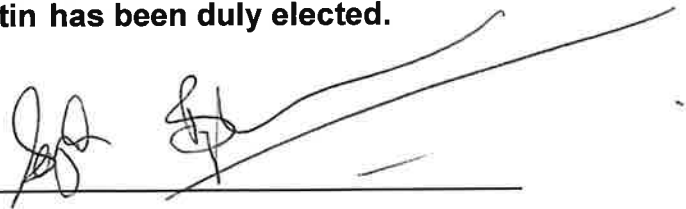
The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
Want of official mark	0
Voting for more candidates than the voter was entitled to	0
Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
Unmarked or void for uncertainty	4
Rejected in part	0
Total rejected ballot papers	4

Vacant seat(s): 1 Electorate: 4420 Total votes cast: 2100 Turnout: 47.51%

And I do hereby declare that GRAHAM, John Martin has been duly elected.

Dated: Thursday, 7 May 2026

Signed: _____



Returning Officer

