DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL

Election of a Parish Councillor for

Berwick upon Tweed (Castle Ward) on Thursday 1 May 2025

I, Dr Helen Paterson, 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 | Description | Number of |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Candidate | (if any) | Votes* |
| BROWN, Graham Michael | | 245 |
| DRIVER, Rachel Victoria | | 426 Elected |
| ROWE, Philip James | Independent | 433 Elected |
| SEYMOUR, Catherine | The Conservative Party Candidate | 420 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 |
|--|---|-------------------------|
| Α | want of an official mark | 0 |
| В | voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to | 1 |
| С | writing or mark by which voter could be identified | 0 |
| D | being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty | 35 |
| Е | rejected in part | 0 |
| | Total | 36 |

Vacant Seats: 3 Electorate: 2204 Ballot Papers Issued: 914 Turnout:

41.47%

And I do hereby declare that, Rachel Victoria Driver, Philip James Rowe, Catherine Seymour are duly elected.