

# Hartlepool Borough Council

## DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Thursday 3 May 2018

### Election of a Borough Councillor for RURAL WEST WARD

I, Gill Alexander, 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)	Number of Votes*
James BREWER	Independent	366
Michael HOLT	Green Party Candidate	121
Helen HOWSON	Labour Party	361
Brenda LOYNES	Conservatives	1189 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
A want of an official mark	
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	3
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>

And I do hereby declare that

**Brenda LOYNES**

is duly elected.

4th May 2018



Gill Alexander  
Returning Officer