
NORTH AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

8 September 2021

North Ayrshire Council

Title: Report of the Returning Officer

Purpose: To advise on the outcome of the North Ayrshire Council Ward 6 Dalry and West Kilbride By-Election and on the Declaration of Acceptance of Office by the new Elected Member for that Ward.

Recommendation: That the Council notes the result of the Ward 6 Dalry and West Kilbride By-Election and that the new Elected Member has signed the Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

1. Executive Summary

- 1.1 This report provides details of the result of the North Ayrshire Council Ward 6 Dalry and West Kilbride By-Election held on Thursday 12 August 2021 and on the signing of the Declaration of Acceptance of Office by the new Elected Member.

2. Background

- 2.1 The North Ayrshire Council By-Election for Ward 6 Dalry and West Kilbride was held on Thursday 12 August 2021 with the electronic verification and counting of votes (eCount) taking place on Friday 13 August 2021 in Dalry Primary School.

3. Proposals

- 3.1 As Returning Officer, I wish to report that Ronnie Stalker, Scottish Conservative and Unionist was elected to serve the Dalry and West Kilbride Ward of North Ayrshire Council from Friday 13 August 2021, with the full complement of Elected Members for the Dalry and West Kilbride Ward detailed below:-

Ward 6 Dalry and West Kilbride	Elected Members
No of Members elected to the Ward is 3	Councillor Robert Barr (existing Member) Independent Councillor Todd Ferguson (existing Member) Scottish Conservative and Unionist Ronnie Stalker (new Member) Scottish Conservative and Unionist

3.2 I wish to further report that the Acceptance of Declaration of Office was duly signed by Ronnie Stalker on 13 August 2021 in the presence of the Council's Monitoring Officer, Aileen Craig, and in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1973.

4. Implications/Socio-economic Duty

Financial

4.1 None arising from this report.

Human Resources

4.2 None arising from this report.

Legal

4.3 None arising from this report.

Equality/Socio-economic

4.4 None arising from this report.

Environmental and Sustainability

4.5 None arising from this report.

Key Priorities

4.6 None arising from this report.

Community Wealth Building

4.7 None arising from this report.

5. Consultation

5.1 The Council's Monitoring Officer was consulted in the preparation of this report.

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Background Papers

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