

19 May 2022 at 4 pm.

A Hybrid Meeting of the **NORTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL**

PRESENT

Councillor Magowan, Provost; Councillor Thomas, Depute Provost; Councillors Ashraf, Ballinger, Barclay, Baudo, Beveridge, Boyd, Brannan-McVey, Brennan, Burgess, Bustard, Cairns, Campbell, Carragher, Costello, M. Coyle, S. Coyle, Crichton, Currie, Di Mascio, Docherty, Duffy, Duffy-Lawson, Dunbar, Fisher, Fotheringham, Goldie, Hughes, Hume, Jarvie, D. Johnston, T. Johnston, Jones, Kelly, Keltie, Khan, Larson, Leckie, Lennon, Linden, Logue, Loughran, MacGregor, Masterton, McBride, McCluskey, B. McCulloch, M. McCulloch, McDade, McKay, McKendrick, McLaren, McManus, McNally, McPake, McPhilemy, McVey, Mitchell, Nolan, Patton, Reddin, Roarty, Robb, Robinson, Shevlin, Shields, Smith, Stevenson, A. Stubbs, L. Stubbs, Sullivan, Toner, Watson, Williams, Wilson and Woods.

CHAIR

The Chief Executive in his capacity as Returning Officer took the Chair pending the election of the new Provost.

IN ATTENDANCE

The Chief Executive; Deputy Chief Executive; Chief Accountable Officer, Health and Social Care; Head of Financial Solutions; Head of Legal and Democratic Solutions; Head of Strategic Communication; Democratic Services Manager, and Committee Officer.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN TERMS OF THE ETHICAL STANDARDS IN PUBLIC LIFE ETC. (SCOTLAND) ACT 2000

1. The Council noted that there were no declarations of interest.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S REMARKS

2. The Chief Executive took the opportunity to welcome the newly Elected Members and returning Elected Members to the statutory meeting of the Council and placed on record his thanks to those Elected Members not returning for their tireless work undertaken on behalf of the Council and their constituents.

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3. There was submitted a statement by the Returning Officer of persons elected on 5 May 2022 to serve as Councillors for the various electoral wards in North Lanarkshire.

Decided: that the statement be noted and printed as Annex 1 to this Minute.

ELECTION OF PROVOST

4. The Chief Executive invited nominations for the election of Provost.

Councillor Linden, seconded by Councillor Carragher, moved that Councillor Magowan be appointed Provost.

Decided: that Councillor Magowan be appointed Provost of North Lanarkshire.

CHAIR

5. Councillor Magowan was presented with the chain of office and assumed the Chair.

ELECTION OF DEPUTE PROVOST

6. Councillor Linden, seconded by Councillor Carragher, moved that Councillor Thomas be appointed Depute Provost of the Council.

Decided: that Councillor Thomas be appointed Depute Provost of the Council.

APPOINTMENT OF LEADER OF THE COUNCIL

7. Councillor Carragher, seconded by Councillor Barclay, moved that Councillor Linden be appointed Leader of the Council.

Decided: that Councillor Linden be appointed Leader of the Council.

DEPUTE LEADER OF THE COUNCIL

8. Councillor Linden, seconded by Councillor Barclay, moved that Councillor Carragher be appointed Depute Leader of the Council.

Decided: that Councillor Carragher be appointed Depute Leader of the Council.

ANNEX 1

**NORTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL
COUNCIL ELECTION RESULTS
TWENTY ONE MULTI-MEMBER WARDS**

Ward 1 – Kilsyth

Percentage Poll: 45.4%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 142

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Heather Brannan-McVey	Scottish Labour Party	1
Denis Johnston	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Jean Jones	Scottish Labour Party	1

Ward 2 - Cumbernauld North

Percentage Poll: 47%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 164

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Danish Ashraf	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2
Gordon Currie	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	8
Tom Fisher	Scottish Labour Party	1
Alan Masterton	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1

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Ward 3 - Cumbernauld South

Percentage Poll: 45.9%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 163

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Ann Ballinger	Scottish National Party (SNP)	8
William Goldie	Scottish National Party (SNP)	8
Peter McDade	Scottish Labour Party	6
James McPhilemy	Scottish Labour Party	1

Ward 4 - Cumbernauld East

Percentage Poll: 42.7%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 209

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Claire Barclay	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Tom Johnston	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2
Barry McCulloch	Scottish Labour Party	4
Adam Smith	Scottish National Party (SNP)	7

Ward 5 - Stepps, Chryston and Muirhead

Percentage Poll: 46.9%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 111

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Josh Cairns	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
John McLaren	Scottish Labour Party	4
Claire Louise Williams	Scottish Greens – Think Global Act Local	7

Ward 6 - Gartcosh, Glenboig and Moodiesburn

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Percentage Poll: 42.6%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 80

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Joanne Katy Keltie	Scottish National Party (SNP)	5
Greg Lennon	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Michael McPake	Scottish Labour Party	5

Ward 7 - Coatbridge North

Percentage Poll: 42.5%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 148

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Kirsten Larson	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Alexander McVey	Scottish Labour Party	1
Bill Shields	Scottish Labour Party	9
Allan Stubbs	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2

Ward 8 - Airdrie North

Percentage Poll: 37.8%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 122

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Alan Beveridge	Independent	1
Sophia Coyle	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Henry Emerson Dunbar	Scottish Labour Party	1
Richard Alan Sullivan	Scottish National Party (SNP)	8

Ward 9 - Airdrie Central

Percentage Poll: 37.9%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 129

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Chris Costello	Scottish Labour Party	1
Lesley Jarvie	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Jim Logue	Scottish Labour Party	1
Janice Catherine Toner	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2

Ward 10 - Coatbridge West

Percentage Poll: 38.9%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 159

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Kevin Docherty	Scottish Labour Party	1
Lesley Mitchell	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Gary Robinson	Scottish National Party (SNP)	5

Ward 11 - Coatbridge South

Percentage Poll: 38.4%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 209

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Andrew Bustard	Scottish Labour Party	1
Tracy Carragher	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Fergus MacGregor	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Geraldine Woods	Scottish Labour Party	6

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Ward 12 - Airdrie South

Percentage Poll: 41.3%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 193

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Michael Joseph Coyle	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Paul Di Mascio	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2
Michael McBride	Scottish Labour Party	1
Sandy Watson	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	5

Ward 13 – Fortissat

Percentage Poll: 38.7%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 123

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Margaret Hughes	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
John Jo Leckie	British Unionists – For A Better Britain	5
Martin McCulloch	Scottish Labour Party	1
Kenneth Stevenson	Scottish Labour Party	6

Ward 14- Thorniewood

Percentage Poll: 41.7%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 81

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Margaret Boyd	Scottish Labour Party	5
Helen Loughran	Scottish Labour Party	1
Barry McCluskey	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1

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Ward 15 – Bellshill

Percentage Poll: 39%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 153

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Angela Campbell	Scottish Labour Party	1
Jordan James Linden	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Pat Patton	Scottish Labour Party	5
Lisa Stubbs	Scottish National Party (SNP)	5

Ward 16 - Mossend and Holytown

Percentage Poll: 38.2%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 152

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Beth Baudo	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Frank McNally	Scottish Labour Party	1
Jim Reddin	Scottish Labour Party	6

Ward 17 - Motherwell West

Percentage Poll: 42.9%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 168

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
David Crichton	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Paul Kelly	Scottish Labour Party	3
Lorraine Nolan	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	6

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Ward 18 - Motherwell North

Percentage Poll: 39.4%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 179

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Gerry Brennan	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Andrew Duffy-Lawson	Scottish Labour Party	1
Ayeshah Khan	Scottish Labour Party	5
Anne Thomas	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2

Ward 19 - Motherwell South East and Ravenscraig

Percentage Poll: 40.2%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 190

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Kenneth Duffy	Scottish Labour Party	1
Agnes Magowan	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
David Robb	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2
Nathan Wilson	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	8

Ward 20 – Murdostoun

Percentage Poll: 40.4%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 136

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Robert John McKendrick	Independent	1
Cameron McManus	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2
Louise Roarty	Scottish Labour Party	5
Nicky Shevlin	Scottish Labour Party	7

Ward 21 – Wishaw

Percentage Poll: 40.8%

Total Ballot Papers Rejected: 186

Name	Party	Elected at Stage Number
Bob Burgess	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	5
Fiona Fotheringham	Scottish National Party (SNP)	1
Jim Hume	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2
Frank McKay	Scottish Labour Party	1