

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

West Berkshire

Hermitage Neighbourhood Planning Referendum

I, Nigel Lynn, being the Counting Officer at the above referendum held on Thursday 2 May 2024, do hereby give notice that the results of the votes cast is as follows:

Question		
Do you want West Berkshire Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Hermitage to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?		
	Votes Recorded	Percentage
Number cast in favour of a No	36	9%
Number cast in favour of a Yes	363	91%

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more answers than required	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
Total	3

Electorate: 1523

Ballot Papers Issued: 402

Turnout:

26%

And I do hereby declare that more than half of those voting have voted **in favour of** the Neighbourhood Plan.

Dated 3 May 2024

Nigel Lynn
Counting Officer