

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME BOROUGH COUNCIL

Election of Town Councillors for Kidsgrove (Newchapel & Mow Cop ward) on Thursday 7 May 2026

I, Gordon Mole, 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*
ALLEN, Mark	The Labour Party Candidate	380
COOPER, Angela	The Labour Party Candidate	411
COOPER, Keith	The Labour Party Candidate	386
DAVIES, Gordon Hugh	Independent	450 Elected
DOWNS, Jonathan Christopher	Reform UK	1044 Elected
PICKUP, Sarah Elizabeth	The Labour Party Candidate	386
SHENTON, Georgia	Independent	407
STEVENSON, Scott Thomas	Reform UK	1001 Elected
TAYLOR, Janine Frances	Reform UK	1000 Elected
VODREY, Claire	The Labour Party Candidate	360
WILLIAMS, Ray	Independent	465 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	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	1
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	31
E rejected in part	7 (3 votes)
Total	32

Vacant Seats: 5

Electorate: 4465

Ballot Papers Issued: 1839

Turnout 41.2%

And I do hereby declare that

DOWNS, Jonathan Christopher
HUGH, Gordon Hugh
STEVENSON, Scott Thomas
TAYLOR, Janine Frances
WILLIAMS, Ray

are duly elected.

Dated Monday 11 May 2026

Gordon Mole
Returning Officer