

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

North Hertfordshire District Council

Election of Parish Councillors for

Royston Heath

on Thursday 7 May 2026

I, Melanie Stimpson, 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*
CLACHAN Ruby	Green Party Candidate	324
FREEMAN Elizabeth Kathleen Mary	Liberal Democrats	974 Elected
LONGLAND Oliver commonly known as LONGLAND Oly	Green Party Candidate	374
MAY Bryony Clare	Liberal Democrats	1045 Elected
MCGOWAN Edward George commonly known as MCGOWAN Ed	Liberal Democrats	883 Elected
NUTTING Edward Charles commonly known as NUTTING Ed	Liberal Democrats	832 Elected
PINNOCK Helen Elizabeth	Green Party Candidate	320

* 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	9
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	99
E rejected in part	350
Total	458

Vacant Seats: 4 Electorate: 3986 Ballot Papers Issued: 1443 Turnout: 36.20%

And I do hereby declare that, Elizabeth Kathleen Mary Freeman, Bryony Clare May, Edward George McGowan, Edward Charles Nutting are duly elected.

Dated Friday 8 May 2026

Melanie Stimpson
Returning Officer