

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

## Horsham District Council

### Referendum on the Neighbourhood Plan for the area of Billingshurst

I Glen Chipp, being the Returning Officer at the above referendum held on Thursday 6 May 2021, do hereby give notice that the results of the votes cast is as follows:

<b>Question</b>		
<b>Do you want Horsham District Council to use the neighbourhood plan for Billingshurst to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?</b>		
	<b>Votes Recorded</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Number cast in favour of a <b>Yes</b>	2,388	87.83 %
Number cast in favour of a <b>No</b>	331	12.17 %

<b>The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:</b>	<b>Number of ballot papers</b>
A want of an official mark	46
B voting for more answers than required	13
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	0
E rejected in part	0
Total	59

Electorate: 7,744

Ballot Papers Issued: 2,778

Turnout: 35.87%

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

Dated 10 May 2021

Glen Chipp  
Returning Officer