

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Torridge

## Election of a Parish Councillor for

Appledore  
on Thursday 17 April 2025

I, Steve Hearse, 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*
BELL, Jeremy Aidan	Independent	350 Elected
SUMMERHILL, John Derek commonly known as SUMMERHILL, John	Independent	102
WOODHOUSE, Carrie	Conservative Party Candidate	272

\* 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	1
C	writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D	being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	31
E	rejected in part	0
Total		

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 2995

Ballot Papers Issued: 756

Turnout: 25.24%

And I do hereby declare that, Jeremy Aidan Bell is duly elected.

Dated Friday 18 April 2025

Steve Hearse  
Returning Officer