**DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL**

**Chichester District Council**

**Election of a District Councillor for**

**Chichester Central Ward**

on **Thursday 4 May 2023**

I, Diane Shepherd, 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:

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| **Name of**  **Candidate** | **Description**  **(if any)** | **Number of Votes** |
| FIELD, James Michael | Labour and Co-operative Party | 107 |
| RECORD, Mark Robert | Green Party | 92 |
| ROBERTS, Nicholas Hart | The Conservative Party Candidate | 275 |
| VIVIAN, James Henry Hussey | Liberal Democrats | 404 (Elected) |

\* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

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| **The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:** | **Number of**  **ballot papers** |
| A want of an official mark |  |
| B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to | 3 |
| C writing or mark by which voter could be identified | 1 |
| D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty | 7 |
| E rejected in part |  |
| Total | 11 |

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| Vacant Seats: 1 | Electorate: 2148 |  | Turnout: 41.29% |

And I do hereby declare that James Vivian is duly elected.