

POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER ELECTION

2 MAY 2024

GLOUCESTERSHIRE POLICE AREA

COTSWOLD VOTING AREA

STATEMENT OF THE CONCLUSION OF THE COUNT

As the Local Returning Officer appointed for the voting area of Cotswold Voting Area at the election for the Police and Crime Commissioner for the GLOUCESTERSHIRE POLICE AREA on 2 May 2024, I hereby certify:

The total number of ballot papers verified is:	16,848
The total number of rejected ballot papers is:	116
The total number of valid votes is:	16,732

The total number of valid votes cast for each of the candidates is as follows:		
Candidate	Party	Number of votes
NELSON, Chris	Conservative Candidate – More Police, Safer Streets	7,814
RANDOLPH, Matthew James	Independent	1,295
SMITH, Ashley	Labour and Co-operative Party	2,046
SURL, Martin	Liberal Democrat	5,577

The number of ballot papers rejected is as follows:		
a)	Want of an official mark	0
b)	Voting for more than one candidate	20
c)	Writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	1
d)	Unmarked or void for uncertainty	95
Total rejected		116

Signed:	Robert Weaver
Date:	Thursday 3 May 2024