## **DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL**

**Braintree District Council** 

## **Election of a District Councillor for**

Witham West on Thursday 2 October 2008

I, Allan Reid, 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*	
COHEN, Geoffrey	The Conservative Party Candidate	508 Elected	
PARTRIDGE, Wendy Anne	Green Party Candidate	178	
REEKIE, Joy Brenda	Liberal Democrat	182	
TEARLE, Kathleen E.	The Labour Party Candidate	373	

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

The	Number of Ballot papers	
А	want of an official mark	
В	voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	
С	writing or mark by which voter could be identified	
D	being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	2
Е	rejected in part	
	Total	1243

Vacant Seats:	Electorate:	Ballot Papers Issued:	Turnout:
1	5184	1243	23.97%

And I do hereby declare that Geoffrey Cohen is duly elected.

Dated 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2008