



South Wairarapa District Council

2025 Triennial Elections

PRELIMINARY RESULT

The preliminary result for the South Wairarapa District Council elections held on Saturday 11th October is as follows.

Mayoralty		Votes Received
WILDE, Fran	(Independent)	3,282
HAWKINS, Leah		2,089
INFORMAL		2
BLANK VOTING PAPERS		63

Greytown General Ward (3 vacancies)		Votes Received
ISAACS, Collier		1,458
BAKER, Simone		1,282
BOSLEY, Martin 'Boz'		1,232
DAWSON, Michelle		877
INFORMAL		1
BLANK VOTING PAPERS		60

Featherston General Ward (3 vacancies)		Votes Received
CLARKE, Rachel	(Independent)	848
WATSON, Rupert	(Calm Quiet Thoughtful)	822
OLDS, Colin		723
COLTMAN, Karen	(Independent)	560
DAVIS, Martin Geoffrey		332
INFORMAL		4
BLANK VOTING PAPERS		23

Martinborough General Ward (3 vacancies)		Votes Received
TAYLOR, Rob	(Experienced Decision Maker)	1,417
ELLIMS, Aidan	(Prioritising Infrastructure & Roothing)	1,130
ARCHER, Chris		1,040
MAYNARD, Pip		957
ROBERTSON, Storm		532
INFORMAL		5
BLANK VOTING PAPERS		25

Te Karu o Te Ika a Māui Māori Ward (1 vacancy)	Votes Received
RUTENE, Andrea	118
KARAUNA, Whitu	68
INFORMAL	0
BLANK VOTING PAPERS	14

Greytown Community Board (4 vacancies)	Votes Received
MORISON, Neil (Independent)	1,319
BROWN, Louise	1,187
MACKENZIE, Diane	1,017
WOODCOCK, Jolene	923
DAWSON, Michelle	914
BEATON, Hilary	748
INFORMAL	4
BLANK VOTING PAPERS	115

Featherston Community Board (4 vacancies)	Votes Received
MAXWELL, Warren	1,110
RUTHERFORD, Tui G.	884
HYNDS, Anne	803
SCHUBERT-MCARTHUR, Tanja	790
* WATSON, Rupert (Withdrawn)	691
INFORMAL	0
BLANK VOTING PAPERS	51
(* Preliminary result only - Withdrawn as potentially elected at ward)	

Martinborough Community Board (4 vacancies)	Votes Received
As the number of nominations received did not exceed the number of vacancies, Ross ANDREW, Nana BOYLE, James BRODIE and Mel MAYNARD are elected unopposed.	

Greytown District Trust Lands Trust (3 vacancies)	Votes Received
HOLDEN, Phil	1,416
CASSIE, Anna (Independent)	1,094
BROSNAN, David (Independent)	999
BROUGHTON, Paul	812
INFORMAL	3
BLANK VOTING PAPERS	209

Māori Ward Poll - SWDC (1 vacancy)	Votes Received
I VOTE TO KEEP THE MĀORI WARD	2,818
I VOTE TO REMOVE THE MĀORI WARD	2,234
INFORMAL	0
BLANK VOTING PAPERS	384

The voter return was 58.16%, being 5,437 votes, excluding special votes.

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Electoral Officer - South Wairarapa District Council
13 October 2025