

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANNING REFERENDUM FOR THE PARISH OF LYDNEY

I, Claire Hughes, being the Counting Officer at the above referendum held on Thursday 18 February 2016, do hereby give notice that the results of the votes cast is as follows:

Question	
Do you want Forest of Dean District Council to use the neighbourhood plan for the Parish of Lydney to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?	
Number of votes cast in favour of a “ Yes ”	1022
Number of votes cast in favour of a “ No ”	163

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:-

a) want of official mark	
b) voting for more than one choice	1
c) writing or mark by which voter/proxy could be identified	1
d) unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	
TOTAL REJECTED BALLOT PAPERS	2

The total number of votes recorded represented **17%** of the registered electors.

I do hereby declare that more than half of those voting have voted in **favour of** the Neighbourhood Plan for the parish of Lydney .

18 February 2016

Claire Hughes
Counting Officer