

**Rutland County Council  
ELECTION OF COUNCILLORS  
FOR THE  
OAKHAM SOUTH WARD**

**DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL**

I, the undersigned, being the Returning Officer at the election held on Thursday 4 May 2023, DO HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that the number of votes cast for each candidate at the election is as follows:

NAMES OF CANDIDATES	Number of votes recorded. (If elected write 'E' against the number of votes)	
<b>BROOKES, MARTIN JOHN</b> Independent	249	
<b>BROWNE, PAUL MORLEY</b> Liberal Democrat	909	E
<b>ELLISON, DIANE ELIZABETH</b> Liberal Democrat	920	E
<b>PAYNE, RAYMOND JAMES</b> Known as Ray Payne Liberal Democrat	811	E
<b>ROOK, MICHAEL JOHN</b> The Conservative Party Candidate	363	

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:-	
a) want of official mark.....	0
b) voting more candidates than the voter was entitled to.....	0
c) writing or mark by which voter could be identified.....	0
d) being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty.....	2
e) rejected in part.....	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2</b>

and I hereby declare that

Paul Morley Browne  
Diane Elizabeth Ellison  
Raymond James Payne, known as Ray Payne

have been duly elected

Dated: Friday, 5 May 2023

MARK ANDREWS  
RETURNING OFFICER

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