

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

## Election of a Town Councillor for

### Chilton

on **Thursday 30 September 2021**

I, James Etherington, being the Deputy 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*
HOULIHAN, James		128 <b>Elected</b>
IRWIN, Melanie	Independent	98
TAYLOR, Helen		123
YOUNG, Karen	Independent	102

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

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	2
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	0
E rejected in part	0
Total	

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 3376

Ballot Papers Issued: 453

Turnout: 13.42%

And I do hereby declare that, James Houlihan is duly elected.

Dated Friday 1 October 2021

John Hewitt  
Returning Officer