

North East Derbyshire District Council

Standards Committee

24 July 2014

Outcome of Election for Co-opted Member
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Report No ADGMO/19/14/SS/MK of the Assistant Director – Governance and Monitoring Officer

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Purpose of the Report

- To advise of the outcome from the parish and town council ballot for a co-opted member to the Committee.

1 Report Details

- 1.1 Following the resignation of Councillor David Speed, an election was held for one of the Committee's co-opted members. This was the first time the election had been coordinated by the Council rather than the Derbyshire Association of Local Councils.
- 1.2 All parish and town councils in the District were asked to submit nominations. Two nominations were received. Parish and town councils were written to again and asked to specify their preference from the two candidates available.
- 1.3 A total of 17 of the 24 parish and town councils voted (70.8%). Councillor Ted Mansbridge of Clay Cross Parish Council won the election with the support of nine parish councils. Councillor William Armitage of Ashover Parish Council received eight votes.
- 1.4 Councillor Mansbridge's term of office lasts until May 2015. Council has yet to decide whether to reappoint the existing co-opted members or to hold elections again.

2 Conclusions and Reasons for Recommendation

- 2.1 To advise members of the outcome of the recent parish and town council ballot for a co-opted member to sit on the Standards Committee.

3 Consultation and Equality Impact

- 3.1 Not applicable.

4 Alternative Options and Reasons for Rejection

4.1 None.

5 Implications

5.1 Finance and Risk Implications

None.

5.2 Legal Implications including Data Protection

None.

5.3 Human Resources Implications

None.

6 Recommendations

6.1 That the outcome of the ballot be noted.

7 Decision Information

Is the decision a Key Decision? (A Key Decision is one which results in income or expenditure to the Council of £50,000 or more or which has a significant impact on two or more District wards)	No
District Wards Affected	None.
Links to Corporate Plan priorities or Policy Framework	None.

8 Document Information

Appendix No	Title
	None.
Background Papers (These are unpublished works which have been relied on to a material extent when preparing the report. They must be listed in the section below. If the report is going to Cabinet (NEDDC) or Executive (BDC) you must provide copies of the background papers)	
None.	
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