

NORTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL
ELECTORAL WARD No. 14 – THORNIWOOD BY-ELECTION
DATE OF BY-ELECTION: 19 SEPTEMBER 2019

I Des Murray, Returning Officer for the above by-election, hereby give notice that the votes cast were as follows.

Total Ballot Papers received	3,074
Invalid votes	26
Total Valid Votes	3,048
Electoral quota	1,538
Percentage poll	29.0%

that the votes cast for each of the candidates were as follows:

Candidate	Number of First Preference Votes	Stage at which candidate has been elected
Eve Rowan Cunningham Scottish National Party (SNP)	1,202	
Rosemary McGowan Scottish Green Party	46	
Norah Mooney Scottish Labour Party	1,362	5
Lorraine Nolan Scottish Conservative and Unionist	296	
Colin Robb Scottish Liberal Democrats	168	

and I declare that the candidate elected to serve on North Lanarkshire Council as a Councillor for Ward No. 14 – Thorniewood is:- **Norah Mooney**.

Of the total ballot papers, the following were rejected as void and not counted on account of:

Adjudication Reject Reason	Number of Papers
Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means	0
On which the figure "1" standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate	11
On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	11
On which anything is written or marked by which the voter can be identified except the printed number and other unique identifying mark on the back	0
Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	4
Total ballot papers rejected	26



Des Murray
Returning Officer
19 September 2019