

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANNING REFERENDUM

Relevant Council: Herefordshire

Neighbourhood Area: Ledbury

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

I, Claire Porter being the Deputy Counting Officer at the Ledbury Neighbourhood Planning Referendum held on Thursday 4 May 2023 **DO HEREBY GIVE NOTICE** that the number of votes recorded at the said referendum is as follows:

Question	Votes Recorded	Percentage
Do you want Herefordshire Council to use the neighbourhood plan for Ledbury to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area		
Number cast for Yes	2024	82.7%
Number cast for No	424	17.3%

The Number of Ballot Papers Rejected was as follows:	
(a) want of official mark	
(b) voting for more than one answer	
(c) writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	4
(d) being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	74
Total spoilt votes	78

The total number of votes recorded represented **33.1%** of the registered electors.

AND I HEREBY DECLARE that the result of the referendum for Ledbury is as follows:

More than half of those voting have voted that they want Herefordshire Council to use the neighbourhood plan for Ledbury to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area.

Signed: _____
Claire Porter, Deputy Counting Officer

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