

London Borough of Waltham Forest

Report Title	Returning Officer's Report: Results of Local Election 2026
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Wards affected	All
Public access	Open
Appendices	Appendix A – Results of Local Elections held 7 May 2026

1. Summary
 - 1.1. This report concerns the results of the Local Elections held on Thursday 7 May 2026.
 - 1.2. A full list of the results of the election is attached (Appendix A).

2. Recommendation
 - 2.1. Council is asked to note the persons elected as Councillors on 7 May 2026 as set out at Appendix A.

3. Background
 - 3.1. On Thursday 7 May 2026 the Council held elections for all 60 seats in the borough, the results of which were declared on Friday 8 May 2026.
 - 3.2. In accordance with the Local Government Act 1972, the Chief Executive as Returning Officer for the election of Councillors for the London Borough of Waltham Forest has returned the names of the persons who were, on 7 May 2026, duly elected as Councillors in the wards as set out in Appendix A.

Background Information (as defined by Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985)

None.