

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Babergh District Council Referendum in the Lavenham Neighbourhood Plan Area

I **Arthur Charvonia**, being the Counting Officer at the above referendum held on **Thursday 28 November 2024**, do hereby give notice that the results of the votes cast for the neighbourhood plan area of Lavenham are as follows:

To the question		
Do you want Babergh District Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Lavenham to help them decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?		
	Votes Recorded	Percentage
Number cast in favour of a Yes	175	25.18%
Number cast in favour of a No	518	74.53%

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

Electorate: **1663**

Ballot Papers Issued: **695**

Turnout: **41.79%**

I do hereby declare that more than half of those voting have voted **AGAINST** using the neighbourhood plan for Lavenham to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area.

Dated Thursday 28 November 2024

Arthur Charvonia
Counting Officer