

# **Police and Crime Commissioner Election Results West Oxfordshire and Thames Valley**

**2012 to 2021**

This document contains election results for the elections of the Police and Crime Commissioner for the Thames Valley which took place in November 2012, May 2016 and May 2021.

In both cases, the result for the West Oxfordshire voting area is included, as well as the overall result for the Thames Valley police area.

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# Election of a Police & Crime Commissioner for the Thames Valley Force Area

I, Yvonne Rees, being the Police Area Returning Officer at the election of  
the Police & Crime Commissioner for the Thames Valley Force Area  
held on 6th May 2021

Do hereby give notice that the number of recorded votes for each candidate is as follows:

Surname	Forenames	Party	First Preference Votes	Second Preference Votes	Total Votes	Status
Barber	Matthew	The Conservative Party Candidate	267,404	45,744	313,148	Elected
Carter	Laetisia	Labour and Co operative party	175,123	58,323	233,446	
Howson	John	Liberal Democrats	110,072	0	110,072	
Robinson	Alan	Independent	77,210	0	77,210	

The total number of ballot papers rejected at the first preference count was as follows:

Want of official mark	55
Giving more than one candidate a first preference vote	5,235
Writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	23
Unmarked as to the first preference vote	7,533
Void for uncertainty as to the first preference vote	3,165
<b>Totals</b>	<b>16,011</b>

The total number of ballot papers rejected at the second preference count was as follows:

Giving more than one candidate a second preference vote	173
Unmarked as to the second preference vote	15,388
Void for uncertainty as to the second preference vote	189
Ballot paper does not contain an official mark	0
Ballot paper contains a mark or writing by which the voter can be identified	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>15,750</b>

Yvonne Rees  
Police Area Returning Officer

# Police and Crime Commissioner Election: Thursday 6 May 2021

## Thames Valley Police Area

### Statement of First Preference Votes (West Oxfordshire Voting Area)

The total number of ballot papers verified	35888
The total number of rejected ballot papers	1122
The total number of valid first preference votes	34765

The total number of valid first preference votes cast for each of the candidates is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of first preference votes
BARBER Matthew David	The Conservative Party Candidate	15407
CARTER Laetisia	Labour and Co-operative Party	8633
HOWSON John Orrell	Liberal Democrats	6549
ROBINSON Alan Gordon	Independent	4176

The total number of ballot papers rejected at the first count is as follows:

Want of official mark	0
Voting for more than one candidate as to the first preference vote	366
Writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	0
Unmarked as to the first preference vote	756
Void for uncertainty as to the first preference vote	0
Total	1122

Electorate: 87165

Turnout: 41.17%

Keith Butler  
Local Returning Officer  
Monday 10 May 2021

# Police and Crime Commissioner Election: Thursday 6 May 2021

## Thames Valley Police Area

### Statement of Second Preference Votes (West Oxfordshire Voting Area)

The total number of valid second preference votes cast for each of the candidates is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of second preference votes
BARBER Matthew David	The Conservative Party Candidate	2538
CARTER Laetisia	Labour and Co-operative Party	3602

The total number of second preference votes cast for eliminated candidates is as follows:

Eliminated candidates	3200
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The total number of ballot papers rejected at the second count is as follows:

Want of official mark	0
Voting for more than one candidate as to the second preference vote	7
Writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	0
Unmarked as to the second preference vote	1239
Void for uncertainty as to the second preference vote	139
Total	1385

Keith Butler  
Local Returning Officer

Monday 10 May 2021

Police and Crime Commissioner Election: Thursday 5 May 2016

Thames Valley Police Area

(Note: This and the following page give the voting figures for the West Oxfordshire voting area; and the final two pages contain the figures for the whole of the Thames Valley Police Area),

**Statement of First Preference Votes (West Oxfordshire Voting Area)**

The total number of ballot papers verified	25808
The total number of rejected ballot papers	1143
The total number of valid first preference votes	24667

The total number of valid first preference votes cast for each of the candidates is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of first preference votes
CARTER Laetisia Catherine	Labour Party	7391
HOWSON John Orrell	Liberal Democrat	3108
STANSFELD Anthony Hamer Rennie	The Conservative Party Candidate	11504
TRAINER Lea	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	2664

The total number of ballot papers rejected at the first count is as follows:

Want of official mark	0
Voting for more than one candidate as to the second preference vote	199
Writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	1
Unmarked as to the second preference vote	473
Void for uncertainty as to the second preference vote	470
Total	1143

Keith Butler  
Local Returning Officer  
Friday 6 May 2016

Police and Crime Commissioner Election: Thursday 5 May 2016

Thames Valley Police Area

**Statement of Second Preference Votes (West Oxfordshire Voting Area)**

The total number of valid second preference votes cast for each of the candidates is as follows:

<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Number of second preference votes</b>
CARTER Laetisia Catherine	Labour Party	1911
STANSFELD Anthony Hamer Rennie	The Conservative Party Candidate	2020

The total number of second preference votes cast for eliminated candidates is as follows:

Eliminated candidates	1073
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The total number of ballot papers rejected at the second count is as follows:

Want of official mark	0
Voting for more than one candidate as to the second preference vote	2
Writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	0
Unmarked as to the second preference vote	767
Void for uncertainty as to the second preference vote	0
Total	769

Keith Butler  
Local Returning Officer  
Friday 6 May 2016

# Declaration of Results

## Election of the Police and Crime Commissioner for the Thames Valley Police Area

I, David Buckle, being the Police Area Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of valid first preference votes cast is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of first preference votes
CARTER Laetisia Catherine	Labour Party	138,084
HOWSON John Orrell	Liberal Democrat	59,575
STANSFELD Anthony Hamer Rennie	The Conservative Party Candidate	164,554
TRAINER Lea	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	49,942
<b>Total number of valid first preference votes</b>		<b>412,155</b>

The number of first preference ballot paper rejected is as follows	Number of ballot papers
Want of official mark	1,358
Voting for more than one candidate as to the first preference vote	3,598
Writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	21
Unmarked as to the first preference vote	4,956
Void for uncertainty	5,651
<b>Total</b>	<b>15,584</b>

No candidate received more than 50% of valid first preference votes cast in the election. The contest therefore will proceed to the counting of the second preference votes, with Anthony Stansfeld and Laetisia Carter remaining in the contest.

Dated Friday 6 May 2016

David Buckle  
Police Area Returning Officer

The number of valid second preference votes given for those two candidates is as follows:

<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Description (if any)</b>	<b>Number of second preference votes</b>
CARTER Laetisia Catherine	Labour Party	34,633
STANSFELD Anthony Hamer Rennie	The Conservative Party Candidate	37,842

<b>The number of second preference ballot paper rejected is as follows</b>	<b>Number of ballot papers</b>
Want of official mark	1
Voting for more than one candidate as to the second preference vote	38
Writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	0
Unmarked as to the second preference vote	11,627
Void for uncertainty	40
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,706</b>

The total number of first and second preference votes given for those two candidates is as follows:

<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Description (if any)</b>	<b>Number of first and second preference votes</b>
CARTER Laetisia Catherine	Labour Party	172,717
STANSFELD Anthony Hamer Rennie	The Conservative Party Candidate	202,396

I, therefore declare Stansfeld, Anthony Hamer Rennie, The Conservative Party Candidate elected as the Police and Crime Commissioner for the Thames Valley Police Area.

Dated Friday 6 May 2016

David Buckle  
Police Area Returning Officer



# Declaration of First Count Totals

Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012

## West Oxfordshire District Council

I, Keith Butler, being the Local Returning Officer for the Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012 in the Thames Valley Police Area for the West Oxfordshire local authority area, hereby declare that the number of first preference votes cast is as follows:-

Candidate	Votes
<b>Patience Tayo AWE</b> Independent	<b>792</b>
<b>Barry COOPER</b> UKIP	<b>793</b>
<b>Geoff HOWARD</b> Independent	<b>1,451</b>
<b>John Orrell HOWSON</b> Liberal Democrat	<b>789</b>
<b>Anthony STANSFELD</b> The Conservative Party Candidate	<b>4,399</b>
<b>Tim STARKEY</b> Labour Party Candidate	<b>1,998</b>

Rejected Ballot Papers	Number	Information
Want of Official Mark	0	Total for Candidates 10,222
Voting for more than one candidate as to the first preference vote	113	Total Rejected 403
Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	2	<b>Total</b> 10,625
Unmarked as to the first preference vote	17	
Void for Uncertainty	271	Electorate 80,317
<b>Total Rejected</b>	<b>403</b>	Turnout: 13.2%

Signed

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**Keith Butler**  
Local Returning Officer

Dated

# Result of First Count

Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012

## Thames Valley Police Area

The number of first preference votes cast for the Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012 in the Thames Valley Police Area, were as follows:-

Candidate	Votes
Patience Tayo AWE Independent	14,878
Barry COOPER UKIP	19,324
Geoff HOWARD Independent	31,716
John Orrell HOWSON Liberal Democrat	20,511
Anthony STANSFELD The Conservative Party Candidate	76,011
Tim STARKEY Labour Party Candidate	56,631

Rejected Ballot Papers	Number	Information
Want of Official Mark	0	Total for Candidates 219,071
Voting for more than one candidate as to the first preference vote	2,144	Total Rejected 7,445
Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	47	<b>Total</b> 226,516
Unmarked as to the first preference vote	2,132	
Void for Uncertainty	3,122	Electorate 1,698,041
<b>Total Rejected</b>	<b>7,445</b>	Turnout: 13.3%

As no candidate has received more than half of the valid first preference votes, every local Returning Officer will now count the second preference votes for the candidates who are not eliminated from the contest.

The remaining candidates are:-

Anthony STANSFELD

Tim STARKEY

**Andrew Grant**  
Police Area Returning Officer

# Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012

First Count

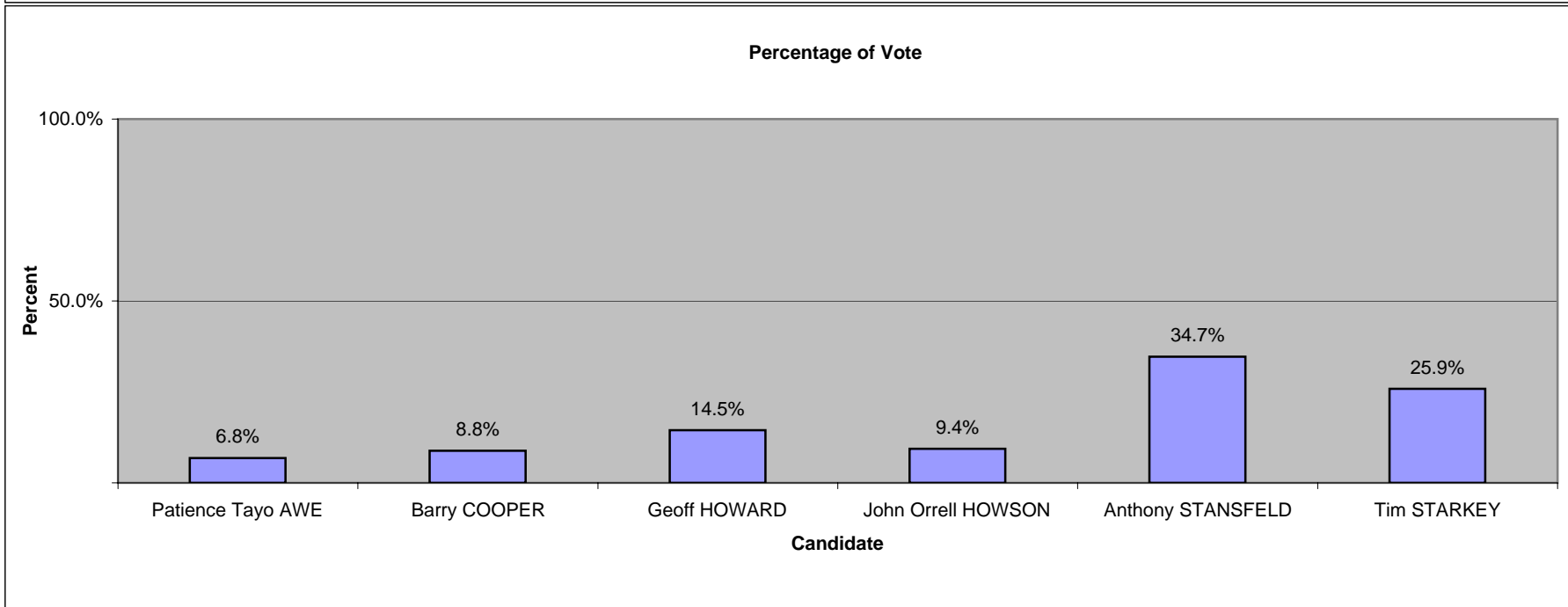
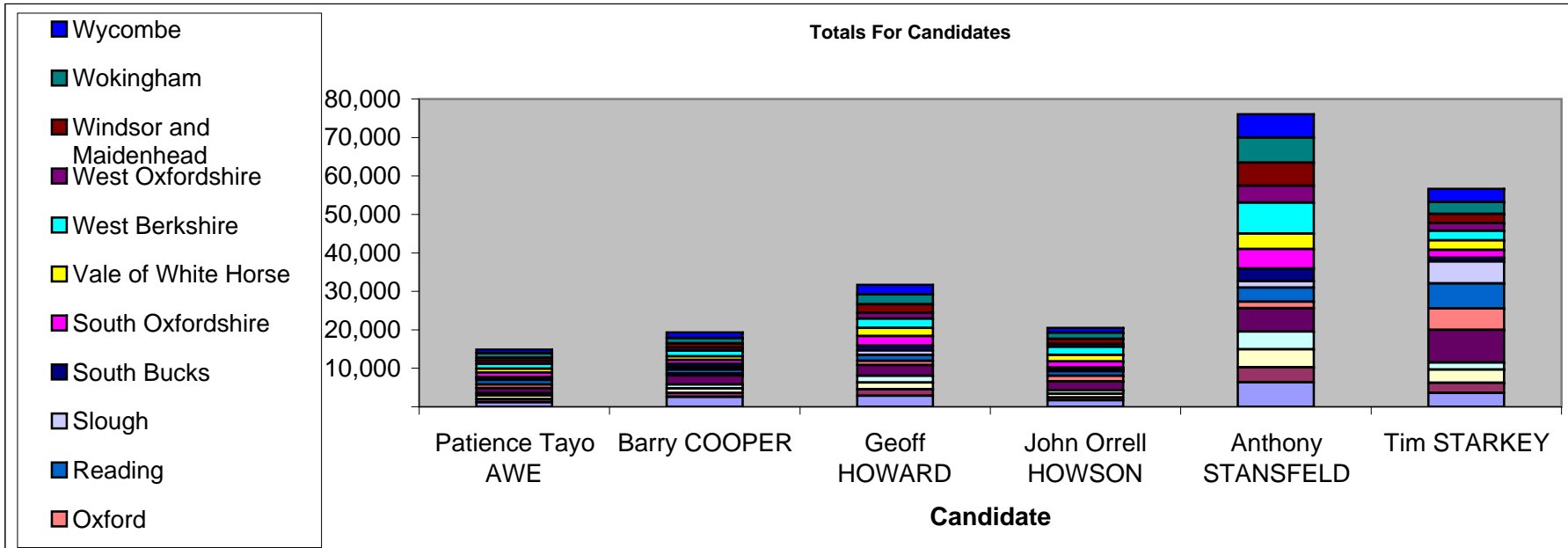
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Local Authority	Verification Figure	Turnout	Patience Tayo AWE	Barry COOPER	Geoff HOWARD	John Orrell HOWSON	Anthony STANSFELD	Tim STARKEY	Rejected	Total
Aylesbury Vale	18,746	13.9%	1,199	2,553	2,850	1,673	6,338	3,556	577	18,746
Bracknell Forest	11,245	13.1%	791	1,004	1,719	752	3,939	2,698	342	11,245
Cherwell	13,418	12.4%	935	1,192	1,730	940	4,621	3,428	572	13,418
Chiltern	11,077	15.3%	606	1,017	1,721	866	4,670	1,823	375	11,078
Milton Keynes	23,992	13.3%	1,268	2,342	2,816	2,390	6,015	8,495	666	23,992
Oxford	12,065	10.9%	998	539	1,067	1,416	1,719	5,580	746	12,065
Reading	15,549	13.4%	1,142	1,010	1,597	1,186	3,680	6,456	478	15,549
Slough	10,523	10.9%	448	699	1,159	560	1,694	5,765	200	10,523
South Bucks	7,043	13.5%	331	756	1,250	402	3,292	897	115	7,043
South Oxfordshire	13,948	13.6%	1,131	1,047	2,469	1,588	5,016	2,068	629	13,948
Vale of White Horse	12,965	13.9%	1,044	941	2,141	1,728	4,051	2,457	603	12,965
West Berkshire	18,199	15.7%	1,258	1,476	2,382	2,053	8,044	2,512	474	18,199
West Oxfordshire	10,624	13.2%	792	793	1,451	789	4,399	1,998	403	10,625
Windsor and Maidenhead	14,253	13.5%	787	1,075	2,300	1,323	6,016	2,432	320	14,253
Wokingham	16,766	14.0%	1,150	1,440	2,548	1,591	6,492	3,029	516	16,766
Wycombe	16,099	13.2%	998	1,440	2,516	1,254	6,025	3,437	429	16,099
<b>Totals</b>	<b>226,512</b>	<b>13.3%</b>	<b>14,878</b>	<b>19,324</b>	<b>31,716</b>	<b>20,511</b>	<b>76,011</b>	<b>56,631</b>	<b>7,445</b>	<b>226,516</b>

<b>Rank</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Percent</b>	<b>6.8%</b>	<b>8.8%</b>	<b>14.5%</b>	<b>9.4%</b>	<b>34.7%</b>	<b>25.9%</b>
<b>Difference to leader</b>	-61,133	-56,687	-44,295	-55,500		-19,380
<b>Max votes left</b>						

# Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012

## First Count



# Declaration of Second Count Totals

Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012

## West Oxfordshire District Council

I, Keith Butler, being the Local Returning Officer for the Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012 in the Thames Valley Police Area for the West Oxfordshire local authority area, hereby declare that the number of second preference votes cast is as follows:-

Candidate	Votes
<b>Anthony STANSFELD</b> The Conservative Party Candidate	<b>811</b>
<b>Tim STARKEY</b> Labour Party Candidate	<b>555</b>
<b>Votes for eliminated candidates</b>	<b>2,083</b>

Rejected Ballot Papers	Number	Information
Want of Official Mark	0	Total for Candidates 1,366
Voting for more than one candidate as to the second preference	0	Total Rejected 376
Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0	<b>Total</b> 3,825
Unmarked as to the second preference vote	375	
Void for Uncertainty	1	
<b>Total Rejected</b>	<b>376</b>	

Signed

Dated

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**Keith Butler**  
Local Returning Officer

# Declaration of Second Count

Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012

## Thames Valley Police Area

The number of second preference votes cast at the Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012 in the Thames Valley Police Area were as follows:-

Candidate	Votes
<b>Anthony STANSFELD</b> The Conservative Party Candidate	<b>18,227</b>
<b>Tim STARKEY</b> Labour Party Candidate	<b>13,772</b>

Rejected Ballot Papers	Number	Information
Want of Official Mark	0	Total for Candidates 78,487
Voting for more than one candidate as to the second preference	48	Total Rejected 7,942
Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0	<b>Total</b> 86,429
Unmarked as to the second preference vote	7,462	
Void for Uncertainty	432	Electorate 1,698,041
<b>Total Rejected</b>	<b>7,942</b>	Turnout: 13.3%

The total number of valid first and second preference votes cast for each of the remaining candidates is as follows:

Candidate	First Preference Votes	Second Preference Votes	Total Preference Votes
<b>Anthony STANSFELD</b> The Conservative Party Candidate	76,011	18,227	94,238
<b>Tim STARKEY</b> Labour Party Candidate	56,631	13,772	70,403

And that ANTHONY STANSFELD was duly elected to serve as Police and Crime Commissioner for Thames Valley police area.

**Andrew Grant**  
Police Area Returning Officer

# Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012

## Second Count

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Local Authority	Verification Figure	Turnout	Anthony STANSFELD	Tim STARKEY	Votes For Eliminated	Rejected	Total	Difference
Aylesbury Vale	8,275	13.9%	1,862	1,145	4,600	668	8,275	Match
Bracknell Forest	4,266	13.1%	870	661	2,383	352	4,266	Match
Cherwell	4,797	12.4%	953	689	2,623	532	4,797	Match
Chiltern	4,210	15.3%	993	549	2,194	475	4,211	+ 1
Milton Keynes	8,816	13.3%	1,732	1,654	4,427	1,003	8,816	Match
Oxford	4,020	10.9%	584	1,070	1,922	444	4,020	Match
Reading	4,935	13.4%	921	1,051	2,617	346	4,935	Match
Slough	2,866	10.9%	491	595	1,427	352	2,865	- 1
South Bucks	2,739	13.5%	722	305	1,477	235	2,739	Match
South Oxfordshire	6,235	13.6%	1,223	830	3,734	448	6,235	Match
Vale of White Horse	5,854	13.9%	1,168	977	3,199	510	5,854	Match
West Berkshire	7,169	15.7%	1,572	1,142	3,920	535	7,169	Match
West Oxfordshire	3,825	13.2%	811	555	2,083	376	3,825	Match
Windsor and Maidenhead	5,485	13.5%	1,274	748	2,984	479	5,485	Match
Wokingham	6,729	14.0%	1,623	938	3,635	533	6,729	Match
Wycombe	6,208	13.2%	1,428	863	3,263	654	6,208	Match
Votes From First Round			76,011	56,631		7,445	140,087	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>86,429</b>	<b>13.3%</b>	<b>94,238</b>	<b>70,403</b>	<b>46,488</b>	<b>15,387</b>	<b>86,429</b>	<b>Match</b>

Rank	1	2	3
Percent	44.6%	33.3%	22.0%
Difference to leader		-23,835	
Max votes left			

# Police and Crime Commissioner Election on Thursday, 15 November 2012

## Second Count

