**DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL**

**Braintree District Council**

Feering Neighbourhood Plan Referendum

I Dan Gascoyne, being the Returning Officer at the above referendum held on Thursday 27 October 2022, do hereby give notice that the results of the votes cast is as follows:

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| **Question**  Do you want Braintree District Council to use the **Neighbourhood Plan for Feering** to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area? | | |
|  | **Votes Recorded** | **Percentage** |
| Number cast in favour of a **Yes** | 414 | 94.68 % |
| Number cast in favour of a **No** | 23 | 5.25 % |

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| **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 | 0 |
| C writing or mark by which voter could be identified | 0 |
| D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty | 1 |
| E rejected in part | 0 |
| Total | 1 |

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| Electorate: 1774 | Ballot Papers Issued: 438 | Turnout: 24.68% |

And I do hereby declare that more than half of those voting have NOT voted **in favour of** the Neighbourhood Plan.