



**LOCAL GOVERNMENT EXTRAORDINARY POSTAL ELECTION  
NOTICE OF RESULTS  
Shire of Exmouth**

The result of the Extraordinary Election conducted as a postal vote on Friday, 12 April 2024 is as follows:

District 1 Councillor	Candidates	First Preferences	Final Votes	Expiry of Term
	BEWSHER, Mike	70	Excluded	
	<b>LUCAS, Mark</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>16 October 2027</b>
	PENFOLD, James	248	271	
	<b>Total Formal Votes</b>	<b>618</b>		
	<b>Total Informal Ballot Papers</b>	<b>1</b>		

**Mark LUCAS** is elected as Councillor for the Shire of Exmouth and will hold office until 16 October 2027.

Notice is further given that the following person **James PENFOLD** is the second placed candidate and the following person **Mike BEWSHER** is the third placed candidate for the purposes of Schedule 4.1A of the *Local Government Act 1995*.

**Steven TWEEDIE**  
**RETURNING OFFICER**  
0467 190 439



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**Electoral Commission**

**Shire of Exmouth Extraordinary Election - 12 April 2024**  
**Shire of Exmouth (Councillor)**  
**Calculation Steps Report**  
**1 Candidate to be Elected**

Total Votes: 619 Informal Votes: 1 Formal Votes: 618  Absolute Majority = $618/2+1 = 310$			<i>BEWSHER, Mike</i>	<i>LUCAS, Mark</i>	<i>PENFOLD, James</i>	Exhausted	TOTALS	Elected
		<b>Votes</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>618</b>	
<b>First Preferences</b>								
BEWSHER, Mike	Exclusion	Votes Rec'd	-70	19	23	28		1st. LUCAS, Mark
	<i>Abs Majority: 296</i>	Progress Votes	0	319	271	28	618	