**DECLARATION OF RESULT**

ELECTION OF A POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR THE

CUMBRIA POLICE AREA POLICE

I Andrew Seekings, being the Police Area Returning Officer for the Cumbria Police Area declare that Peter McCall, Conservative Party candidate, is elected as Police and Crime Commissioner for the Cumbria Police Area.

The total number of first preference votes given for each candidate were:

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| **Loraine Birchall** | **Liberal Democrats** | **21506** |
| **Barbara Cannon** | **Labour and Co-operative Party**  | **27687** |
| **Peter McCall**  | **Conservative Party Candidate** | **56753** |

Ballot papers were rejected for the following reasons:

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| **0** | **ballot papers were rejected because they did not bear the official mark** |
| **613** | **Unmarked as to first preference vote** |
| **591** | **ballot papers were rejected because there was more than one first preference vote given;**  |
| **5** | **ballot papers were rejected because there was something written or marked on the ballot paper by which the voter could be identified** |
| **665** | **ballot papers were rejected because they were unmarked or void for uncertainty** |

Andrew Seekings



Police Area Returning Officer

10 May 2021