

City of Edinburgh Council By Election - 10 September 2015
Electoral Ward 12 - Leith Walk

Elections
Edinburgh 2015

Electorate at 28 Aug 2015 (updated)	25521
Votes cast	6407
Turnout %	25.10
Turnout % 2012	36.20

Successful Candidates (2 Vacancies)

RITCHIE John Lewis
 DONALDSON Marion

Party

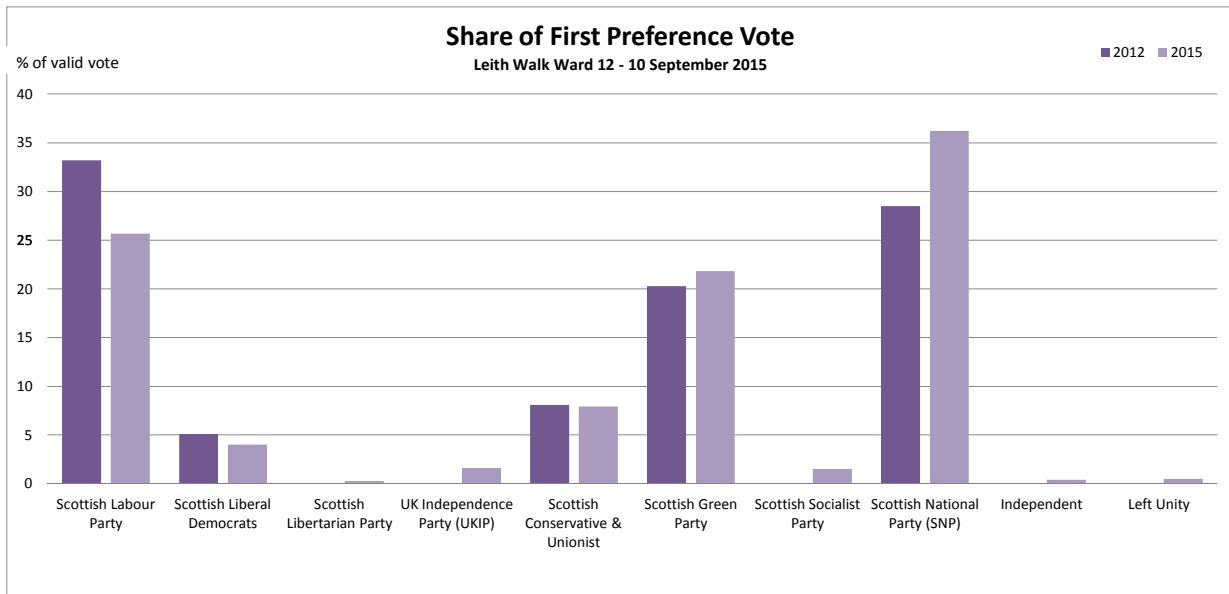
Scottish National Party (SNP)
 Scottish Labour Party

Candidates on ballot paper

Name	Party	Votes 2015	% share 2012	% share 2015
DONALDSON Marion	Scottish Labour Party	1623	33.2	25.7
HUSSAIN Mo	Scottish Liberal Democrats	255	5.1	4.0
LAIRD Tom	Scottish Libertarian Party	17	did not stand	0.3
MELVILLE Alan Gordon	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	102	did not stand	1.6
MURDIE Gordon	Scottish Conservative & Unionist	501	8.1	7.9
RAE Susan Jane	Scottish Green Party	1381	20.3	21.8
REID Natalie	Scottish Socialist Party	97	did not stand	1.5
RITCHIE John Lewis	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2290	28.5	36.2
SCOTT John Ferguson	Independent	26	did not stand	0.4
WHITEHEAD Bruce William	Left Unity	32	did not stand	0.5

Total valid first preference votes cast 6324
Quota 2109

Rejected papers 83 1.3 % rejected



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Declaration of Results

Leith Walk Ward

11/09/2015

I declare that the result of the election in the Leith Walk Ward is as follows.

There are 2 councillors to be elected.

The percentage poll was 25.1%. There were 6324 valid papers and 83 rejected papers.

The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 2109.

The first preference votes received by each of the candidates and the stage at which any candidate was elected is as:

Name of Candidate	Number of First Preference Votes	Stage at which candidate has been elected
Marion DONALDSON	1623	10
Mo HUSSAIN	255	
Tom LAIRD	17	
Alan Gordon MELVILLE	102	
Gordon MURDIE	501	
Susan Jane RAE	1381	
Natalie REID	97	
John Lewis RITCHIE	2290	1
John Ferguson SCOTT	26	
Bruce William WHITEHEAD	32	

Of the total ballot papers, the following were rejected as void and not counted on account of:

Adjudication Reject Reason	Number
Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means;	0
On which the figure "1" standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate	4
On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	69
On which anything is written or marked by which the voter can be identified except the printed number and other unique identifying mark on the back	0
Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	10
Total number of ballot papers rejected	83

Signature
Returning Officer

Date

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 Preference Summary Report
 Leith Walk Ward
 11/09/2015

Total Number of Valid Ballots	6324
Quota	2109
Percentage Turnout	25.1

Candidate Name	Number of 1st preference votes for each candidate	Number of 2nd preference votes for each candidate	Number of 3rd preference votes for each candidate	Number of 4th preference votes for each candidate	Number of 5th preference votes for each candidate
Marion DONALDSON	1623	840	541	166	71
Mo HUSSAIN	255	597	549	181	68
Tom LAIRD	17	57	89	51	48
Alan Gordon MELVILLE	102	173	107	43	21
Gordon MURDIE	501	272	165	60	41
Susan Jane RAE	1381	1552	512	137	52
Natalie REID	97	386	535	148	70
John Lewis RITCHIE	2290	810	376	112	54
John Ferguson SCOTT	26	127	215	123	75
Bruce William WHITEHEAD	32	117	158	151	79

Number of 6th preference votes for each candidate	Number of 7th preference votes for each candidate	Number of 8th preference votes for each candidate	Number of 9th preference votes for each candidate	Number of 10th preference votes for each candidate
29	19	14	13	11
48	27	27	11	7
49	72	48	37	8
23	21	34	38	108
26	23	32	67	29
36	12	8	10	0
32	36	47	27	16
25	17	9	11	37
72	49	37	30	9
41	40	42	44	44

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Transfers Report
Leith Walk Ward
11/09/2015

Valid Ballots	6324
Positions to be Filled	2
Quota	2109

Stage 1	First Preferences
Marion DONALDSON	1623
Mo HUSSAIN	255
Tom LAIRD	17
Alan Gordon MELVILLE	102
Gordon MURDIE	501
Susan Jane RAE	1381
Natalie REID	97
John Lewis RITCHIE	2290
John Ferguson SCOTT	26
Bruce William WHITEHEAD	32

John Lewis RITCHIE Elected with 2290 over quota 2109

Stage 2 - Surplus of John Lewis RITCHIE			
Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	343	0.07903	27.10729
Transfer to Mo HUSSAIN	84	0.07903	6.63852
Transfer to Tom LAIRD	11	0.07903	0.86933
Transfer to Alan Gordon MELVILLE	46	0.07903	3.63538
Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	35	0.07903	2.76605
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	1058	0.07903	83.61374
Transfer to Natalie REID	136	0.07903	10.74808

Transfer to John Ferguson SCOTT	38	0.07903	3.00314
Transfer to Bruce William WHITEHEAD	20	0.07903	1.5806
Non-transferables	41.03787		

Stage 3 - Exclusion of Tom LAIRD			
Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	3	1	3
Transfer to Mo HUSSAIN	5	0.07903	0.39515
Transfer to Mo HUSSAIN	1	1	1
Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	1	0.07903	0.07903
Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	2	1	2
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	2	0.07903	0.15806
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	5	1	5
Transfer to John Ferguson SCOTT	1	1	1
Transfer to Bruce William WHITEHEAD	1	0.07903	0.07903
Non-transferables	5.15806		

Stage 4 - Exclusion of John Ferguson SCOTT			
Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	6	0.07903	0.47418
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	6	1	6
Transfer to Mo HUSSAIN	3	0.07903	0.23709
Transfer to Mo HUSSAIN	2	1	2
Transfer to Alan Gordon MELVILLE	2	0.07903	0.15806
Transfer to Alan Gordon MELVILLE	1	1	1
Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	1	0.07903	0.07903
Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	1	1	1
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	8	0.07903	0.63224
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	13	1	13
Transfer to Natalie REID	6	0.07903	0.47418
Transfer to Bruce William WHITEHEAD	3	0.07903	0.23709
Non-transferables	4.71127		

Stage 5 - Exclusion of Bruce William WHITEHEAD			
Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	1	0.07903	0.07903
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	2	1	2

Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	1	0.07903	0.07903
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	11	0.07903	0.86933
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	11	1	11
Transfer to Natalie REID	10	0.07903	0.7903
Transfer to Natalie REID	13	1	13
Non-transferables	6.07903		

Stage 6 - Exclusion of Alan Gordon MELVILLE

Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	9	0.07903	0.71127
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	18	1	18
Transfer to Mo HUSSAIN	2	0.07903	0.15806
Transfer to Mo HUSSAIN	2	1	2
Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	2	0.07903	0.15806
Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	33	1	33
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	5	0.07903	0.39515
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	7	1	7
Transfer to Natalie REID	2	0.07903	0.15806
Transfer to Natalie REID	3	1	3
Non-transferables	42.21284		

Stage 7 - Exclusion of Natalie REID

Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	15	0.07903	1.18545
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	16	1	16
Transfer to Mo HUSSAIN	2	0.07903	0.15806
Transfer to Mo HUSSAIN	4	1	4
Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	1	0.07903	0.07903
Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	1	1	1
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	94	0.07903	7.42882
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	66	1	66
Non-transferables	29.31926		

Stage 8 - Exclusion of Mo HUSSAIN

Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	21	0.07903	1.65963
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	99	1	99

Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	5	0.07903	0.39515
Transfer to Gordon MURDIE	33	1	33
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	28	0.07903	2.21284
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	75	1	75
Non-transferables	60.31926		

Stage 9 - Exclusion of Gordon MURDIE			
Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	13	0.07903	1.02739
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	191	1	191
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	7	0.07903	0.55321
Transfer to Susan Jane RAE	76	1	76
Non-transferables	306.05478		

Stage 10 - Exclusion of Susan Jane RAE			
Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	254	0.07903	20.07362
Transfer to Marion DONALDSON	707	1	707
Non-transferables	1002.78977		

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Total Number of Ballots Received	6407
Total Number of Valid Votes	6324
Number of Vacancies	2
Quota	2109

Name of Candidate	Party	Stage 8	Exclusion of Gordon MURDIE	Stage 9	Exclusion of Susan Jane RAE	Stage 10	
Marion DONALDSON	Scottish Labour Party	1798.21685	192.02739	1990.24424	727.07362	2717.31786	Elected
Mo HUSSAIN	Scottish Liberal Democrats	0.00000					
Tom LAIRD	Scottish Libertarian Party						
Alan Gordon MELVILLE	UK Independence Party (UKIP)						
Gordon MURDIE	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	574.63538	-574.63538	0.00000			
Susan Jane RAE	Scottish Green Party	1653.31018	76.55321	1729.86339	-1729.86339	0.00000	
Natalie REID	Scottish Socialist Party						
John Lewis RITCHIE	Scottish National Party (SNP)	2109.00000	0.00000	2109.00000	0.00000	2109.00000	Elected
John Ferguson SCOTT	Independent						
Bruce William WHITEHEAD	Left Unity						
Non-transferable votes		188.83759	306.05478	494.89237	1002.78977	1497.68214	
Total		6324.00000	=	6324.00000	=	6324.00000	