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**REPORT OF  
THE RETURNING OFFICER**

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**TO THE COUNCIL  
ON  
Wednesday 10 October 2018**

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**RESULT OF THE 27 SEPTEMBER 2018 ECCLES BY ELECTION**

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

That the report be noted

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**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

This report is to inform the City Mayor and Members of the City Council of the result of the Eccles by election held on Thursday 27 September 2018 and to provide the name of the person elected to the office of Councillor.

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**BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS:**  
(Available for public inspection)

Declaration of Result of Poll – Eccles By Election- 27 September 2018

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**KEY DECISION:** No

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**KEY COUNCIL POLICIES:**

Council Constitution

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**EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND IMPLICATIONS:** All eligible persons are able to stand for election to the City Council

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**ASSESSMENT OF RISK:**

It is a legal requirement to notify the Council of the outcome of an election

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SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

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LEGAL IMPLICATIONS Supplied by: N/A

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FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS Supplied by: N/A

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OTHER DIRECTORATES CONSULTED: N/A

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WARD TO WHICH REPORT RELATES: Eccles

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**1. Details :**

The Eccles by election was held on Thursday 27 September 2018.

**2. Result**

The result of the Eccles by election was as follows:-

<b>Candidate</b>	<b>Party/Independent</b>	<b>No. of votes</b>
<b>Helen Alker</b>	<b>Green Party</b>	<b>123</b>
<b>Andrew Darlington</b>	<b>The Conservative Party Candidate</b>	<b>474</b>
<b>Caroline Stephanie Dean</b>	<b>Women's Equality Party</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>Keith Hallam</b>	<b>UK Independence Party</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Mike McCusker</b>	<b>Labour Party</b>	<b>1071</b>
<b>Jake Overend</b>	<b>Liberal Democrats</b>	<b>156</b>

That after the counting of votes **Mike McCusker (Labour Party)** was elected as Councillor and will retire from office no later than **May 2020**.