DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Mid Suffolk

Neighbourhood Plan Referendum in the Botesdale & Rickinghall Area

I **Arthur Charvonia**, being the Returning Officer at the above referendum held on **Thursday 28 November 2019**, do hereby give notice that the results of the votes cast is as follows:

Question

Do you want Mid Suffolk District Council to use the **Neighbourhood Plan for Botesdale & Rickinghall** to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?

| | Votes Recorded | Percentage |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Number cast in favour of a Yes | 377 | 87.1% |
| Number cast in favour of a No | 56 | 12.9% |

| The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows: | | Number of ballot papers |
|--|--|-------------------------|
| Α | want of an official mark | 0 |
| В | voting for more answers than required | 0 |
| С | writing or mark by which voter could be identified | 0 |
| D | being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty | 0 |
| | | |
| | Total | 433 |

Electorate: 1678 Ballot Papers Issued: 433 Turnout: 25.8%

And I do hereby declare that more than half of those voting have voted **in favour of** the Neighbourhood Plan.