

# DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

## Bedford Borough Council

### Referendum on the Neighbourhood Plan for Renhold

I, Lesley Blue, being the Deputy Counting Officer at the above referendum held on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2026, do hereby give notice that the results of the votes cast are as follows:

<b>Question</b>	
Do you want Bedford Borough Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Renhold to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?	
	Votes Recorded
Number of votes cast in favour of a <b>Yes</b>	503
Number of votes cast in favour of a <b>No</b>	61

<b>The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:</b>	<b>Number of ballot papers</b>
A want of an official mark	
B voting for more answers than required	
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	
Total	564

Electorate: 2488

Turnout: 22.6%

I do hereby declare that those voting have voted in favour of making the Renhold Neighbourhood Plan.

Dated: Thursday 5 March 2026