



Burnie City Council

2022 ELECTION REPORT

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Local government elections in Tasmania

This booklet provides election details for the 2022 Burnie City Council election, which was conducted in accordance with the *Local Government Act 1993*.

This booklet also contains details of any casual vacancies or elector polls that were conducted between the 2018 and 2022 council elections.

Statewide election results are published on the TEC website www.tec.tas.gov.au.

2022 Election timetable

Notice of election published	Saturday 3 September
Nominations opened	Monday 5 September
Electoral rolls closed	Thursday 8 September
Nominations closed	Monday 19 September
Nominations announced	Tuesday 20 September
Ballot material received by electors	3–7 October
Polling period	3–25 October
Close of poll	2pm Tuesday 25 October

Councillor casual vacancies

Councillor casual vacancies are filled by recount. Only unelected candidates from the relevant election may contest a recount. If there are no unelected candidates able to contest the recount, or the casual vacancy is also for the mayoral position, a by-election is held. A candidate elected at a recount or by-election serves until the next council election.

No casual vacancies are filled within 6 months of the next ordinary election, unless the vacancy results in the council unable to have a quorum.

Elector polls

A council may hold an elector poll on any issue it determines. A council may also be required to hold an elector poll following petitions from electors in accordance with Part 6 of the Act. A council is not bound by the result of an elector poll.

Electoral system

Elections for councillor positions are conducted using a system modelled on the Hare-Clark method of proportional representation used in Tasmanian House of Assembly elections.

Mayoral and deputy mayoral elections use a preferential system similar to that used for Tasmanian Legislative Council and federal House of Representatives elections.

Voting in Tasmanian local government elections is compulsory.

Report on the 2022 Burnie City Council elections

Elections were held for the positions of Mayor, Deputy Mayor and 9 Councillors, all for 4 year terms.

15,124 Burnie City electors were enrolled for the 2022 elections, comprising 14,991 (99.12%) from the State House of Assembly roll and 133 (0.88%) from the General Manager's roll. 83.24% of Burnie City Council electors returned their ballot papers in comparison with 84.79% statewide.

Burnie City Councillors

Councillors are listed in order of their election.

Prior to the 2022 election

Mayor

KONS, Steven

Deputy Mayor

SIMPSON, Giovanna

Councillors

KONS, Steven

BOYD, Alwyn

SIMPSON, Giovanna

DORSEY, Ken

PEASE, David

BULLE, Themba

KEYGAN, Amina

BRUMBY, Teeny

LYNCH, Chris

Following the 2022 election

Mayor

BRUMBY, Teeny

Deputy Mayor

SIMPSON, Giovanna

Councillors

BRUMBY, Teeny

KONS, Steven

SIMPSON, Giovanna

PEASE, David

LYNCH, Chris

AITKEN, Trent

KEYGAN, Amina

DORSEY, Ken

GRAVE, Justin

The candidates

Burnie City Council

enrolment 15,124

Councillor

9 Councillors - 14 candidates

AITKEN, Trent	Hillcrest
BOYD, Alwyn	Montello
BOYS, Jarrod	Park Grove
BRUMBY, Teeny	Montello
DORSEY, Ken	Burnie
GILMOUR, Ryan	Burnie
GRAVE, Justin	Brooklyn
HENSLEY, Craig	Upper Burnie
KEYGAN, Amina	Parklands
KONS, Steven	Burnie
LYNCH, Chris	Upper Burnie
NEWBURY, Ceilidh	Burnie
PEASE, David	Burnie
SIMPSON, Giovanna	Havenview

Mayor

6 candidates

AITKEN, Trent	Hillcrest
BRUMBY, Teeny	Montello
DORSEY, Ken	Burnie
KEYGAN, Amina	Parklands
KONS, Steven	Burnie
LYNCH, Chris	Upper Burnie

Deputy Mayor

4 candidates

BOYD, Alwyn	Montello
GRAVE, Justin	Brooklyn
PEASE, David	Burnie
SIMPSON, Giovanna	Havenview

Burnie City Council – 2022 Councillor election

Polling closed: 2pm Tuesday 25 October 2022

Returning officer: Mike Leyden

Number to be elected: 9

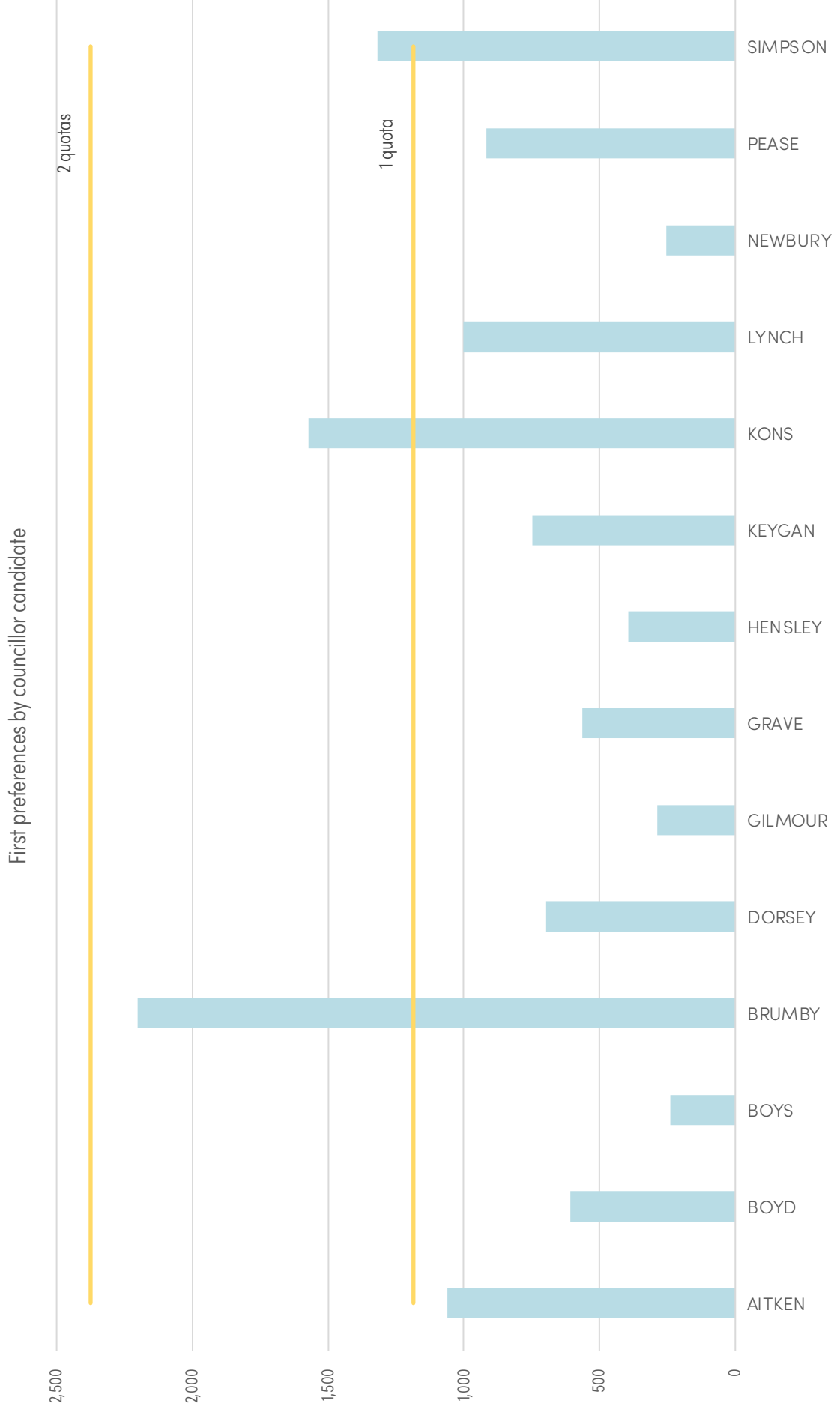
Count	Candidates									
	AITKEN	BOYD	BOYS	BRUMBY	DORSEY	GILMOUR	GRAVE	HENSLEY	KEYGAN	KONS
1	1,061.00	608.00	240.00	2,201.00	699.00	286.00	565.00	395.00	749.00	1,573.00
2	65.41	79.24	26.25	-1,014.00	49.29	29.48	57.58	18.42	239.56	
	1,126.41	687.24	266.25	1,187.00	748.29	315.48	622.58	413.42	988.56	1,573.00
3	27.72	86.62	13.25		68.70	19.63	34.35	12.26	45.64	-386.00
	1,154.13	773.86	279.50	1,187.00	816.99	335.11	656.93	425.68	1,034.20	1,187.00
4	14.61	14.61	5.76		16.20	4.37	11.43	7.75	31.20	
	1,168.74	788.47	285.26	1,187.00	833.19	339.48	668.36	433.43	1,065.40	1,187.00
5	4.41	11.47	4.32		5.56	9.62	6.88	1.76	18.18	
	1,173.15	799.94	289.58	1,187.00	838.75	349.10	675.24	435.19	1,083.58	1,187.00
6	0.03	0.04	0.02		0.04	0.01	0.04	0.01	0.06	
	1,173.18	799.98	289.60	1,187.00	838.79	349.11	675.28	435.20	1,083.64	1,187.00
7	27.00	14.00	20.00		17.00	33.00	35.00	8.00	101.00	
	1,200.18	813.98	309.60	1,187.00	855.79	382.11	710.28	443.20	1,184.64	1,187.00
8		4.60	0.46		1.84	0.92	2.30	0.46	12.43	
	1,200.18	818.58	310.06	1,187.00	857.63	383.03	712.58	443.66	1,197.07	1,187.00
9 to 12		1.37	1.53		1.49	1.39	1.30	1.06		
	1,200.18	819.95	311.59	1,187.00	859.12	384.42	713.88	444.72	1,197.07	1,187.00
13	-13.18	0.48	5.36		0.00	1.46	3.90	0.97		
	1,187.00	820.43	316.95	1,187.00	859.12	385.88	717.78	445.69	1,197.07	1,187.00
14		2.23	1.11		0.37	2.61	2.61	0.00	-10.07	
	1,187.00	822.66	318.06	1,187.00	859.49	388.49	720.39	445.69	1,187.00	1,187.00
15 to 22		60.59	-318.06		61.02	62.19	83.70	38.54		
	1,187.00	883.25	0.00	1,187.00	920.51	450.68	804.09	484.23	1,187.00	1,187.00
23 to 30		84.80			97.25	-450.68	168.40	68.06		
	1,187.00	968.05		1,187.00	1,017.76	0.00	972.49	552.29	1,187.00	1,187.00
31 to 34		93.67			173.22		215.27	-539.65		
	1,187.00	1,061.72		1,187.00	1,190.98		1,187.76	12.64	1,187.00	1,187.00

Electors enrolled:	15,124	Declarations admitted:	12,421	Informal ballot papers:	359
Declarations returned:	12,589	Rejection rate:	1.33%	Informality rate:	2.94%
Response rate:	83.24%	Ballot paper adjustment:	195	Formal ballot papers:	11,867
Declarations rejected:	168	Total ballot papers:	12,226	Quota =	1,187

Candidates (cont.)

LYNCH	NEWBURY	PEASE	SIMPSON	Votes Exhausted	Loss (Gain) by Fraction	Total Votes	Remarks
1,000.00	255.00	917.00	1,318.00	0.00	0.00	11,867.00	BRUMBY elected 1, KONS elected 2, SIMPSON elected 3
91.67	23.03	334.00		0.00	0.07		BRUMBY's surplus distributed
1,091.67	278.03	1,251.00	1,318.00	0.00	0.07	11,867.00	PEASE elected 4
73.37	4.41			0.00	0.05		KONS' surplus distributed
1,165.04	282.44	1,251.00	1,318.00	0.00	0.12	11,867.00	
22.26	2.78		-131.00	0.00	0.03		SIMPSON's surplus distributed
1,187.30	285.22	1,251.00	1,187.00	0.00	0.15	11,867.00	LYNCH elected 5
	1.32	-64.00		0.44	0.04		PEASE's surplus distributed
1,187.30	286.54	1,187.00	1,187.00	0.44	0.19	11,867.00	
-0.30	0.00			0.00	0.05		LYNCH's surplus distributed
1,187.00	286.54	1,187.00	1,187.00	0.44	0.24	11,867.00	
	-255.00			0.00	0.00		NEWBURY part excluded
1,187.00	31.54	1,187.00	1,187.00	0.44	0.24	11,867.00	AITKEN elected 6
	-23.03			0.00	0.02		NEWBURY part excluded
1,187.00	8.51	1,187.00	1,187.00	0.44	0.26	11,867.00	KEYGAN elected 7
	-8.51			0.27	0.10		NEWBURY excluded
1,187.00	0.00	1,187.00	1,187.00	0.71	0.36	11,867.00	
				0.97	0.04		AITKEN's surplus distributed
1,187.00		1,187.00	1,187.00	1.68	0.40	11,867.00	
				1.11	0.03		KEYGAN's surplus distributed
1,187.00		1,187.00	1,187.00	2.79	0.43	11,867.00	
				11.91	0.11		BOYS excluded
1,187.00		1,187.00	1,187.00	14.70	0.54	11,867.00	
				32.09	0.08		GILMOUR excluded
1,187.00		1,187.00	1,187.00	46.79	0.62	11,867.00	
				57.47	0.02		HENSLEY part excluded
1,187.00		1,187.00	1,187.00	104.26	0.64	11,867.00	DORSEY elected 8, GRAVE elected 9

Burnie City Council – Councillor election – first preferences



Burnie City Council – Mayor election

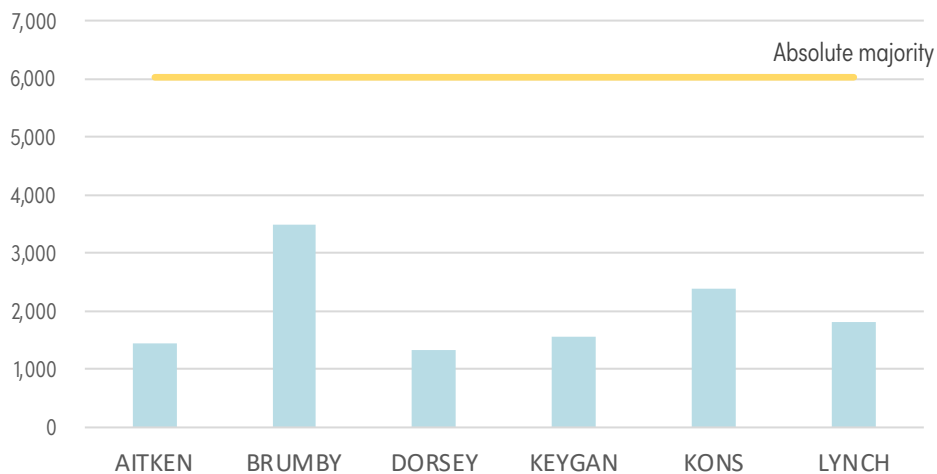
Polling closed: 2pm Tuesday 25 October 2022

Returning officer: Mike Leyden

Electors enrolled:	15,124	Ballot paper adjustment:	32
Declarations returned:	12,589	Total ballot papers:	12,389
Response rate:	83.24%	Informal ballot papers:	340
Declarations rejected:	168	Informality rate:	2.74%
Declarations admitted:	12,421	Formal ballot papers:	12,049

		Candidates						Exhausted votes	Formal votes	Absolute majority	Remarks
		AITKEN Trent	BRUMBY Teeny	DORSEY Ken	KEYGAN Amina	KONS Steven	LYNCH Chris				
Count 1	First preferences	1,449	3,488	1,340	1,569	2,390	1,813		12,049	6,025	
Count 2	Votes transferred	220	286	-1,340	187	241	301	105			DORSEY excluded
	Total votes	1,669	3,774	0	1,756	2,631	2,114	105	12,049	5,973	
Count 3	Votes transferred	-1,669	447		310	206	536	170			AITKEN excluded
	Total votes	0	4,221		2,066	2,837	2,650	275	12,049	5,888	
Count 4	Votes transferred		1,032		-2,066	271	631	132			KEYGAN excluded
	Total votes		5,253		0	3,108	3,281	407	12,049	5,822	
Count 5	Votes transferred		1,208			-3,108	1,521	379			KONS excluded
	Total votes		6,461			0	4,802	786	12,049	5,632	BRUMBY elected
	Percentage		57.36%				42.64%				

First preferences by mayor candidate



Burnie City Council – Deputy Mayor election

Polling closed: 2pm Tuesday 25 October 2022

Returning officer: Mike Leyden

Electors enrolled:	15,124	Ballot paper adjustment:	38
Declarations returned:	12,589	Total ballot papers:	12,383
Response rate:	83.24%	Informal ballot papers:	575
Declarations rejected:	168	Informality rate:	4.64%
Declarations admitted:	12,421	Formal ballot papers:	11,808

		Candidates				Exhausted votes	Formal votes	Absolute majority	Remarks
		BOYD Alwyn	GRAVE Justin	PEASE David	SIMPSON Giovanna				
Count 1	First preferences	1,816	1,861	3,708	4,423		11,808	5,905	
Count 2	Votes transferred	-1,816	375	664	627	150			BOYD excluded
Total votes		0	2,236	4,372	5,050	150	11,808	5,830	
Count 3	Votes transferred		-2,236	994	1,029	213			GRAVE excluded
Total votes			0	5,366	6,079	363	11,808	5,723	SIMPSON elected
Percentage				46.89%	53.11%				

First preferences by deputy mayor candidate

