DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANNING REFERENDUM FOR THE PARISH OF COLEFORD

I, Claire Hughes, being the Counting Officer at the above referendum held on Thursday 13 September 2018, do hereby give notice that the results of the votes cast is as follows:

Question

Do you want Forest of Dean District Council to use the neighbourhood plan for Coleford Parish to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?

Number of votes cast in favour of a "Yes"	640
Number of votes cast in favour of a "No"	136

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:-

a) want of official mark	0
b) voting for more than one choice	1
c) writing or mark by which voter/proxy could be identified	0
d) unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	6
TOTAL REJECTED BALLOT PAPERS	7

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

The total number of votes recorded represented 10.7% of the registered electors.

14 September 2018

Claire Hughes Counting Officer