Declaration of Result

Proposed Business Improvement District Ballot for

Sunderland Seafront

on Thursday, 27th March 2025

As ballot holder for the proposed Sunderland Seafront Business Improvement District ballot, I certify as follows:

The total number of votes cast in the ballot was:	33
The aggregate rateable value of each hereditament in respect of which a person voted was:	£3,661,750.00
The total number of votes in favour of the proposed Sunderland Seafront Business Improvement District ballot was:	30
The aggregate rateable value of each hereditament in respect of which a person voting in the ballot has voted in favour of the proposed Sunderland Seafront Business Improvement District ballot was:	£3,489,750.00

The total number of ballot papers rejected was:

Duplicate Ballot Paper Number	0
Voted for more than one option	0
Unsigned	0
Unmarked or Void for Uncertainty	0

The Turnout was 67.3%. 49 businesses were eligible to vote.

I hereby declare that the proposal for the proposed Sunderland Seafront Business Improvement District is APPROVED as a majority of the business ratepayers in the proposed BID area who voted in the ballot, both by aggregate rateable value and numbers voting, voted in favour of the proposal.

Patrick Melia Ballot Holder 28 March 2025