

Freedom of information request

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The table below shows the requested information that is available at

<http://www.gateshead.gov.uk/Council%20and%20Democracy/voting/results/ElectionResults.aspx>

Election	Information available on Gateshead Council website (yes/no)		
	Total Votes	Spoilt Ballots	Breakdown of votes by candidate
2010 Parliamentary	Yes	No	Yes
2010 Municipal	Yes	No	Yes
2008 Municipal	Yes	No	Yes
2007 Municipal	Yes	Yes	Yes
2006 Municipal	Yes	No	Yes
2005 Parliamentary	No	No	No
2004 Municipal	None available	None available	None available

2010 Parliamentary spoilt ballot papers

Blaydon	157
Gateshead	86
Jarrow	113

2010 Municipal spoilt ballot papers

Birtley	35
Blaydon	19
Bridges	11
Chopwell & Rowlands Gill	23
Chowdene	14
Crawcrook & Greenside	18
Deckham	12
Dunston and Teams	2
Dunston Hill and Whickham	
East	9
Felling	8
High Fell	13
Lamesley	20
Lobley Hill and Bensham	12
Low Fell	13
Pelaw & Heworth	9
Ryton Crookhill and Stella	19
Saltwell	11
Wardley and Leam Lane	9
Whickham North	21
Whickham South and Sunnyside	12
Windy Nook and Whitehills	14
Winlaton and High Spen	25

2008 Municipal spoilt ballot papers

Birtley	11
Blaydon	7
Bridges	8
Chopwell & Rowlands Gill	15
Chowdene	4
Crawcrook & Greenside	13
Deckham	5
Dunston and Teams	9
Dunston Hill and Whickham	
East	9
Felling	4
High Fell	2
Lamesley	8
Lobley Hill and Bensham	4
Low Fell	10
Pelaw & Heworth	9
Ryton Crookhill and Stella	7
Saltwell	4
Wardley and Leam Lane	5
Whickham North	7
Whickham South and Sunniside	5
Windy Nook and Whitehills	2
Winlaton and High Spen	8

2007 Municipal spoilt ballot papers

Birtley	10
Blaydon	7
Bridges	9
Chopwell & Rowlands Gill	10
Chowdene	2
Crawcrook & Greenside	7
Deckham	0
Dunston and Teams	3
Dunston Hill and Whickham	
East	10
Felling	9
High Fell	4
Lamesley	12
Lobley Hill and Bensham	4
Low Fell	9
Pelaw & Heworth	5
Ryton Crookhill and Stella	3
Saltwell	4
Wardley and Leam Lane	9
Whickham North	11
Whickham South and Sunniside	7
Windy Nook and Whitehills	9
Winlaton and High Spen	12

2006 Municipal spoilt ballot papers

Birtley	15
Blaydon	14
Bridges	10
Chopwell & Rowlands Gill	11
Chowdene	16
Crawcrook & Greenside	12
Deckham	8
Dunston and Teams	11
Dunston Hill and Whickham	
East	24
Felling	6
High Fell	4
Lamesley	14
Lobley Hill and Bensham	11
Low Fell	23
Pelaw & Heworth	13
Ryton Crookhill and Stella	14
Saltwell	14
Wardley and Leam Lane	12
Whickham North	12
Whickham South and	
Sunniside	10
Windy Nook and Whitehills	6
Winlaton and High Spen	18

2005 Parliamentary spoilt ballot papers

Blaydon	66
Gateshead East and Washington	
West	62
Tyne Bridge	37
Jarrow	67

The 2005 Parliamentary General Election results for the constituencies administered by Gateshead Council were:

Gateshead East and Washington West 2005

Name	Party	Votes	%	+/- %
Sharon Hodgson	Labour	20,997	60.6	-7.5
Frank Hindle	Liberal Democrat	7,590	21.9	+7.0
Lee Martin	Conservative	4,812	13.9	-0.9
Jim Batty	UK Independence Party	1,269	3.7	+1.5
Majority		13,407	38.7	
Turnout		34,668	56.4	+3.9

Jarrow

Name	Party	Votes	%	+/- %
Stephen Hepburn	Labour	20,554	60.5	-5.6
Bill Schardt	Liberal Democrat	6,650	19.6	+4.6
Linkson Jack	Conservative	4,807	14.1	-0.6
Alan Badger	UK Independence Party	1,567	4.6	+2.5
Roger Nettleship	Safeguard the NHS	400	1.2	+1.2
Majority		13,904	40.9	
Turnout		33,978	55.0	-0.1

Blaydon

Name	Party	Votes	%	+/- %
David Anderson	Labour	20,120	51.5	-3.3
Peter Maughan	Liberal Democrat	14,785	37.9	+4.1
Dorothy Luckhurst	Conservative	3,129	8.0	-3.4
Norman Endacott	UK Independence Party	1,019	2.6	+2.6
Majority		5,335	13.7	
Turnout		39,053	62.6	+5.2

Tyne Bridge

Name	Party	Votes	%	+/- %
David Clelland	Labour	16,151	61.2	-9.3
Chris Boyle	Liberal Democrat	5,751	21.8	+9.5
Tom Fairhead	Conservative	2,962	11.2	-2.1
Kevin Scott	British National Party	1,072	4.1	+4.1
Jill Russell	Respect-Unity Coalition	447	1.7	+1.7
Majority		10,400	39.4	
Turnout		26,383	49.3	+5.1

