

PFCC Election Results 2024

We are pleased to announce that Mr Roger Hirst has been re-elected as Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner for Essex for a third consecutive term. He is committed to enhancing local, visible, and accessible policing to reduce crime and anti-social behaviour, with pledges to reduce knife crime, protect young people, and improve road safety to eliminate road fatalities in Essex. Safeguarding women, girls, and vulnerable individuals from violence and domestic abuse also remains a priority in his election platform. Roger said:

"I'm grateful to the people of Essex for their endorsement of what we have been working very hard to achieve over the past eight years. We have successfully grown Essex Police, recruiting over 905 extra officers, making Essex Police the largest and strongest it has ever been and we will work to maintain this high level of officers. Crime and anti-social behaviour is falling in Essex and we will work to get crime down again. We are improving the culture of Essex County Fire and Rescue Service with a focus on prevention and protection, which is saving lives."

"I would like to say thank you to everyone involved in the election across the county, in particular the Police Area Returning Officer Pamela Donnelly and her team."

Voting took place on Thursday 2nd May with the votes counted and announced at Colchester's Charter Hall on Friday 3rd by the Police Area Returning Officer Pam Donnelly, Chief Executive of Colchester City Council.

The final results were:

- **FOX, Adam Daniel, Labour and Co-operative Party, 116875**
- **FRANKS, Kieron Anthony, Liberal Democrat, 52922**
- **HIRST, Roger Charles The Conservative Party Candidate, 126447 ELECTED**
- **TILBROOK, Robin Charles William English Democrats, 44909**

The countywide turnout was 24.52 per cent.

The total number of votes cast across Essex: 340,248.

On behalf of the EALC Team and Executive Committee, we extend a heartfelt thank-you for his ongoing dedication and commitment to improving our communities. We look forward to continuing to work alongside him in creating a safer and better future for Essex.