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Cumberland Council

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Dear Andrew

**Carlisle Business Improvement District (BID) Ballot - Declaration of Result.**

Local Government Act 2004 Business Improvement Districts (England) Regulations 2004.

**The following statement is issued by UK Engage following the Carlisle Business Improvement District (BID) Ballot.**

As an agent of the ballot holder for the Carlisle Business Improvement District (BID) Ballot, I certify as follows:

Total number of votes cast in the ballot, excluding any given on ballot papers rejected:	234
Aggregate rateable value of each hereditament in respect of which a person voted in the ballot:	11,509,550
Total number of votes cast in favour of the <b>Carlisle Business Improvement District (BID) Ballot</b> :	128
Aggregate rateable value of each hereditament in respect of which a person voting in the ballot has voted in favour of the <b>Carlisle Business Improvement District (BID) Ballot</b> :	7,477,750

I hereby declare that the proposal for the **Carlisle Business Improvement District (BID) Ballot** for **Cumberland Council** is approved. A majority of the Business ratepayers in the proposed BID area who voted, voted for the proposal, both by aggregate rateable value and numbers voting.

**Report on turnout:** 236 returns were received representing an overall turnout of 24.74%  
**The total number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:** 0 unsigned, 2 unmarked.



**Craig Poyser**  
Scrutineer and agent of the ballot holder.