AN ALTERNATIVE METHOD FOR ESTIMATING PARTY SUPPORT

As stated in the Explanatory Notes under the heading "Percentage Tables", the method used for estimating party support at each election in each ward does not necessarily offer a precise reflection of their overall strength.

An alternative method of estimation is given in this Appendix where the *single highest vote* obtained by each party is used for the calculation. This approach gives significantly different results where a party has not nominated a full "slate" of three candidates. The figures are tabulated below. Where all the parties contesting an election nominated equal numbers of candidates, this alternative method of calculation provided results which were very close to those already calculated, and so are not listed.

Ward	Election	C%	Lab%	L/Dem%	Oth%
Belmont [1]	2014	45.7	34.7	12.0	7.6
	2018	57.6	26.3	8.3	7.8
Canons [2]	2014	55.1	31.8	13.1	-
	2018	58.9	28.3	12.8	-
Edgware [3]	2010	36.4	41.1	22.5	-
	2018	37.6	54.6	7.8	-
Greenhill [4]	2002	40.0	43.3	-	16.7
	2006	33.5	26.5	25.6	14.4
	2014	24.0	42.8	7.1	26.1
	2018	27.8	53.6	7.6	10.9
Harrow on the Hill [5]	2010	31.2	34.0	17.0	17.8
	2014	34.5	36.0	7.1	22.4
	2018	38.5	53.0	8.6	-
Hatch End [7]	2010	63.1	28.9	-	8.0
	2014	50.1	22.7	8.0	19.2
	2018	61.7	28.3	10.0	-
Headstone North [8]	2002	60.1	31.2	-	8.7
	2010	30.2	20.0	14.9	34.9
	2014	27.8	17.6	5.3	49.3
	2018	48.0	40.8	11.2	-
Headstone South [9]	2002	26.0	44.7	-	14.6
	2006	25.3	34.0	29.0	11.7
	2018	28.2	59.8	12.0	-
Kenton East [10]	2006	36.8	48.6	11.1	3.5
	2010	35.6	46.8	17.6	-
	2014	32.8	42.5	-	24.7
Kenton West [11]	2010	41.0	39.8	19.2	-
	2014	43.3	43.0	6.4	7.3
	2018	47.2	47.2	5.6	-
Marlborough [12]	2014	25.7	45.7	-	28.6
	2018	26.7	58.6	-	14.7
Pinner [13]	2010	54.9	22.9	22.2	-
	2014	44.4	21.0	10.7	23.9
	2018	46.6	22.1	11.6	19.7

Ward	Election	C%	Lab%	L/Dem%	Oth%
Pinner South [14]	2010	51.0	26.1	22.9	-
	2014	54.5	30.7	-	14.8
	2018	58.9	26.3	14.8	-
Queensbury [15]	2010	36.5	44.2	19.3	-
	2014	32.6	41.3	6.1	20.0
Rayners Lane [16]	2006	34.3	23.7	32.4	9.6
	2010	28.1	29.4	32.6	9.9
	2014	22.9	29.7	25.0	22.4
Roxbourne [17]	2014	22.0	49.1	9.0	19.9
	2018	21.6	61.9	6.2	10.3
Roxeth [18]	2006	32.3	44.7	13.2	9.8
	2018	27.0	63.9	-	9.1
Stanmore Park [19]	2010	58.5	20.5	13.5	7.5
	2014	57.8	21.7	-	20.5
	2018	66.4	22.6	-	11.0
Wealdstone [20]	2006	29.9	42.7	14.7	12.7
	2010	25.1	43.3	21.5	10.1
	2014	24.3	45.4	-	30.3
	2018	26.1	53.7	9.3	11.0
West Harrow [21]	2010	32.6	40.6	19.5	7.3
	2014	33.9	41.1	7.0	18.0
	2018	39.0	51.2	9.8	-