Purpose of report
This report is submitted to advise the Council of the result of the by-election held for the vacancy in the Thrapston Market ward on 25 July 2013.

1.0 Background

1.1 A by-election was held to fill the vacant seat for the Thrapston Market ward of East Northamptonshire on 25 July 2013.

1.2 The result of the by-election was declared as follows:

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<th>Candidate</th>
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<td>CARTER, Valerie Anne</td>
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<td>GARNER, Joseph Charles</td>
<td>UKIP</td>
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<td>IZYCKY, Alex</td>
<td>The Labour Party Candidate</td>
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<td>SMITH, Alex</td>
<td>Conservative Party Candidate</td>
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The electorate for the Thrapston Market ward was 3062 and turnout was 30.05%

2.0 Recommendation

2.1 That the election of Alex Smith as a Councillor for the Thrapston Market ward be noted.

(Reason - To accord with legislation.)

Legal Power: Representation of the People Act 1983
Other considerations: None

Background Papers: None

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