

**2024 Barkly Regional council general election**  
**Patta ward - election of 5 councillors**  
**Distribution of preferences**

Total formal ballot papers: 796

To be elected: 5

$$\text{Quota} = \frac{796}{5+1} + 1 = 133$$

Table 1: Count of preferences and calculation of transfers											Table 2: Distribution of the effective votes									
Count	Description of next available preference	Valda Napurrula SHANNON	Dianne STOKES	Pennie COWIN	Greg MARLOW	Nungarayi Shirley LEWIS	Sharen LAKE	Total ballot papers counted	Transfer Value	Votes transferred to table 2	Count	Valda Napurrula SHANNON	Dianne STOKES	Pennie COWIN	Greg MARLOW	Nungarayi Shirley LEWIS	Sharen LAKE	Votes lost through fractional remainder	Total votes counted	Remarks
1	First preferences	104	120	62	266	79	165	796	1	796	1	104	120	62	266	79	165	0	796	Greg Marlow elected 1 Sharen Lake elected 2
2	NAP after Greg Marlow at count(s) 1	30	22	169	-266	45	0	266	0.500000	133	2	15	11	84	-133	22	0	1	796	Pennie Cowin elected 3
3	NAP after Sharen Lake at count(s) 1	54	45	0	0	66	-165	165	0.193939	32	3	10	8	0	0	12	-32	2	796	Dianne Stokes elected 4
4	NAP after Pennie Cowin at count(s) 1	156	0	-231	0	75	0	231	0.056277	13	4	8	0	-13	0	4	0	1	796	Valda Napurrula Shannon elected 5