Attachment C: 2026 General Election preliminary and official results comparison

Party	Preliminary Party Votes	Preliminary % Votes **	Final Party Votes	Final % Votes**	Electorate Seats Prelim in ( )	List Seats Prelim in ( )	Total Seats Prelim in ( )
National Party	706,680	29.21	819,012	28.35	40(42)	0(0)	40(42)
Labour Party	710,330	29.36	863,238	29.88	22(21)	14(15)	36(36)
Green Party	321,902	13.30	406,356	14.06	3(2)	14(14)	17(16)
ACT New Zealand	264,121	10.92	304,521	10.54	1(1)	12(12)	13(13)
New Zealand First Party	236,630	9.78	277,565	9.60	0(0)	12(12)	12(12)
Opportunity Party	144,298	5.96	175,093	6.06	0(0)	7(7)	7(7)
Te Pāti Māori	13,845	0.57	18,310	0.63	5(5)	0(0)	5(5)
Aotearoa Legalise Cannabis Party	4,829	0.19	6,230	0.21			
Animal Justice Party Aotearoa New Zealand	2,585	0.10	3,136	0.10			
NZ Outdoors & Freedom Party	2,685	0.11	2,991	0.10			
Conservative Party NZ	1,886	0.07	2,246	0.07			
Women's Rights Party	1,856	0.07	2,231	0.07			
New Zealand Loyal	1,855	0.07	2,043	0.07			
Vision New Zealand	1,529	0.06	1,963	0.06			
Te Tai Tokerau Party	1,217	0.05	1,554	0.05			
Alliance Party	1,149	0.04	1,322	0.04			
Free Palestine	1,168	0.04	1,079	0.03			
TOTALS	**2,418,565***		**2,888,890***		**71(71)**	**59(60)**	**130(131)**

*Party vote total does not include informal or disallowed votes.
** Party vote percentages are truncated to two decimal places to make the table easier to read. When the full number of decimal places is displayed they add up to 100%.

Number of special votes cast was 484,865.

The difference between the preliminary and final results includes any updated ordinary vote figures and special declaration votes.

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