

Election Timetable – Parish and Town Council Elections

5 May 2022

The days which are disregarded in calculating the timetable are Saturday, Sunday, Good Friday, Easter Monday, bank holidays (i.e. Friday 15 April, Monday 18 April and Monday 2 May) and any day appointed for public thanksgiving or mourning.

Please be aware that the timetable may change in the event of days being appointed for public thanksgiving or mourning.

Event	Working days before poll (deadline if not midnight)	Date
Publication of notice of election	Not later than 25 days	Monday 21 March
Delivery of nomination papers	From the day after the publication of notice of election until 4pm on the nineteenth working day before the election (10am to 4pm)	Between 10am and 4pm on any working day after publication of the notice of election until 4pm on Tuesday 5 April
Deadline for withdrawals of nomination	19 days (4pm)	4pm on Tuesday 5 April
Making objections to nomination papers	On 19 days (10am to 5pm), subject to the following: Between 10am and 12noon objections can be made to all delivered nominations Between 12 noon and 5pm objections can only be made to nominations delivered after 4pm, 20 days before the poll	Between 10am and 12 noon on Tuesday 5 April objections can be made to all delivered nominations Between 12 noon and 5pm on Tuesday 5 April objections can only be made to nominations delivered after 4pm on Monday 4 April

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Publication of statement of persons nominated	Not later than 18 days (4pm)	Not later than 4pm on Wednesday 6 April
Deadline for receiving applications for registration	12 days	Thursday 14 April
Deadline for receiving new postal vote and postal proxy applications, and for changes to existing postal or proxy	11 days (5pm)	5pm on Tuesday 19 April
Deadline for receiving new applications to vote by proxy (not postal proxy or emergency proxies)	6 days (5pm)	5pm on Tuesday 26 April
Publication of notice of poll	Not later than 6 days	Not later than Tuesday 26 April
Deadline for notification of appointment of polling and counting agents	5 days	Wednesday 27 April
First date that electors can apply for a replacement for lost postal votes	4 days	Thursday 28 April
Polling day	0 (7am to 10pm)	7am to 10pm on Thursday 5 May
Last time that electors can apply for a replacement for spoilt or lost postal votes	0 (5pm)	5pm on Thursday 5 May
Deadline for emergency proxy applications	0 (5pm)	5pm on Thursday 5 May
Last time to alter the register due to clerical error or court	0 (9pm)	9pm on Thursday 5 May
Delivery of return as to election expenses (parish council elections only)	Not later than 28 calendar days after the date of the election	Monday 6 June

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