

# NOTICE OF ELECTION

## Election of West Sussex County Councillors

Elections are to be held for ONE County Councillor to represent each of the following electoral divisions within the Chichester District:

Electoral Division	Wards or Parishes
BOURNE	Parishes of Chidham & Hambrook, Compton, Marden, Southbourne, Stoughton, Westbourne and West Thorney
CHICHESTER EAST	East Ward of Chichester City and Parishes of Oving and Tangmere,
CHICHESTER NORTH	North Ward of Chichester City and Parishes of Boxgrove, Earham, East Dean, Lavant, Singleton, Upwaltham, West Dean and Westhampnett
CHICHESTER SOUTH	Most of the Chichester South and part of the Chichester East Ward of Chichester City and Parishes of Appledram, Donnington, Hunston, North Mundham
CHICHESTER WEST	Chichester West and part of Chichester South Ward of Chichester City and Parishes of Bosham, Fishbourne and Funtington
MIDHURST	Parishes of Bepton, Elsted & Treyford, Harting, Linch, Midhurst, Milland, Rogate, Stedham with Iping, Trotton with Chithurst and Woolbeding with Redford
PETWORTH	Parishes of Ebernoe, Fittleworth, Kirdford, Loxwood, Lurgashall, Northchapel, Petworth, Plaistow and Ifold, Stopham, Tillington and Wisborough Green
ROTHER VALLEY	Parishes of Barlavington, Bignor, Bury, Cocking, Duncton, Easebourne, East Lavington, Fernhurst, Graffham, Heyshott, Linchmere, Lodsworth, Sutton and West Lavington
SELSEY	Parish of Selsey
THE WITTERINGS	Parishes of Birdham, Earnley, East Wittering and Bracklesham, West Itchenor, West Wittering and Sidlesham

1. Forms of nomination for County Election may be obtained at East Pallant House, 1 East Pallant, Chichester, West Sussex, PO19 1TY from the Deputy Returning Officer who will, at the request of an elector for any electoral area prepare a nomination paper for signature.
2. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Deputy Returning Officer, East Pallant House, 1 East Pallant, Chichester, West Sussex, PO19 1TY on any day after the date of this notice but no later than 4pm on Thursday, 8th April 2021.
3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on **Thursday, 6th May 2021 from 7.00am to 10.00pm.**
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by midnight on Monday 19 April 2021. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote>.
5. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must be on the grounds of physical incapacity or for work or because you have been told you need to self isolate. The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5pm on Tuesday 27 April 2021. To apply on the grounds of work/service, the person must have become aware that they cannot go to the polling station in person after 5pm on Tuesday 27 April 2021.
6. Applications to register to vote by post or proxy should be made to the Electoral Registration Officer at Chichester District Council, East Pallant House, 1 East Pallant, Chichester, West Sussex, PO19 1TY based on the deadlines set out below:

Application	Deadline for receipt
New applications to register to vote	<b>Midnight on Monday, 19 April 2021</b>
New applications to vote by post or to cancel or amend an existing postal vote or proxy appointment	<b>5pm on Tuesday, 20 April 2021</b>
New applications to vote by proxy	<b>5pm on Tuesday, 27 April 2021</b>
Applications for an emergency proxy vote	<b>5pm on Thursday, 6 May 2021</b>

Dated: 29 March 2021

Diane Shepherd

Deputy Returning Officer