

## Statement of Persons Nominated for Guildford Borough Council and Parish Council elections

Our Returning Officer has today published the Persons Nominated for Guildford Borough Council and Parish Council elections. Elections for local borough councillors in all Guildford Borough Council wards will take place on Thursday 4 May. There are no contested Parish elections.

To view the Statement of Persons Nominated for the borough and parish elections visit www.guildford.gov.uk/forthcomingelections

You can also view the notice in reception at our Millmead Office.

## How to vote and more information

Elections for local borough councillors in all Guildford Borough Council wards will take place on Thursday 4 May.

Polling stations will open at 7am and close at 10pm on Thursday 4 May.

If you aren't already registered to vote, please do this as soon as you can. It takes just five minutes to do it online before Monday 17 April deadline to vote in these elections at: www.gov.uk/register-to-vote

If you vote in person, please check on your polling card for which polling station you will need to visit, as your polling station may have changed this time.

For the first time you will also be required to bring photo ID to vote at a polling station. Your poll card will list accepted forms of photo ID. You can also check the full list on <a href="The Electoral Commission website">The Electoral Commission website</a>.

If you do not already have an accepted form of photo ID, you can <u>apply online for a free voter authority</u> <u>certificate</u>. You can also get an application form from our Electoral Services team. The deadline to apply for a voter authority certificate to use at these local elections is 5pm Tuesday 25 April 2023.

You do not need photo ID to vote by post. The deadline to apply to vote by post instead, or to change your existing postal vote arrangements, is 5pm on Tuesday 18 April. If you need someone to vote on your behalf on 4 May, you can apply for a proxy vote by 5pm on Tuesday 25 April.

We would like to make sure that all our residents are able to cast their vote. If you have a disability or additional needs that means you need extra help, please contact the Electoral Services team.

If you need an application form for a voter authority certificate, postal or proxy vote, contact our Electoral Services team by email at electoralservices@guildford.gov.uk or call them 01483 444115.