

NOTICE OF ELECTION

West Oxfordshire District Council ELECTION OF DISTRICT COUNCILLORS

for each of the Wards listed below:

Ward	Number of District Councillors to be elected	Ward	Number of District Councillors to be elected
Ascott and Shipton	One	Ducklington	One
Bampton and Clanfield	One	Eynsham and Cassington	One
Brize Norton and Shilton	One	Freeland and Hanborough	One
Burford	One	Standlake, Aston and Stanton Harcourt	One
Carterton North East	One	The Bartons	One
Carterton North West	One	Witney East	One
Carterton South	One	Witney South	One
Chipping Norton	One	Woodstock and Bladon	One

1. NOMINATION PAPERS

Nomination Papers may be obtained from the offices of the Returning Officer, Council Offices, Woodgreen, Witney, Oxon, OX28 1NB on Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm.

2. DELIVERY OF NOMINATION PAPERS

Nomination Papers must be delivered to the (Deputy) Returning Officer, at the Electoral Services Office, Council Offices, Woodgreen, Witney, Oxon, OX28 1NB, on any date after the date of this notice, on Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm, but not later than **4 pm on Thursday 9 April 2026**.

3. POLL

Where any election is contested the poll will take place on **Thursday 7 May 2026**.

4. APPLICATIONS TO REGISTER TO VOTE

Applications to register to vote must be received by the Electoral Registration Officer no later than **12 midnight on Monday 20 April 2026** if they are to be effective for Thursday 7 May 2026.

Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote>.

5. APPLICATIONS TO VOTE BY POST OR PROXY

Applications to vote by post, or to vary or cancel existing postal or proxy voting arrangements, must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **5 pm on Tuesday 21 April 2026**. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote>.

Applications to vote by proxy at this election, except for emergencies, must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Electoral Services Office, West Oxfordshire District Council Offices, Woodgreen, Witney, Oxon OX28 1NB by **5 pm on Tuesday 28 April 2026**. Some applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote>.

Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Electoral Services Office, West Oxfordshire District Council Offices, Woodgreen, Witney, Oxon OX28 1NB by **5 pm on Thursday 7 May 2026**.

6. APPLICATIONS FOR A VOTER AUTHORITY CERTIFICATE

Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Electors' Document valid for this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **5 pm on Tuesday 28 April 2026**.

Applications can be made online: www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate

7. ELECTION INFORMATION

For further information about elections please visit www.westoxon.gov.uk/elections or telephone the Elections Office on (01993) 861410.

Dated: Monday 30 March 2026

Giles Hughes
Returning Officer