

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Rochford District Council Election of a Town Councillor for the Lodge Ward of Rayleigh Town Council

1. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer, Elections Office, Council Offices, South Street, Rochford, Essex SS4 1BW by appointment between 10 am and 4 pm on any working day from the date of publication of this notice (excluding bank holidays) but no later than 4pm on Monday 23rd December 2024.
2. Nomination papers may be obtained from the offices of the Returning Officer, Council Offices, South Street, Rochford, Essex SS4 1BW, during the times stated above.
3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday 23rd January 2025.
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Tuesday 7th January 2025. Applications can be made online:
<https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote>.
5. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Civic Suite, Hockley Road, Rayleigh, Essex SS6 8EB by 5 p.m. on Wednesday 8th January 2025.
6. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector's Document valid for this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 5pm on Wednesday 15th January 2025. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate can be made online
<https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate>
7. Applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Civic Suite, Hockley Road, Rayleigh, Essex SS6 8EB by 5 p.m. on Wednesday 15th January 2025.
8. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Civic Suite, Hockley Road, Rayleigh, Essex SS6 8EB by 5 p.m. on Thursday 23rd January 2025.

Dated: Friday 13th December 2024

Jonathan Stephenson
Returning Officer