# **NOTICE OF ELECTION**

# Election of a District Councillor for North Somerset Council Clevedon South ward

#### 1. Election

An election is to be held of one district councillor for the above district ward.

### 2. Nomination papers

Nomination papers may be downloaded from <a href="https://n-somerset.gov.uk/council-democracy/voting-elections/upcoming-scheduled-elections/clevedon-south-ward-election">https://n-somerset.gov.uk/council-democracy/voting-elections/upcoming-scheduled-elections/clevedon-south-ward-election</a> or obtained at the Town Hall, Walliscote Grove Road, Weston-super-Mare, North Somerset, BS23 1UJ from the Returning Officer who will, at the request of an elector, prepare a nomination paper for signature.

## **Delivery of the nomination papers**

Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer, Town Hall, Walliscote Grove Road, Weston-super-Mare, North Somerset, BS23 1UJ on any working from Friday 2 January 2026 between 10am to 4pm but no later than 4pm on Friday 9 January 2026.

#### 3. Poll

If the election is contested, a poll will take place on Thursday 5 February 2026.

# 4. Registering to vote

Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Tuesday 20 January 2026. Applications can be made online: https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote.

#### 5. Absent votes

Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Town Hall, Walliscote Grove Road, Weston-super-Mare, North Somerset, BS23 1UJ by 5pm on Wednesday 21 January 2026. Applications can be made online: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote">https://www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote</a>

Applications to appoint a proxy must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by no later than 5 pm on Wednesday 28 January 2026. Applications can be made online: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote">https://www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote</a>

Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election on grounds of physical incapacity or for work/service reasons must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Town Hall, Walliscote Grove Road, Weston-super-Mare, North Somerset, BS23 1UJ by 5 pm on Thursday 5 February 2026. The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5pm on Wednesday 28 January 2026. 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 Wednesday 28 January 2026.

# 6. Voter authority certificate

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 28 January 2026. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate can be made online: https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate

Dated: Wednesday 31 December 2025 Nicholas Brain

Returning Officer