

TOWN COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Make a change, become a Councillor

If you care about where you live and are passionate about your community, why not consider standing as a candidate in these elections?

Becoming a Councillor will allow you to make a real difference in our town, engaging with residents, local groups and businesses to find out their needs. Making decisions on projects for the Town Council to take forward and getting involved locally to make sure services are meeting the community's needs.

Qualifications to stand for election

Candidates must be at least **18** years of age, a British or a qualifying Commonwealth Citizen (with indefinite leave to remain), national of an EU member state, and must meet at least one of the following four qualifications:

You are, and will continue to be, registered as a local government elector for the parish/parish ward in which you wish to stand from the day of your nomination onwards

or

Occupied as owner or tenant any land or premises in local authority area during the whole 12 months preceding nomination and the day of election

or

Principal or only place of work during the 12 months prior to the day of your nomination and day of election in your local parish/parish ward area

or

Have lived in the parish/parish ward or within three miles of it during the whole of the 12 months before the day of your nomination and the day of election.

For full details and your nomination forms visit:
www.electoralcommission.org.uk