



COTSWOLD
DISTRICT COUNCIL

NOTICE OF ELECTION

UK Parliamentary Election

Election of a Member of Parliament for The Cotswolds Constituency

1. An Election is to be held for **ONE** Member of Parliament to serve The Cotswolds Constituency.
2. Nomination papers can be obtained from the Acting Returning Officer, at the offices of Cotswold District Council, Trinity Road, Cirencester, Glos, GL7 1PX, on any working day (excluding bank holidays) Monday to Friday between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. until Wednesday 10 May 2017 and between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Thursday 11 May 2017. The Acting Returning Officer will, at the request of an elector, prepare a nomination paper for signature.
3. Completed nomination papers must be delivered to the Acting Returning Officer at the offices of Cotswold District Council, Trinity Road, Cirencester, Glos, GL7 1PX between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. from Monday 8 May 2017 until Thursday 11 May 2017 inclusive. Completed nomination papers must be delivered by no later than 4 p.m. on Thursday 11 May 2017.
4. The required deposit of £500 may be made either by cash deposit of UK legal tender, or by means of a UK banker's draft, or by way of the electronic transfer of funds.
5. If the election is contested, the poll will take place on Thursday 8 June 2017.
6. Applications to register to vote at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at the Council Offices, Trinity Road, Cirencester, Glos, GL7 1PX by 12 midnight on Monday 22 May 2017.
7. Applications for, amendments to, or cancellations of postal votes, and amendments to or cancellations of proxy votes, must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at the Council Offices, Trinity Road, Cirencester, Glos, GL7 1PX by 5 p.m. on Tuesday 23 May 2017.
8. Applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at the Council Offices, Trinity Road, Cirencester, Glos, GL7 1PX by 5 p.m. on Wednesday 31 May 2017.
9. 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 the Council Offices, Trinity Road, Cirencester, Glos, GL7 1PX by 5 p.m. on Thursday 8 June 2017. The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5 p.m. on Wednesday 31 May 2017; and to apply on the grounds of work/service, the person must have become aware after 5 p.m. on Wednesday 31 May 2017, that they cannot go to the polling station in person.

Friday 5 May 2017

Nigel Adams, Acting Returning Officer