

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Rossendale Election of Parish Councillors for the Wards listed below

Ward	Number of Councillors to be elected
Whitworth (Facit and Shawforth)	Six
Whitworth (Healey and Whitworth)	Six

1. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer, Elections Office, Rossendale Borough Council, Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire, OL13 0BB on any day after the date of this notice, on Monday to Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (excluding bank holidays) but no later than 4 pm on Tuesday, 4th April 2023.
2. Nomination papers may be obtained from the offices of the Returning Officer, Elections Office, Rossendale Borough Council, Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire, OL13 0BB, during the times stated above.
3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday, 4th May 2023.
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Monday 17 April 2023. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote>
5. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Elections Office, Rossendale Borough Council, Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire, OL13 0BB by 5 pm on Tuesday, 18th April 2023.
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 Tuesday 25 April 2023. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate>
7. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Elections Office, Rossendale Borough Council, Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire, OL13 0BB by 5 pm on Tuesday, 25th April 2023.
8. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Elections Office, Rossendale Borough Council, Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire, OL13 0BB by 5pm on Thursday, 4th May 2023

Dated: Friday 24 March 2023

Returning Officer