

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Braintree District Council Election of District Councillors

FOR THE DISTRICT WARDS LISTED BELOW

Wards	Number of District Councillors to be elected	Wards	Number of District Councillors to be elected
Bocking Blackwater	Three	Hedingham	Two
Bocking North	Two	Kelvedon and Feering	Two
Bocking South	Two	Rayne	One
Braintree Central and Beckers Green	Three	Silver End and Cressing	Two
Braintree South	Two	Stour Valley North	One
Braintree West	Two	Stour Valley South	One
Bumpstead	One	The Colnes	Two
Coggeshall	Two	Three Fields	Two
Gosfield & Greenstead Green	One	Witham Central	Two
Great Notley and Black Notley	Three	Witham North	Two
Halstead St Andrews	Two	Witham South	Two
Halstead Trinity	Two	Witham West	Two
Hatfield Peverel and Terling	Two	Yeldham	One

1. Nomination papers may be obtained from the offices of the Returning Officer during office opening hours (9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday).
2. Completed nomination papers must be delivered by hand to the Returning Officer during office opening hours (9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday and 9am to 4pm on Tuesday 4 April 2023), from the date of this notice but not later than 4pm on Tuesday 4 April 2023.
3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday, 4 May 2023 between the hours of 7am and 10pm.
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Monday 17 April. 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 by 5pm on Tuesday, 18 April 2023 to be effective for this election.
6. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 5 pm on Tuesday, 25 April 2023.
7. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election, applied for on the grounds of a medical emergency or for work/service reasons (occurring after 5pm on Tuesday, 25 April), or the form of acceptable photographic identification you were intending to use to vote has been lost, stolen, damaged, destroyed, or has not yet been received if applied for recently must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 5pm on Thursday, 4 May 2023.
8. For the purposes of paragraphs 1,2,4,5,6 and 7 above, the address of the Returning Officer and Electoral Registration Officer is Causeway House, Bocking End, Braintree, Essex, CM7 9HB. The Returning Officer's staff can be contacted by email at elections@braintree.gov.uk or by telephone on (01376 552525).

Dated Tuesday 21 March 2023

Dan Gascoyne
Returning Officer