NOTICE OF ELECTION

District of North Somerset

Election of a District Councillor for PORTISHEAD EAST

1. **ELECTION**
   An election is to be held for one District Councillor for the above ward at North Somerset Council.

2. **NOMINATION PAPERS**
   Nomination papers may be obtained from the Returning Officer at the Town Hall, Walliscote Grove Road, Weston-super-Mare, North Somerset, BS23 1UJ who will, at the request of an elector, prepare a nomination paper for signature. Nomination papers may also be obtained online: www.n-somerset.gov.uk/council-democracy/voting-elections/elections/may-2021-elections/election-north-somerset-council-portishead-east-ward

3. **DELIVERY OF 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 day after the date of this notice but no later than 4 pm on Thursday, 8th April 2021. A receipt will be provided upon delivery.

4. **POLL**
   If the election is contested the poll will take place on **Thursday, 6th May 2021**.

5. **APPLICATIONS TO REGISTER**
   Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Monday 19 April 2021. Applications can be made online: **www.gov.uk/register-to-vote**.

6. **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 5 pm on Tuesday, 20th April 2021.

   New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Town Hall, Walliscote Grove Road, Weston-super-Mare, North Somerset, BS23 1UJ by 5 pm on Tuesday, 27th April 2021.

   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, 6th May 2021. The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5 pm on Tuesday, 27th April 2021. 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 5 pm on Tuesday, 27th April 2021.

Dated Monday 22 March 2021 Nicholas Brain, Returning Officer

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