NOTICE OF ELECTION

ELECTION OF A POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR THE WEST MERCIA POLICE AREA

1. An Election is to be held for a Police and Crime Commissioner for the West Mercia Police Area.

2. Nomination papers can be obtained from the office of the Police Area Returning Officer, Darby House, Lawn Central, Telford, TF3 4JA during the times stated below.

3. Nomination papers must be delivered by hand to the Police Area Returning Officer at Darby House, Lawn Central, Telford, TF3 4JA between **10am** and **4pm** on any working day after publication of this notice but by no later than **4pm on Friday 5 April 2024.**

4. If the election is contested, the poll will take place on **Thursday 2 May 2024**.

5. The £5,000 deposit can be paid by legal tender or by means of a banker's draft from a drawer which carries on business as a banker in the United Kingdom or by building society cheque.

6. Applications to register to vote must reach the relevant Electoral Registration Officer (see below) by **12 midnight on Tuesday 16 April 2024**. Applications can be made online: https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote.

7. Applications for, amendments to or cancellations of postal votes must reach the relevant Electoral Registration Officer by **5pm Wednesday 17 April 2024**. Applications can be made online: https://www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote

8. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector's Document valid for this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **5pm Wednesday 24 April 2024**. Applications can be made online: https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate

9. Applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the relevant Electoral Registration Officer by 5pm **Wednesday 24 April 2024**. Applications can be made online: https://www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote

10. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the relevant Electoral Registration Officer by **5pm on Thursday 2 May 2024**.

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST OF ELECTORAL REGISTRATION OFFICERS IN THE POLICE AREA

Applications for registration, postal and proxy voting must be sent to the relevant Electoral Registration Officer for the applicant.

Local authority area	Electoral Registration Officer address	Contact Details
Bromsgrove District Council	Electoral Shared Services, Town Hall, Walter Stranz Square, Redditch, B98 8AH	elections@bromsgroveandredditch.gov.uk
Herefordshire Council	Electoral Services Office, Blueschool House, Blueschool Street, Hereford, HR1 2LX	elections@herefordshire.gov.uk
Malvern Hills District Council	Malvern Hills District Council, Avenue Road, Malvern, WR14 3AF	elections@malvernhills.gov.uk
Redditch Borough Council	Electoral Shared Services, Town Hall, Walter Stranz Square, Redditch, B98 8AH	elections@bromsgroveandredditch.gov.uk
Shropshire Council	Electoral Services, Shirehall, Abbey Foregate, Shrewsbury, SY2 6ND	registration@shropshire.gov.uk
Telford & Wrekin Council	Electoral Services, Darby House, Lawn Central, Telford, Shropshire, TF3 4JA	elections@telford.gov.uk
Worcester City Council	Guildhall, High Street, Worcester, WR1 2EY	electoralservices@worcester.gov.uk
Wychavon District Council	Civic Centre, Queen Elizabeth Drive, Pershore WR10 1PT	elections@wychavon.gov.uk
Wyre Forest District Council	Wyre Forest House, Finepoint Way, Kidderminster, DY11 7WF	elections@wyreforestdc.gov.uk

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David Sidaway
Police Area Returning Officer

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