NOTICE OF ELECTION

Bolton

Election of Borough Councillors

for the Wards listed below

Wards	Number of Borough Councillors to be elected	Wards	Number of Borough Councillors to be elected
Astley Bridge	One	Horwich South & Blackrod	One
Bradshaw	One	Hulton	One
Breightmet	One	Kearsley	One
Bromley Cross	One	Little Lever & Darcy Lever	One
Farnworth North	One	Queens Park & Central	One
Farnworth South	One	Rumworth	One
Great Lever	One	Smithills	One
Halliwell	One	Tonge with the Haulgh	One
Heaton Lostock & Chew Moor	One	Westhoughton North & Hunger Hill	One
Horwich North	Two	Westhoughton South	One

- 1. Forms of nomination for Borough Elections may be obtained at 2nd Floor, Howell Croft North, Bolton BL1 1QY from the Returning Officer who will, at the request of an elector for any electoral area, prepare a nomination paper for signature.
- Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer, 2nd Floor, Howell Croft North, Bolton BL1 1QY on any day after the date of this notice but no later than 4.00 pm on Friday, 5th April 2024.
- 3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday, 2nd May 2024.
- 4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Tuesday 16 April 2024. Applications can be made online at www.gov.uk/register-to-vote
- 5. 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 Wednesday 24 April 2024. An application for a Voter's Authority Certificate can be made online at www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate
- 6. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at 2nd Floor, Howell Croft North, Bolton BL1 1QY by 5.00 pm on Wednesday, 17th April 2024. Applications for postal votes may now be made on-line at www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote.
- 7. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at 2nd Floor, Howell Croft North, Bolton BL1 1QY by 5.00 pm on Wednesday, 24th April 2024. Applications to vote by proxy may now be made on-line at www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote.
- 8. 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 2nd Floor, Howell Croft North, Bolton BL1 1QY by 5.00 pm on Thursday, 2nd May 2024. The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5.00 pm on Wednesday, 24th April 2024. 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 5.00 pm on Wednesday, 24th April 2024

Dated Tuesday 26 March 2024

Sue Johnson Returning Officer