

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Dover District Council

Election of District Councillors for the Wards listed below:

Ward	Number of Councillors to be elected	Ward	Number of Councillors to be elected
Alkham and Capel-le-Ferne	One	Mill Hill	Two
Aylesham, Eythorne and Shepherdswell	Three	North Deal	Two
Buckland	Two	Sandwich	Two
Dover Downs and River	Two	St Radigund's	Two
Eastry Rural	Two	Tower Hamlets	One
Guston, Kingsdown and St Margaret's-at-Cliffe	Two	Town and Castle	Two
Little Stour and Ashstone	Two	Walmer	Two
Maxton and Elms Vale	One	Whitfield	Two
Middle Deal	Two		

1. Nomination papers may be obtained from the Election Office, Council Offices, White Cliffs Business Park, Dover, Kent, CT16 3PJ from the Returning Officer who will, at the request of an elector for any electoral area prepare a nomination paper for signature.
2. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer, HMS Brave Room, Council Offices, White Cliffs Business Park, Dover, Kent, CT16 3PJ on any working day (excluding bank holidays) after the date of this notice, between 10 am and 4 pm but by no later than 4 pm on Tuesday, 4th April 2023.
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 at www.gov.uk/register-to-vote
5. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must be in writing and reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Election Office, Council Offices, White Cliffs Business Park, Dover, Kent, CT16 3PJ by 5 pm on Tuesday, 18th April 2023.
6. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate (VAC) or an Anonymous Elector's Document (AED) valid for this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 5pm on Tuesday 25 April 2023. VAC applications can be made online: www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate For an AED please contact the Elections Office.
7. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Election Office, Council Offices, White Cliffs Business Park, Dover, Kent, CT16 3PJ by 5 pm on Tuesday, 25th April 2023.
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 Election Office, Council Offices, White Cliffs Business Park, Dover, Kent, CT16 3PJ by 5pm on Thursday, 4th May 2023 The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5 pm on Tuesday, 25 April 2023. To apply on the grounds of work/service, the person must have become aware that they cannot attend their polling station in person after 5 pm on Tuesday, 25 April 2023

Notice Dated: Monday 20 March 2023

**Nadeem Aziz
Returning Officer**