

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Aberdeen City Council

Electoral Ward 13 Kincorth / Nigg / Cove

A by-election is to be held to elect one Councillor to Electoral Ward 13 – Kincorth / Nigg / Cove.

1. Nomination forms can be obtained from the Election Office, Aberdeen City Council, Town House, Broad Street, Aberdeen, AB10 1FY, telephone 01224 523501 and from www.aberdeencity.gov.uk/byelection . This office is open for the delivery of nomination papers on weekdays from Friday 18th September 2020 between 10am to 4pm.
2. Completed nomination forms must be delivered to the Returning Officer at the above address by 4pm on Monday 5th October 2020.
3. Unless uncontested, a by-election will be held and voting will take place between 7am and 10pm on Thursday 5th November 2020.
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Woodhill House, Westburn Road, Aberdeen, AB16 5GE by Tuesday 20th October 2020. Online applications to register can be made at www.gov.uk/register-to-vote

Postal or proxy voting

1. Any elector may apply for a postal or proxy vote at this election.
2. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Woodhill House, Westburn Road, Aberdeen, AB16 5GE by 5pm on Wednesday 21st October 2020.
3. Applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Woodhill House, Westburn Road, Aberdeen, AB16 5GE by 5pm on Wednesday 28th October 2020.
4. Applications to amend or cancel existing proxy arrangements must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Woodhill House, Westburn Road, Aberdeen, AB16 5GE by 5pm Wednesday 21st October 2020.

5. Applications for emergency proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at the above address by 5.00pm on Thursday 5th November 2020 and are available for anyone who:
 - a. suffers an illness or disability after 5pm on Wednesday 28th October 2020; or
 - b. discovers after that deadline that they will be unable to go to the poll on the day of the election for occupational, employment or service reasons; or
 - c. cannot reasonably be expected to vote in person at the polling station allotted or likely to be allotted to them under the appropriate rules as a result of following Scottish Government advice or the advice of a registered medical practitioner in relation to coronavirus; and became aware of this after 5 p.m. on Wednesday 28th October 2020.

6. Completed absent vote application forms can be sent to the Electoral Registration Officer at ero@grampian-ero.gov.uk

Dated: Thursday 17th September 2020

Fraser Bell
Returning Officer

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