

NOTICE OF ELECTION

King's Lynn and West Norfolk

Election of Town Councillors

For the Town Council / Wards listed below

Town Council Wards	Number of Parish Councillors to be elected
Downham Market (North Ward)	One
Downham Market (East Ward)	Two

1. Forms of nomination can be obtained from the Returning Officer, King's Court, Chapel Street, King's Lynn, PE30 1EX who will, at the request of an elector for the electoral area, prepare a nomination paper for signature.
2. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer, King's Court, Chapel Street, King's Lynn, PE30 1EX on any day after the date of this notice during normal office hours but no later than **4 pm on Friday 28 June 2024**. Where possible, can candidates please make an appointment with the Deputy Returning Officer in order that their nomination can be handed in by this deadline. Any request for an appointment should be made via email at: **elections@west-norfolk.gov.uk** or telephone **01553 616773**.
3. If the election is contested the poll will take place on **Thursday 25 July 2024**.
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at King's Court, Chapel Street, King's Lynn, PE30 1EX by **midnight on Tuesday 9 July 2024**. Applications can be made online: **www.gov.uk/registertovote**
5. New postal vote applications (including proxies applying to vote by post), changes or cancellations to existing postal, postal proxy or proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at King's Court, Chapel Street, King's Lynn, PE30 1EX by **5 pm on Wednesday 10 July 2024**.
6. New applications to vote by proxy (not postal proxy) at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at King's Court, Chapel Street, King's Lynn, PE30 1EX by **5 pm on Wednesday 17 July 2024**.
7. Applications for Voter Authority Certificates must be made by **5 pm on Wednesday 17 July 2024**.
8. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election on the grounds of physical incapacity or for work/service reasons must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Kings Court, Chapel Street, King's Lynn, PE30 1EX by **5 pm on Thursday 25 January 2024**. The physical incapacity must have occurred after **5 pm on Wednesday 17 July 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 pm on Wednesday 17 July 2024**.

Dated: **Thursday 20 June 2024**

Lorraine Gore
Returning Officer