

OUR REF:

ASK FOR: Heather Blanshard

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DATE: 29 May 2024

YOUR REF:

Mr John Harrison (Clerk To Hailsham Town Council)
Town Council Offices
Inglenook
Market Street
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BN27 2AE

District of
Wealden

Trevor Scott
Returning Officer and
Electoral Registration Officer

Dear Mr Harrison (Clerk To Hailsham Town Council)

Casual Vacancy
Parish of Hailsham (Hailsham West) Town Ward

Thank you for advising me of the casual vacancy that has arisen on your Council.

Please find enclosed two copies of the Notice of Vacancy and I shall be grateful if you could arrange for at least one to be displayed in a prominent position no later than the date shown on the Notice. **Please email elections@wealden.gov.uk to confirm that the Notice has been displayed by the date shown.**

I will contact you again after 18 June, 2024 to let you know whether there will be an election, or whether the Parish Council may co-opt to fill the vacancy.

I am grateful for your assistance in this matter.

Yours sincerely



Heather Blanshard
Electoral Services Manager



NOTICE OF VACANCY IN OFFICE OF COUNCILLOR

PARISH OF HAILSHAM (HAILSHAM WEST) TOWN WARD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that due to the resignation of Stephen Potts, a vacancy has arisen in the Office of Councillor for the Parish Council.

If by 18 June, 2024 (14* days after the date of this notice) a request for an election to fill said vacancy is made in writing to the Returning Officer at the address below by TEN electors for the said Hailsham (Hailsham West) Town Ward, an election will be held to fill the said vacancy, otherwise the vacancy will be filled by co-option.

If an election is called, it will take place not later than 21 August, 2024.

Dated 29 May, 2024

Trevor Scott
Returning Officer
The Elections Office
Wealden District Council
Vicarage Lane
Hailsham
East Sussex
BN27 2AX

* In computing any period of time for this purpose, a Saturday, Sunday, day of the Christmas break, of the Easter break or of a bank holiday or day appointed for public thanksgiving or mourning must be disregarded.

"The Christmas break" means the period beginning with the last week day before Christmas Eve and ending with the first week day after Christmas Day which is not a bank holiday, the "Easter break" means the period beginning with the Thursday before and ending with the Tuesday after Easter Day, and "a bank holiday break" means any bank holiday not included in the Christmas break or the Easter break and the period beginning with the last week day before that bank holiday and ending with the next week day which is not a bank holiday.

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