

# NOTICE OF ELECTION

## Rochford District Council Election of Parish and Town Councillors for the Parishes (Wards) listed below

Parish / Town Council (Ward)	Number of Councillors to be elected
Hockley Parish (Hockley East)	Five
Hockley Parish (Hockley West)	Ten
Hullbridge Parish (Hullbridge South)	Six
Hullbridge Parish (Riverside)	Seven
Rayleigh Town Council (Grange)	Four
Rayleigh Town Council (Lodge)	Four
Rayleigh Town Council (Sweyne Park)	Three
Rayleigh Town Council (Trinity)	Five
Rayleigh Town Council (Victoria)	One
Rayleigh Town Council (Wheatley)	Five
Rayleigh Town Council (Whitehouse)	One

1. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer, Elections Office, Council Offices, South Street, Rochford, Essex SS4 1BW by appointment between 9.30 am and 4 pm on any working day from the date of publication of this notice (excluding bank holidays) but no later than 4pm on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2024.
2. Nomination papers may be obtained from the offices of the Returning Officer, Council Offices, South Street, Rochford, Essex SS4 1BW, during the times stated above.
3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2024.
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on 16<sup>th</sup> April 2024. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote>.
5. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at South Street, Rochford, Essex SS4 1BW by 5 p.m. on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2024.
6. 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 24<sup>th</sup> April 2024. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate can be made online <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate>
7. Applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Council Offices, South Street, Rochford, Essex SS4 1BW by 5 p.m. on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2024.
8. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Council Offices, South Street, Rochford, Essex SS4 1BW by 5 p.m. on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2024.

Dated: Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024

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Returning Officer

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