

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Election of Parish/Town Councillors

1. Elections are to be held of Parish/Town Councillors
2. The number of Parish/Town Councillors to be elected is as follows:

Parish/Town Council	Number of Councillors to be elected	Parish/Town Council	Number of Councillors to be elected	Parish/Town Council	Number of Councillors to be elected
Alvington	5	Hewelsfield and Brockweir	7	Rudford & Highleadon	7
Awre	9	Huntley	7	Ruspidge & Soudley – East Ward	2
Aylburton	7	Kempley	7	Ruspidge & Soudley – West Ward	7
Blaisdon	5	Littledean	8	St. Briavels	9
Bromsberrow	7	Longhope	8	Staunton (Coleford)	7
Churcham	7	Lydbrook	11	Staunton (Gloucester)	7
Cinderford - East Ward	7	Lydney - East Ward	10	Taynton	5
Cinderford – North Ward	1	Lydney - North Ward	3	Tibberton	7
Cinderford - West Ward	7	Lydney - West Ward	2	Tidenham	12
Coleford - Central Ward	5	Mitcheldean – North Ward	9	Upleadon	7
Coleford - East Ward	5	Mitcheldean – South Ward	1	West Dean – Berry Hill Ward	2
Coleford – Mile End & Broadwell Ward	3	Newent – Central Ward	9	West Dean – Bream Ward	5
Corse	7	Newent – North East Ward	3	West Dean – Christchurch Ward	1
Drybrook - Drybrook Village Ward	6	Newent – South West Ward	1	West Dean – Ellwood & Sling Ward	2
Drybrook - Ruardean Hill Ward	4	Newland	9	West Dean – Parkend Ward	2
Dymock	7	Newnham	9	West Dean – Pillowell Ward	3
English Bicknor	7	Pauntley	7	Westbury-on-Severn	9
Gorsley and Kilcot	7	Redmarley	7	Woolaston	7
Hartpury	7	Ruardean	9		

3. Nomination papers must be **delivered in person** to The Returning Officer Council Offices High Street Coleford. GL16 8HG on any day on or after the date of this notice between the hours of 9.00am and 4.30pm, Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays), but no later than **4.00pm on Wednesday 3 April 2019**.
4. Nomination papers are available from the Returning Officer Council Offices High Street Coleford GL16 8HG during the times stated above.
5. If an election is contested, **THE POLL** will take place on **Thursday 2 May 2019**.
6. If you are not registered to vote or you have recently moved address, the last day to register to vote is **Friday 12 April 2019**.
7. If any elector wishes to vote by post, postal proxy, or proxy, they must make an application to the Electoral Registration Officer at the Council Offices High Street Coleford GL16 8HG by **no later than 5pm**:

For new postal or postal proxy applications	Monday 15 April 2019
For changes to existing postal, postal proxy or proxy vote applications	Monday 15 April 2019
For new proxy vote applications	Wednesday 24 April 2019
For applications to vote by emergency proxy on the grounds of physical incapacity or for work/service reasons	Thursday 2 May 2019

The physical incapacity must have occurred after **5.00pm on Wednesday 24 April 2019**. 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 **5.00pm on Wednesday 24 April 2019**.

DATED: 19 March 2019

Claire Hughes
Returning Officer

