## NOTICE OF ELECTION

## Lancashire County Council Election of County Councillors

for the Electoral Divisions listed below

Electoral Division	Number of County Councillors to be elected
Accrington North	One
Accrington South	One
Accrington West & Oswaldtwistle Central	One
Great Harwood, Rishton & Clayton le Moors	Two
Oswaldtwistle	One

- 1. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Deputy Returning Officer at the offices of Hyndburn Borough Council, Scaitcliffe House, Ormerod Street, Accrington, BB5 0PF between 10 am and 4 pm on any working day from the date of publication of this notice (excluding bank holidays) but no later than 4 pm on Wednesday 2 April 2025. An appointment is recommended – telephone 01254 380132
- 2. Nomination papers may be obtained from the offices of the Deputy Returning Officer, at the offices of Hyndburn Borough Council (address above), during the times stated above.
- 3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday 1 May 2025.
- 4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Friday 11 April 2025. Applications can be made online: <u>www.gov.uk/register-to-vote</u>.
- 5. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes, and amendments or cancellations of existing proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Hyndburn Borough Council, Scaitcliffe House, Ormerod Street, Accrington, BB5 0PF by 5 pm on Monday 14 April 2025. Applications for a postal vote can be made online: <u>www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote</u>
- 6. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector's Document valid for this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 5 pm on Wednesday 23 April 2025. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate can be made online: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate">www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate</a>
- 7. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Hyndburn Borough Council, Scaitcliffe House, Ormerod Street, Accrington, BB5 0PF by 5 pm on Wednesday 23 April 2025. Some applications can be made online: <u>www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote</u>
- Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Hyndburn Borough Council, Scaitcliffe House, Ormerod Street, Accrington, BB5 0PFby 5 pm on Thursday 1 May 2025.

Dated: Friday 21 March 2025

Jane Ellis, Deputy Returning Officer

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