

# NOTICE OF ELECTION

## UK Parliamentary election

### For the Herne Bay and Sandwich constituency

1. An Election is to be held for a Member of Parliament to serve the Herne Bay and Sandwich Constituency.
2. Nomination papers can be obtained from the offices of the (Acting) Returning Officer, Council Offices, Military Road, Canterbury, CT1 1YW during the times stated below.
3. Nominations papers must be hand delivered to the (Acting) Returning Officer at Elections Office, Council Offices, Military Road, Canterbury, CT1 1YW on any day after the date of this notice, from Tuesday to Friday, 10am to 4pm but no later than 4pm on Friday 7 June 2024.
4. The £500 deposit can be paid by cash (notes only, legal tender) or by means of a banker's draft from a drawer which carries on business as banker in the United Kingdom. It can also be paid by electronic bank transfer.
5. If the election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday 4 July 2024
6. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer\* by 12 midnight on Tuesday 18 June 2024. Register online at [www.gov.uk/register-to-vote](http://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote)
7. New applications to vote by post, and amendments of existing postal votes or proxy vote arrangements must reach the relevant Electoral Registration Officer\* by 5pm on Wednesday 19 June 2024. You can apply online at [www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote](http://www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote) . Cancellations of existing postal and proxy votes must be made **in writing** to the relevant Electoral Registration Officer\* at the address below before the deadline.
8. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector's Document valid for this election must reach the relevant Electoral Registration Officer\* by 5pm on Wednesday 26 June 2024. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate can be made online: [www.gov.uk/voting-photo-id](http://www.gov.uk/voting-photo-id)
9. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the relevant Electoral Registration Officer\* by 5pm on Wednesday 26 June 2024. One-off proxy applications for this election can be made online at [www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote](http://www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote)
10. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Council Offices, Military Road, Canterbury, CT1 1YW by 5pm on Thursday 4 July 2024.

**\* The addresses of the relevant Electoral Registration Officers are as follows:**

Canterbury City Council: Electoral Services, Military Road, Canterbury, CT1 1YW

Dover District Council: Election Office, Council Offices, White Cliffs Business Park, Dover, CT16 3PJ

Thanet District Council: Election Office, Council Offices, Cecil Street, Margate, CT9 1XZ

Dated: Monday 3 June 2024

Tricia Marshall, (Acting) Returning Officer