

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Election of councillors to Whitby Town Council for the ward listed below

The ward and the number of councillors to be elected	
Whitby Town Council - Stakesby Ward	One

1. Nomination papers can be obtained from the Returning Officer on our website [Elections and voting | North Yorkshire Council](#), or by calling 0300 1312131.
2. Nomination papers must be delivered BY HAND to the Returning Officer at North Yorkshire Council, Town Hall, St Nicholas Street, Scarborough, YO11 2HG on any working day between 10 am - 4 pm from the date of this notice (excluding bank holidays) but no later than **4 pm on Friday, 6 March 2026**.
3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on **Thursday, 2 April 2026**.
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on **Tuesday 17 March 2026**. Applications can be made online [Register to vote - GOV.UK](#)
5. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at the address below by **5 pm on Wednesday, 18 March 2026**.
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, 25 March 2026**. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate can be made online: [Apply for photo ID to vote \(called a 'Voter Authority Certificate'\) - GOV.UK](#)
7. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at the address below by **5 pm on Wednesday, 25 March 2026**.
8. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at the address below by **5 pm on Thursday, 2 April 2026**.