## **NOTICE OF ELECTION**

**Staffordshire Moorlands District Council** 

## **Election of District Councillors**

Notice is hereby given that an election is to be held for District Councillors for the Wards listed below:

Ward	Number of District Councillors to be elected
Alton	One
Bagnall & Stanley	One
Biddulph East	Three
Biddulph Moor	One
Biddulph North	Three
Biddulph South	One
Biddulph West	Three
Brown Edge and Endon	Three
Caverswall	One
Cellarhead	Two
Cheadle North East	Two
Cheadle South East	Two
Cheadle West	Three
Checkley	Three
Cheddleton	Three
Churnet	Two
Dane	One
Forsbrook	Three
Hamps Valley	One
Horton	One
Ipstones	One
Leek East	Three
Leek North	Three
Leek South	Three
Leek West	Three
Manifold	One
Werrington	Two

- 1. Nomination papers must be hand delivered to the Returning Officer, Elections Team, Reception, Moorlands House, Stockwell Street, Leek, Staffordshire, ST13 6HQ on any day after the date of this notice, Monday to Friday 10am to 4pm (excluding bank holidays) but NO LATER THAN 4pm Tuesday 4th April 2023.
- 2. Nomination papers may be obtained from the offices of the Returning Officer, Moorlands House, Stockwell Street, Leek, Staffordshire, ST13 6HQ during the times stated above.
- 3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday 4th May 2023 between the hours of 7.00 am and 10.00 pm.
- 4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Monday 17th April 2023. Applications can be made online: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote">https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote</a>
- 5. Applications to vote by post and requests to amend or cancel an existing postal vote and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Moorlands House, Stockwell Street, Leek, Staffordshire, ST13 6HQ by 5pm Tuesday 18th April 2023.
- 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 Tuesday 25th April 2023. Applications can be made online: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate">https://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 Moorlands House, Stockwell Street, Leek, Staffordshire, ST13 6HQ by 5pm on Tuesday 25th April 2023.
- 8. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Moorlands House, Stockwell Street, Leek, Staffordshire, ST13 6HQ by 5pm on Thursday 4th May 2023.

Dated: Wednesday 22 March 2023

Andrew Stokes Returning Officer