

NOTICE OF ELECTION

South Derbyshire Election of a Parish Councillor for **BURNASTON**

1. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer, Civic Offices, Civic Way, Swadlincote, DE11 0AH on any day after the date of this notice, on Monday to Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (excluding bank holidays) but no later than 4 pm on Friday, 20th February 2026.
2. Nomination papers may be obtained from the offices of the Returning Officer, Civic Offices, Civic Way, Swadlincote, DE11 0AH, during the times stated above.
3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday, 19th March 2026.
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Tuesday 3rd March 2026. Applications can be made online:
<https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote> .
5. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Civic Offices, Civic Way, Swadlincote, DE11 0AH by 5 pm on Wednesday, 4th March 2026.
6. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Civic Offices, Civic Way, Swadlincote, DE11 0AH by 5 pm on Wednesday, 11th March 2026.
7. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election on the grounds of physical incapacity or for work/service reasons must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Civic Offices, Civic Way, Swadlincote, DE11 0AH by 5 pm on Thursday, 19th March 2026. The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5 pm on Wednesday, 11th March 2026. 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 pm on Wednesday, 11th March 2026.
8. 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 Wednesday 11th March 2026. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate can be made online:
<https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate>

Ardip Sandhu
Returning Officer

Dated: 19 January 2026