



## VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF COUNCILLOR FOR BROADBRIDGE HEATH PARISH COUNCIL

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A NEW CHALLENGE?

IF YOU'RE PASSIONATE ABOUT WHERE YOU LIVE AND WANT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE, THEN BECOME A PARISH COUNCILLOR!

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## **IF YOU ARE INTERESTED AND**

- ✓ Are Over 18
- ✓ A British or Commonwealth Citizen
- ✓ Live within the Parish or 3 miles from the boundary
- ✓ Have a desire to make a difference in your community
- ✓ Able to make an informed opinion to support collaborative decisions on Parish Council responsibilities, services and projects

Please email clerk@broadbridgeheath-pc.gov.uk expressing your interest by

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2021



## NOTICE OF CO-OPTION OF PARISH COUNCILLOR

Notice is hereby given that following the resignation of Councillors Emily McGowan and Paul Wales, 2 vacancies have arisen in the Office of Councillor for Broadbridge Heath Parish Council and we invite applicants to apply for co-option.

Interested persons must be a qualifying Commonwealth or EU citizen, aged 18 years or over and:

- Have lived in the Parish for the preceding twelve months
- Be a registered elector in the Parish: or
- Have occupied as owner or tenant any land or premises in the Parish for the preceding twelve months: or
- Have their principal or only place of work in the Parish for the preceding twelve months
- Must not be disqualified from holding office as a Councillor

## A person is disqualified if they:

- Hold any paid office or employment to which they have been appointed by the Council
- Are the subject of a bankruptcy restrictions order or interim order
- Have within five years of the day of co-option been convicted of any offence and has had passed on them a sentence of imprisonment for a period of not less than three months (whether suspended or not) without option of a fine
- Have been found guilty of corrupt or illegal practices or have been responsible for incurring unlawful expenditure and the court orders their disqualification

Applicants should note that Councillors are expected to attend monthly meetings and to represent the electors of Broadbridge Heath in raising and discussing issues of interest on which the

Parish Council is empowered to act.

Any person willing to fill this vacancy should apply by the 16<sup>th</sup> July to Lucinda Edwards, the Clerk to the Parish Council, by email clerk@broadbridgeheath-pc.gov.uk or in writing at the address below.

Applications will be considered at the Parish Council meeting, proposed to be held on 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021 and applicants are invited to attend the meeting.

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