

Notice of Election

Parliamentary Election for the St Ives Constituency

1. An election is to be held for a Member to serve in Parliament for the St Ives Constituency.
2. Nomination papers **can only be submitted in person** between the hours of 10.00am and 4.00pm on any day after the date of this notice, but not later than **4 pm on Thursday 11 May 2017** to the following locations on the specified dates:-
9 May to the Deputy Acting Returning Officer, Interview Room 1, Cornwall Council, St Johns Hall, Penzance, TR18 2QR.
10 and 11 May to the Deputy Acting Returning Officer, Room 11, Cornwall Council, St Austell One-Stop-Shop, Council Offices, 39 Penwinnick Road, St Austell PL25 5DR.
3. Nomination papers may be obtained from the Deputy Acting Returning Officer at Cornwall Council, St Austell One-Stop-Shop, Council Offices, Penwinnick Road, St Austell PL25 5DR, during normal office hours, who, upon request, will prepare for signature a nomination paper.
4. The candidate must deposit £500.00 with the Deputy Acting Returning Officer for the nomination to be valid. The deposit can be paid by bankers draft (made payable to County Fund), debit/credit card or legal tender.
5. If the election is contested, the poll will be held on Thursday, 8 June 2017.
6. **Applications to register to vote** at this election close Midnight on Monday 22 May 2017.
www.gov.uk/register-to-vote
7. Electors and their proxies should note that:

Applications to vote by post or to **vary or cancel existing postal or proxy voting arrangements** must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **5.00pm** on **Tuesday 23 May 2017** if they are to be effective for this election.

Applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **5.00pm** on **Wednesday 31 May 2017**, except in cases where **unforeseen illness, incapacity, occupation, service or employment** occurs after that time, in which case applications may be received by no later than **5.00pm** on **Thursday 8 June 2017**.

All applications and notices regarding absent voting must reach the appropriate **Electoral Registration Officer*** by the relevant deadline if they are to be effective for this election.

* **Cornwall Council area:**

Room 11, St Austell One-Stop-Shop, Penwinnick Road, St Austell PL25 5DR.

* **Council of the Isles of Scilly area:**

Town Hall, St Mary's, Isles of Scilly, TR21 0LW.