

NOTICE OF POLL

**(to be publicly displayed for not less than 7 days
immediately prior to the election)**

****NAME** COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

Polling will take place on ****DATE**** for the election of Councillors for the above-named Community Council, there being more validly nominated candidates than vacancies to be filled. The number of vacancies to be filled, name and address of each candidate being validly nominated and the name and address of the witness who signed the nomination paper for each candidate are as detailed on the annexed Schedule. Self-nomination is not permitted.

The persons entitled to vote as electors at this election are the persons who have attained the age of 16 years* on the date of the Poll and whose names appear in the Register of Electors for the above-named Community Council area.

*The Scottish Elections (Reduction in Voting Age) Bill introduced in Spring 2016 allows for 16 year olds to vote at Local Government and Scottish Parliament and they will therefore be included in the electoral register for those elections. Consequently, as Community Council elections are held on the Local Government franchise, this new ruling will now apply to all future Community Council elections.

Polling will take place between the hours of [insert time(s) agreed between RO and CC] on the said date at ****VENUE****

There will be NO provision for postal or proxy voting.

After the close of Poll, counting of votes will take place at ****VENUE****

Signed by Returning Officer (RO)

Print RO's name

Date

[name] COMMUNITY COUNCIL
ELECTION OF COMMUNITY COUNCILLORS

No. of vacancies on elected Community Council	Name of candidate remaining validly nominated	Address and number as in Register of Electors	Name, address and number as in Register of Electors of the proposer for each candidate
[number]			