

NOTICE OF ELECTION

UK Parliamentary Election

For the Rossendale and Darwen Constituency

1. An Election is to be held of one Member of Parliament to serve the Rossendale and Darwen Constituency.
2. Nomination papers can be obtained from the Elections Office, Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire, OL13 0BB, from the (Acting) Returning Officer who will, at the request of an elector for any electoral area, prepare a nomination paper for signature.
3. Nomination papers must be delivered to the (Acting) Returning Officer at Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire, OL13 0BB, on any day after the date of this notice, on Monday to Friday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. but no later than 4pm on Friday 7 June 2024.
4. The £500 deposit can be paid by means of a banker's draft from a drawer which carries on business as a banker in the United Kingdom, by BACS transfer, or cash. Cheque payments **will not** be accepted.
5. If the election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday 4 July 2024.
6. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Tuesday 18 June 2024. Applications can be made online at www.gov.uk/register-to-vote
7. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire, OL13 0BB, by 5 p.m. on Wednesday 19 June 2024. Applications can be made online at www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote
8. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector's Document for this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire, OL13 0BB, by 5pm on Wednesday 26 June 2024. Applications can be made online at www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate
9. Applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire, OL13 0BB, by 5 p.m. on Wednesday 26 June 2024. Applications can be made online at www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote
10. 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 Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire, OL13 0BB, by 5 p.m. on Thursday 4 July 2024. The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5pm on Wednesday 26 June 2024. 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 5pm on Wednesday 26 June 2024.

Dated: Friday 31 May 2024

Rob Huntington
(Acting) Returning Officer