

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Shropshire Council Election of Town Councillors for the Town (Wards) listed below

Town (Wards)	Number of Councillors to be elected
Market Drayton Town Council (East Ward)	Two
Market Drayton Town Council (North Ward)	Five
Market Drayton Town Council (South Ward)	Five

- Forms of nomination may be obtained from the Returning Officer at the **The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, SY3 8HQ** who will, at the request of an elector for any electoral area prepare a nomination paper for signature.
- Nomination papers must be hand-delivered to the Returning Officer, The Guildhall, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY3 8HQ on any day after the date of this notice but **no later than 4 pm on Wednesday, 2nd April 2025**. Alternatively, candidates may submit their nomination papers at the following locations on specified dates, between the times shown below:

Shrewsbury	<u>The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, SY3 8HQ</u>
9.00am – 4.30pm	Weekdays from Tuesday 11 th March to Friday 28 th March.
9.00am – 6.00pm	Monday 31 st March and Tuesday 1 st April.
9.00am – 4.00pm	Wednesday 2 nd April.
Oswestry	<u>Oswestry Library, Arthur Street, Oswestry, SY11 1JN</u>
9.45am – 4.45pm	Tuesday 11 th March; Tuesday 18 th March and Tuesday 25 th March.
Wem	<u>Wem Library, High Street, Wem, SY4 5AA</u>
10.15am – 4.45pm	Thursday 13 th March; Thursday 20 th March and Thursday 27 th March.
Ludlow	<u>Helena Lane Day Care Centre, 20 Hamlet Road, Ludlow, SY8 2NP</u>
9.15am – 4.30pm	Friday 14 th March; Friday 21 st March and Friday 28 th March.
Bridgnorth	<u>Bridgnorth Library, Listley Street, Bridgnorth, WV16 4AW</u>
9.45am – 4.45pm	Wednesday 12 th March; Wednesday 19 th March and Wednesday 26 th March.
- If any election is contested the poll will take place on **Thursday, 1st May 2025**.
- Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY3 8HQ by **12 midnight on Friday 11th April 2025**. Applications can be made online at gov.uk/register-to-vote
- Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal and postal proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, SY3 8HQ by **5 pm on Monday, 14th April 2025**.
- Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector's Document valid for this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **5 pm on Wednesday, 23rd April 2025**. Applications can be made online at gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate
- Applications, amendments or cancellations to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, SY3 8HQ by **5 pm on Wednesday, 23rd April 2025**.
- Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, SY3 8HQ by **5 pm on Thursday, 1st May 2025**.

Dated Monday 10 March 2025

Andy Begley
Returning Officer