

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Shropshire Council Election of Councillors for the Town Ward listed below

Town Ward	Number of Councillors to be elected
Oswestry Town Council (Gatacre Ward)	One

1. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer, The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY3 8HQ on any day after the date of this notice, on Monday to Friday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (excluding bank holidays) but no later than 4 pm on Friday, 17th July 2026.
2. Nomination papers may be obtained from the offices of the Returning Officer, The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY3 8HQ, during the times stated above.
3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday, 13th August 2026.
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Tuesday 28 July 2026. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote>.
5. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments and cancellations of postal proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY3 8HQ by 5 pm on Wednesday, 29th July 2026.
6. 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, 5th August 2026. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate>
7. Applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY3 8HQ by 5 pm on Wednesday, 5th August 2026. Some applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote>
8. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY3 8HQ by 5 pm on Thursday, 13th August 2026.

Dated: Thursday 9 July 2026

Tanya Miles
Returning Officer