

# NOTICE OF ELECTION

## CITY OF DONCASTER COUNCIL

# Election of the Mayor for Doncaster

### 1. ELECTION

An Election is to be held for the Mayor for Doncaster

### 2. NOMINATION PAPERS

Nomination Papers may be obtained from Electoral Services, Civic Office, Waterdale Doncaster DN1 3BU, Monday to Friday 9:00am to 5:00pm (excluding Bank Holidays). An electronic copy can be downloaded from our webpage or supplied by e-mail; to request an electronic copy please e-mail [candidates@doncaster.gov.uk](mailto:candidates@doncaster.gov.uk)

### 3. DELIVERY OF NOMINATION PAPERS

Nomination papers must be hand delivered to Electoral Services, Ground Floor, Civic Office, Waterdale, Doncaster, DN1 3BU, between the hours of **9:30am and 4pm** on any working day from **Monday 24 March until no later than 4pm on Wednesday 2 April 2025**.

### 4. DEPOSIT

To stand as a candidate a £500 deposit must be paid to the Returning Officer.

Payment can be made via BACS, by debit/credit card when delivering nomination forms or over telephone, by legal tender or by UK banker's draft. Please contact [candidates@doncaster.gov.uk](mailto:candidates@doncaster.gov.uk) for further information.

### 5. DATE OF POLL

If any election is contested the poll will take place on **Thursday 1 May 2025**.

### 6. APPLICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION, POSTAL/PROXY VOTING AND FOR FREE VOTER ID

If they are to be effective for this election:

- Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Civic Office, Waterdale, Doncaster DN1 3BU by midnight on **Friday 11 April 2025**. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote>.
- Applications to vote by post or to amend or cancel any existing postal vote arrangements must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Civic Office, Waterdale, Doncaster DN1 3BU by **5pm on Monday 14 April 2025**. New applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote>
- Applications for a free photo ID known as a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector's Document must be received by the Electoral Registration Officer by **5pm on Wednesday 23 April 2025**. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate>
- New applications to appoint a proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Civic Office, Waterdale, Doncaster DN1 3BU by **5pm on Wednesday 23 April 2025**. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote>
- If after 5pm on Wednesday 23 April 2025 you need to appoint an emergency proxy at this election, it must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Civic Office, Waterdale, Doncaster DN1 3BU by **5pm on Thursday 1st May 2025**.

**Dated:** Monday 24 March 2025

**Damian Allen**  
Returning Officer