**NOTICE OF ELECTION**

**Sefton Metropolitan Borough Council**

**Election of Parish Councillors**

for the Parish and Parish Wards listed below

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| **Parish Wards** | **Number of Parish Councillors to be elected** | **Parish Wards** | **Number of Parish Councillors to be elected** |
| Aintree Village (North Ward)  | Five | Lydiate (West Ward) | Four |
| Aintree Village (South Ward) | Seven | Maghull (East Ward) | Five |
| Formby (Harington Ward) | Eight | Maghull (North Ward) | Five |
| Formby (Ravenmeols Ward) | Seven | Maghull (South Ward) | Two |
| Hightown | Seven | Maghull (West Ward) | Four |
| Ince Blundell | Five | Melling | Eleven |
| Little Altcar | Seven | Sefton (North Ward) | Three |
| Lydiate (North Ward) | Two | Sefton (South Ward) | Four |
| Lydiate (South Ward) | Three | Thornton | Seven |

1. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer at Bootle Town Hall, Oriel Road, Bootle, L20 7AE between 10.00am and 4.00pm on any working day from the date of publication of this notice (excluding bank holidays) but no later than **4.00pm on Tuesday 4 April 202**3.
2. Nomination papers may be obtained from the offices of the Returning Officer, Bootle Town Hall, Oriel Road, Bootle, L20 7AE, during the times stated above.
3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on **THURSDAY 4 MAY 2023.**
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **12 midnight on Monday 17 April 2023**. Applications can be made online: **https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote**.
5. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Bootle Town Hall, Oriel Road, Bootle, L20 7AE by **5.00pm on Tuesday 18 April 2023**.
6. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector’s Document valid for this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **5.00pm on Tuesday 25 April 202**3. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate can be made online: **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 Bootle Town Hall, Oriel Road, Bootle, L20 7AE by **5.00pm on Tuesday 25 April 2023**
8. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Bootle Town Hall, Oriel Road, Bootle, L20 7AE by **5.00pm on Thursday 4 May 2023**.