

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Election of a Councillor to Ilton Parish Council

on Thursday, 22nd October 2026

Parish	Number of Councillors to be elected
Ilton Parish Council	1

1. Nomination papers may be obtained from the offices of the Returning Officer, Electoral Services, Somerset Council, County Hall, Taunton, TA1 4DY during the times stated below.
2. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer at Electoral Services, Petters House, Petters Way, Yeovil, BA20 1AS between 10am-12:30pm and 1:30pm-4pm on any working day from the date of publication of this notice (excluding bank holidays) but no later than 4pm on Friday, 25th September 2026.
3. If an election is contested the poll will take place on **Thursday, 22nd October 2026**.
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Tuesday, 6th October 2026. Applications can be made online: www.gov.uk/register-to-vote.
5. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by post at Electoral Services, Somerset Council, County Hall, Taunton, TA1 4DY by 5 pm on Wednesday, 7th October 2026. Applications to vote by post can be made online: www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote.
6. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector's Document valid for this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 5pm on Wednesday, 14th October 2026. 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 by post at Electoral Services, Somerset Council, County Hall, Taunton, TA1 4DY by 5pm on Wednesday, 14th October 2026. Applications to vote by proxy can be made online: www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote.
8. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by post at Electoral Services, Somerset Council, County Hall, Taunton, TA1 4DY by 5pm on Thursday, 22nd October 2026.

Dated: Thursday, 17 September 2026
Duncan Sharkey
Returning Officer