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Notice of Casual Vacancy for Bishopstoke Parish Council

Notice is hereby given that today, 10th May 2017, a vacancy has occurred for a Councillor representing the Bishopstoke East ward on Bishopstoke Parish Council following the resignation of Councillor Gary Chaffey.

Notice in writing of a request for an election to fill the vacancy should be sent to:

The Returning Officer
Eastleigh Borough Council
Eastleigh House
Upper Market Street
Eastleigh
SO50 9YN

Notice must be received by the Returning Officer by 31st May from at least 10 electors in the Bishopstoke East ward in order for an election to be called. If that is the case, then the Returning Officer will determine the election date, which must be within 60 working days of the date of this notice. Electors wishing to request an election must confirm their name and address to the Returning Officer as it appears on the Register of Electors.

If there are fewer than 10 valid requests, then there will be no election. In that case the Parish Council can fill the vacancy by co-option.

Further advice can be obtained from the Elections Office helpline on 023 8068 8201.