

## NOTICE OF CO-OPTION TO FILL THE VACANCY FOR COUNCILLOR FOR THE PARISH OF KENN

NOTICE IS GIVEN that North Somerset Council advertised the vacancy for 14 working days and confirmed on the 9 August 2018 that **no** request had been received from 10 electors of Kenn to fill the vacancy by an election.

Therefore, Kenn Parish Council has now been notified to fill the vacancy by co-option as soon as is practicable.

### KENN PARISH COUNCIL

currently have a vacancy for a Parish Councillor and are looking to fill this by Co-option.

If you are interested in being considered for this community role please contact the Clerk:

**Mrs E Wade, 98a Walton Road, Clevedon, BS21 6AN**

**By the 21 September 2018**

When contacting it would be extremely helpful if you could highlight any specific skills or interests which you believe would benefit Kenn's community.

#### To be eligible to stand for election as a Parish Councillor you must be :-

- At least 18 years old.
- Be a British Citizen, an eligible Commonwealth Citizen or a Citizen of any member state of the European Union, and meet at least one of the following:-
  - You are and will continue to be registered as a local government elector for the parish/community in which you wish to stand from the day of your nomination onwards.
  - You have occupied as owner or tenant any land or other premises in the parish/community area during the whole of the 12 months before the day of your nomination and the day of election.
  - Your main or only place of work during the 12 months prior to the day of your nomination and the day of election has been in the parish/community area.
  - You have lived in the parish/community area or within 3 miles of it during the whole of the 12 months before the day of your nomination and the day of election.

#### You are not permitted to stand for election as a Parish Councillor if you :-

- Are employed by the Parish Council.
- Are the subject of a Bankruptcy Restriction Order or Interim Order.
- Have within 5 years before the day of the election, been convicted in the United Kingdom of any offence and have a prison sentence (whether suspended or not) for a period of over 3 months without the option of a fine.
- You have been disqualified under the Representation of People Act 1983 (which covers corrupt or illegal electoral practices and offences relating to donations).

#### The Parish Council looks forward to hearing from you.

For more information on Eligibility for Office of Councillor please go onto the **Kenn Parish Council web site**, [www.kenn-pc.org.uk](http://www.kenn-pc.org.uk) select the tab for 'Councillors' and then click on either the **booklet** link (go to page 6) and/or on the **Gov.UK** link.

### 2018 MEETINGS

3 September – Council

5 November - Council

Agendas will be on noticeboards 3 days before the meeting.

### KENN PARISH COUNCILLORS

Sheila Naish Tel: 07808 920 962

Chairman

Stephen Brain Tel: 07773 211 394

Vice-Chairman

Wilf Bessant Tel: 01275 872 406

Jon-Paul Humberstone Tel: 07990 690 060

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Hartley Staples Tel: 01275 340 771

Robert Treble Tel: 07831 316 760

### NORTH SOMERSET COUNCILLORS

Jill Iles 01934 830430 / 07976 202838

Judith Hadley 01275 563640

You can speak to both at Yatton Library from 10am–12noon, fourth Saturday of each month