NOTICE OF ELECTION

Newcastle-under-Lyme

Election of Borough Councillor

for the Ward listed below

Ward	Number of District Councillors to be elected
Knutton	One

1. A By-Election will be held for one Councillor to serve the Knutton Ward.

2. Nomination papers must be hand delivered **by appointment** to the Returning Officer, Castle House, Barracks Road, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire, ST5 1BL, on any working day after the date of this notice, **Monday to Friday between 10:00am and 4:00pm** (excluding bank holidays), **but no later than 4 pm on Wednesday, 2nd April 2025.**

3. Nomination papers may be obtained from the offices of the Returning Officer, Castle House, Barracks Road, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire, ST5 1BL during the times stated above.

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

5. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **12 midnight** on the **Friday**, **11th April 2025**. Applications can be made online: <u>https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote</u>

6. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Castle House, Barracks Road, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire, ST5 1BL by **5 pm on Monday, 14th April 2025**. You may apply online or download a form at https://www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote or contact the Electoral Registration Office direct.

7. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate (free voter ID, or an Anonymous Elector's Document valid for this election, must reach the electoral registration officer at Castle House, Barracks Road, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire, ST5 1BL by **5pm on Wednesday, 23rd April 2025**.

8. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Castle House, Barracks Road, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire, ST5 1BL by **5 pm on Wednesday, 23rd April 2025**. You can find information and dependent upon your proxy type apply online at <u>https://www.gov.uk/how-to-vote/voting-by-proxy</u>

9. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election applied for on grounds of physical incapacity, where that physical incapacity occurred after **5 pm on Wednesday, 23rd April 2025**, must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Castle House, Barracks Road, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire, ST5 1BL by **5 pm on Thursday, 1st May 2025**.