

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Cheshire West and Chester

Election of a Ward Councillor

for the Electoral Division listed below

Electoral Division	Number of Ward Councillor to be elected
Willaston and Thornton	One

1. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Returning Officer, at The Portal, Wellington Road, Ellesmere Port, Cheshire CH65 0BA between 9am and 5pm on any working day after the date of this notice but no later than **4pm on Monday 22 December 2025**.
2. Nomination papers may be obtained from the office of the Returning Officer, The Portal, Wellington Road, Ellesmere Port, CH65 0BA, during the times stated above. Please call 01244 977084 to arrange collection.
3. If any election is contested the poll will take place on **Thursday 22 January 2026**.
4. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **12 midnight on Tuesday 6 January 2026**. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote>
5. New applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at The Portal, Wellington Road, Ellesmere Port, Cheshire CH65 0BA by **5pm on Wednesday 7 January 2026**. You may apply online or download a form at <https://www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote> or call the Elections Team on 01244 977084.
6. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector's Document valid for this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at The Portal, Wellington Road, Ellesmere Port, Cheshire CH65 0BA by **5pm on Wednesday 14 January 2026**. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate>
7. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at The Portal, Wellington Road, Ellesmere Port, Cheshire CH65 0BA by **5pm on Wednesday 14 January 2026**. You can find information and dependent upon your proxy type apply online or download a form at <https://www.gov.uk/apply-proxy-vote>
8. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at The Portal, Wellington Road, Ellesmere Port, Cheshire CH65 0BA by **5pm on Thursday 22 January 2026**.



Dated: Friday 12 December 2025

Delyth Curtis
Returning Officer