

# NOTICE OF ELECTION

## Election of a **Member of Parliament** for the **Watford Borough Constituency**

### NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

1. An election is to be held for a Member of Parliament for the **Watford Borough Constituency**.
2. Nomination papers may be obtained, during normal office hours, from the Acting Returning Officer at the address shown below.
3. Completed nomination papers must be delivered to the Acting Returning Officer at the offices of Watford Borough Council, at the address shown below, on any day after the date of this notice, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. but no later than **4pm - Thursday, 11th May 2017**.
4. If the election is contested, the poll will take place on **Thursday, 8th June 2017** between the hours of 7 a.m and 10 p.m.
5. Electors and their proxies should take note that to be effective for this election applications regarding absent vote arrangements must reach the **Electoral Registration Officer at Watford Borough Council, Electoral Services Office, Room 22, Town Hall, Watford, WD17 3EX**, as follows -
  - (i) New POSTAL VOTE applications or notice to cancel or amend an existing arrangement by **5:00p.m. on Tuesday, 23rd May 2017**;
  - (ii) New PROXY VOTE applications or notice to cancel or amend an existing arrangement by **5:00p.m. on Wednesday, 31st May 2017**;
  - (iii) The deadline for new applications to vote by proxy on grounds of a medical emergency is not later than **5:00p.m. on Thursday, 8th June 2017**;

Note – to be eligible for an emergency proxy the physical incapacity must have occurred after 5pm on Wednesday, 31st May 2017 or on the grounds of work/service, the person must have become aware that they cannot go to the polling station in person after 5pm on Wednesday, 31st May 2017.

Dated: Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> May 2017

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