## **Hertsmere Borough Council**

## **Election of a Parish Councillor**

For the Area of

## SHENLEY PARISH COUNCIL

Having received a written request from **TEN** eligible electors from the Parish Area, the Proper Officer can confirm that a by-election to fill the vacancy on Shenley Parish Council must be held in accordance with The Local Election (Parishes and Communities)(England and Wales) Rules 2006. These rules specify that an election is to be held within 60 days of receiving the said request.

However due to the current Covid 19 Pandemic, emergency legislation has been passed postponing elections and referendums that would normally take place between the 16<sup>th</sup> March 2020 and 5<sup>th</sup> May 2021.

Accordingly, pursuant to Sections 61 and 63 of the Coronavirus Act 2020 and Regulation 6 of the Local Government and Police and Crime Commissioner (Coronavirus) (Postponement of Elections and Referendums) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020, the election to fill the vacancy on Shenley Parish Council will now be held on the ordinary day of election in 2021; that is to say on **6<sup>th</sup> May 2021**.

Further information will be supplied closer to the time.

Dated: Friday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2020

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