



# Heybridge Parish Council

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### VACANCY FOR PARISH COUNCILLOR EAST WARD

The Returning Officer of Maldon District Council has confirmed the regulation 10 requests from electors has not been fulfilled and the Council can now fill the casual vacancy by co-option.

There are no rules regarding co-option of members and the Parish Council may co-opt any person who is legally qualified to hold such office and who is willing to serve provided they are a British Citizen, or a citizen of the Commonwealth or the European Union, and are neither the subject of a bankruptcy restriction order or interim order, or have in the five years before the day of the co-option, been convicted in the United Kingdom of any offence and have had a prison sentence (whether suspended or not) for a period of over three months without the option of a fine.

The following also applies.

- Must be over 18 years of age or older on the day they become nominated for co-option and registered as a local government elector for the parish.
- Have during the whole of the twelve months preceding the day on which they are nominated as a candidate occupied as owner or tenant any land or other premises in the parish
- Their principal or any place of work in the twelve months preceding the day on which they are nominated as a candidate have been in the area of the parish
- Have resided either in the parish or within 3 miles thereof during the whole of the 12 months preceding the day on which they have been nominated.

Written expressions of interest from persons wishing to serve as a councillor should be submitted to the Clerk along with a CV or contact:

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Tel: 01621 855652.

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