

# **BILLINGSHURST PARISH COUNCIL**

**Local Government Act 1972  
The Local Elections (Parishes and Communities) Rules 2006**

## **NOTICE OF VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF PARISH COUNCILLOR**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that due to the resignation of Councillor Joe Horwood a vacancy for a parish councillor exists.
2. A by-election to fill a vacancy will be held if within 14 days (not counting a Saturday or Sunday, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or a Bank Holiday) from the date below (ie by 24 May 2017) ten electors for the parish give notice in writing claiming such an election to the Proper Officer. The Proper Officer for the purpose of Electoral matters is The Returning Officer.
3. The Address of the Returning Officer is :-

Horsham District Council  
Parkside  
Chart Way  
Horsham  
West Sussex RH12 1RL

4. If no such notice is given, the Parish Council will fill the vacancy by co-option and persons interested should notify the Clerk to the Parish Council.

Date: 4 May 2017

Greg Burt  
Parish Clerk

Council Office  
The Billingshurst Village Hall  
Roman Way, Billingshurst  
RH14 9QW