

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE FOR THE OPENING OF POSTAL VOTES

Lowestoft Town Council By-election (Kirkley Parish Ward)

Thursday 19 February 2026

Notice is hereby given that the opening of postal votes for the above will take place at the Returning Officer address on the following dates and at the following times:

Date	Time
Wednesday 11 February 2026	From 10am
Thursday 12 February 2026	From 10am
Friday 13 February 2026	From 10am
Monday 16 February 2026	From 10am
Tuesday 17 February 2026	From 10am
Wednesday 18 February 2026	From 10am
Thursday 19 February 2026	From 10am 10pm – all postal votes received by close of poll will be processed
Sessions may be cancelled or shortened without prior notice depending on the number of postal votes received. Please call or email elections@eastsuffolk.gov.uk to check that a session will be running.	

The Returning Officer will give a minimum of 48 hours' notice of any additional opening sessions. Candidates are entitled to appoint one agent to attend the proceedings. The name and address of the appointed agent must be given in writing to the Returning Officer before the session begins.

Deputy Returning Officer Address
East Suffolk Council Electoral Services Riverside 4 Canning Road Lowestoft NR33 0EQ Tel: 01502 523251

Dated: Friday, 27 January 2026

Chris Bally
Returning Officer