

BIGGLESWADE TOWN COUNCIL



CO-OPTION OF TOWN COUNCILLOR

The Council has a casual vacancy for a Town Councillor. The statutory advertisement has been displayed as a by-election has not been called for by electors. The Town Council are requesting applications from eligible persons who wish to be considered for co-option to the Town Council. If selected, you would be a full voting member until the all-out elections in May 2019.

Some desirable qualities might be:

- * Statutory eligibility (Over 18 years of age; Live in the parish or within 3 miles; work in parish; British citizen or from EU or commonwealth).
- * Active in the community/voluntary sector.
- * Specific knowledge of the Town Ward (Ivel).
- * Can bring skills/experience to Council.
- * Able to devote time to the role.
- * Good reasoning skills.
- * Passion to see the Town develop.

Town Councils are the tier of local government closest to voters and communities. It is an exciting time because in Biggleswade we have a very ambitious agenda and hope shortly to gain more far reaching powers. We have recently been awarded the national Local Council Foundation Award.

Town Council meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month, Committee meetings are held quarterly.

Anyone interested in becoming a Town Councillor is invited to send an application setting out your interest to the Town Clerk, The Old Court House, 4 Saffron Road, Biggleswade, SG18 8DL, by 1st September 2017.

