NOTICE OF VACANCY

ST MICHAEL WARD

Notice is hereby given under Section 87(2) of the Local Government Act 1972 that a casual vacancy has arisen in the Office of District Councillor for the St Michael Ward of the District of Winchester City Council

An election will be held if 2 electors from within the District request in writing that the Returning Officer holds an election to fill the vacancy.

On receipt of the requests to fill that vacancy the Returning Officer by virtue of the Coronavirus Act 2020 and The Local Government and Police and Crime Commissioner (Coronavirus)(Postponement of Elections and Referendums)(England and Wales) Regulations 2020 the by-election will not currently take place, and the vacancy will be held open until the by-election takes place. The 2020 regulations provide for the by-election to take place on the date for the Ordinary Election of Councillors due to be held on Thursday 6 May 2021. However, this date may be brought forward or deferred by the Government depending upon the circumstances. Any election that is in due course called will be duly publicised as required by law.

Dated: 26 October 2020

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