ANNUAL CANVASS OF ELECTORS 2019



<u>PLEASE</u> USE THE AUTOMATED RESPONSE OPTIONS (Internet, phone or a mobile)

The 2019 annual canvass of electors will start at the end of this week

Please look out for the form addressed to "The Residents". (Even if there are no changes to your details you need to confirm this or tell us about any changes.)

If you have access to the internet, phone or a mobile then <u>please</u> respond online, by phone or by text as soon as possible and by 20 August at the latest. It's simpler, clearer and faster online or by phone – you will need the two part security code on the front of the form. This year it's even easier to access the website by using the QR code on the front of the form. Just open the camera on your phone and hover over the QR code for a couple of seconds - it will take you directly to the household response website.

Sending reminders again cost the council around £20,000 last year, money which could otherwise be spent on providing essential public services to our residents.

We need staff and Members to set a good example by using the automated response options – hand delivering forms to our office might save postage but means we still have to scan and process them!

Please encourage your family, friends and neighbours to use the automated response options.

Remember, there might be another Parliamentary election soon so make sure you are registered by responding <u>NOW</u>.

By law, each household needs to respond so if you do it <u>NOW</u> we won't have to send you a reminder. Please help us keep costs down.

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