

NOTICE OF REFERENDUM HALTON-WITH-AUGHTON NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN AREA

Referendum on the adoption of the Halton-with-Aughton Neighbourhood Plan

1. A referendum will be held on **Thursday 5th March 2026** to decide on the Question below:

'Do you want Lancaster City Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Halton-with-Aughton to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?'

2. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on **Tuesday 17th February 2026**. Applications can be made online: <http://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote>.
3. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Town Hall, Lancaster, LA1 1PJ by **5pm on Wednesday 18th February 2026**.
4. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Electors Document valid for this referendum must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **5pm on Wednesday 25th February 2026**. Applications can be made online: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate>.
5. New applications to vote by proxy at this referendum must reach the Electoral Registration Officer, Town Hall, Lancaster, LA1 1PJ by **5pm on Wednesday 25th February 2026**.
6. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this referendum must reach the Electoral Registration Officer, Town Hall, Lancaster, LA1 1PJ by 5pm on Thursday, 5th March 2026.

Dated: Thursday 29 January 2026

Mark Davies
Counting Officer