

## Timetable for the Police and Crime Commissioner elections<sup>i</sup> in England and Wales: 7 May 2020

The days which are disregarded in calculating the timetable are Saturday, Sunday, bank holidays and any day appointed for public thanksgiving or mourning.

Please be aware that the timetable may change in the event of days being appointed for public thanksgiving or mourning.

| Event   | Working days before<br>poll (deadline if not<br>midnight)   | Date (deadline if not midnight)  |
|---|---|--|
| Publication of notice of election                                       | Not later than 25 days  | Not later than Tuesday 31<br>March   |
| Delivery of<br>nomination papers  | Between the hours of<br>10am and 4pm on any<br>day after the publication<br>of the notice of election<br>until 4pm on the<br>nineteenth day before<br>polling day | Between 10am and 4pm on<br>any working day after<br>publication of notice of<br>election and until 4pm on<br>Wednesday 8 April |
| Deadline for delivery<br>of nomination<br>papers                        | 19 days (4pm)   | 4pm on Wednesday 8 April   |
| Deadline for withdrawals  | 19 days (4pm)   | 4pm on Wednesday 8 April   |
| Deadline for the<br>notification of<br>appointment of<br>election agent | 19 days (4pm)   | 4pm on Wednesday 8 April   |

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| Making objections to<br>nomination papers   | On 19 days (10am to<br>5pm), subject to the<br>following:<br>Between 10 am – 12<br>noon objections can be<br>made to all delivered<br>nominations | Between 10am and 12 noon<br>on Wednesday 8 April<br>objections can be made to all<br>delivered nominations<br>Between 12 noon and 5pm on<br>Wednesday 8 April objections<br>can only be made to<br>nominations delivered after<br>4pm on Tuesday 7 April |
|   | Between 12 noon and<br>5pm objections can only<br>be made to nominations<br>delivered after 4pm, 20<br>days before the poll                       |  |
| Publication of first<br>interim election<br>notice of alteration  | 19 days   | Wednesday 8 April  |
| Publication of<br>statement of<br>persons nominated   | Not later than 18 days<br>(4pm)   | Not later than 4pm on<br>Thursday 9 April  |
| Deadline for<br>receiving<br>applications for<br>registration   | 12 days   | Tuesday 21 April   |
| Deadline for<br>receiving new postal<br>vote and postal<br>proxy applications,<br>and for changes to<br>existing postal or<br>proxy votes | 11 days (5pm)   | 5pm on Wednesday 22 April  |
| Deadline for<br>receiving new<br>applications to vote<br>by proxy (not postal<br>proxy or emergency<br>proxies)                           | 6 days (5pm)  | 5pm on Wednesday 29 April  |
| Publication of<br>second interim<br>election notice of<br>alteration  | Between 18 days and 6 days  | Between Thursday 9 April and<br>Wednesday 29 April<br>(inclusive)  |

| Event   | Working days before<br>poll (deadline if not<br>midnight) | Date (deadline if not<br>midnight)   |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|
| Publication of notice of poll   | Not later than 6 days                                     | Not later than Wednesday 29<br>April |
| Deadline for the<br>notification of<br>appointment of sub-<br>agent                                       | 5 days  | Thursday 30 April                    |
| Publication of final<br>election notice of<br>alteration  | 5 days  | Thursday 30 April                    |
| Deadline for<br>notification of<br>appointment of<br>polling agents,<br>counting agents and<br>sub-agents | 5 days  | Thursday 30 April                    |
| First date that<br>electors can apply<br>for a replacement for<br>lost postal votes                       | 4 days  | Friday 1 May                         |
| Polling day   | 0 (7am to 10pm)   | 7am to 10pm on Thursday 7<br>May     |
| Last time that<br>electors can apply<br>for a replacement for<br>spoilt or lost postal<br>votes           | 0 (5pm)   | 5pm on Thursday 7 May                |
| Deadline for<br>emergency proxy<br>applications   | 0 (5pm)   | 5pm on Thursday 7 May                |
| Last time to alter the register due to clerical error or court appeal                                     | 0 (9pm)   | 9pm on Thursday7 May                 |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>i</sup> In Essex, North Yorkshire, Northamptonshire and Staffordshire the Police and Crime Commissioner also holds the fire and rescue authority function.