

PARISH COUNCIL OF LEVENS

VACANCY FOR A PARISH COUNCILLOR

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 (SECTION 87(2)) THE LOCAL ELECTIONS (PARISHES AND COMMUNITIES) (ENGLAND AND WALES) RULES 2006 (RULE 5)

- (1) There is a vacancy on the above-mentioned Council caused by the resignation of ex-Councillor Roger Mason
(This reason must include the name of the relevant councillor)
- (2) A by-election to fill the vacancy must be held if, within 14 days from the date of the publishing of this Notice, ten electors for the Parish (Ward)* give notice, in writing, to the Returning Officer of their request for an election.
- (3) The Returning Officer is Miranda Cannon and the address is Westmorland and Furness Council, South Lakeland House, Lowther Street, Kendal, Cumbria, LA9 4UQ. Requests can also be emailed to **elections3@westmorlandandfurness.gov.uk**.
- (4) If no such notice is given, the Parish/Town Council must fill the vacancy by co-option as soon as practicable after the expiry of the period of 14 days referred to at Paragraph (2) above.

Dated: 17 July 2026

Signed *Martin Curry*
Parish Clerk

Address of Parish Clerk: 18 Barn Holme, Kendal, LA9 5LP

Tel/mobile no: 07388 920410

* Delete reference to "Ward" in those cases where the Parish is not warded.

NOTES

- (1) This form is for use where a vacancy occurs six months or more before the fourth day after the day of the next ordinary election.
- (2) In computing any period of time for the purposes of this notice a Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, Good Friday or a Bank Holiday or a day appointed for public thanksgiving or mourning, shall be disregarded.