

WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

2 May 2013

The following is a statement as to the persons nominated for election as Councillor for the

HURSTPIERPOINT AND BOLNEY DIVISION

STATEMENT AS TO PERSONS NOMINATED

The following persons have been nominated:

Candidate's Surname	Other Names	Home Address	Description (if any)	Decision of the Returning Officer
Airey	Mike	3 Dyke Close Poynings Brighton BN45 7BB	Green Party	
Chalkley	David Patrick	6 Valebridge Drive Burgess Hill RH15 0RW	Labour Party Candidate	
Griffiths	Peter	Eastlands Farmhouse Malthouse Lane Hurstpierpoint West Sussex BN6 9LA	The Conservative Party Candidate	
Holt	Ian	44 Wyberlye Road Burgess Hill RH15 8HX	UKIP	
Jackson	Rodney Thomas Hayden	11 Bishops Close Hurstpierpoint Hassocks West Sussex BN6 9XU	Liberal Democrat	

The persons opposite whose names no entry is made in the last column have been and stand validly nominated.

TOM CLARK

DEPUTY RETURNING OFFICER

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PRESS RELEASE

Registering to vote is free – please do not pay

Mid Sussex District Council is reminding residents that electoral registration is free, after it emerged that some companies are trying to charge people for the service.

The Electoral Commission, the UK elections watchdog, has been alerted to a company called 'UK Electoral Roll' that is offering a £30-a-time 'assisted service' to complete electoral roll registrations on behalf of customers. The company also uses a £1.53 a minute premium rate number to take customer questions.

The Electoral Commission has now contacted the company, asking them to remove its advertising.

Alex Robertson, Director of Communications for the Electoral Commission, said: "This service is clearly ripping people off. It is very simple to register to vote and we want to make sure no one mistakenly uses this or any service that charges people for something that is available free of charge."

With West Sussex County Council elections taking place next month; local people have until 17 April to register their details if they wish to vote on 2 May. Mid Sussex District Council is reminding local residents that they can register to vote for free by contacting its Electoral Services team on 01444 477003 or by emailing elections@midsussex.gov.uk.

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