



SCOTHERN PARISH COUNCIL

CO-OPTION PROCEDURE APPLICATION FORMS

Adopted January 2023

Application for Co-option	
Full name and title	
About you	<i>In the box below tell us a little about your background, skills and experience that might be useful if you join the parish council.</i>
Reasons for applying	<i>Please explain here your reasons why you want to be a member of the Town/ Parish Council</i>
Signature	
Date	

Return this form to the Scothern Parish Clerk once you have completed it.

e-mail scothernpc@yahoo.co.uk

Eligibility to be a Parish Councillor	
Full name and Title	
Home address	
Home telephone	
Mobile telephone	
Email address	
It is a condition of being a Parish Councillor that your name will be made public via notice boards and the parish council website. You may need to disclose your phone and email address to deal with parish council matters. Do you agree to this? Yes / No	
Are you a British or Commonwealth Citizen and not require leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or have indefinite leave to remain? Yes / No	
Are you aged over 18? Yes / No	
<i>To qualify you must be able to answer 'Yes' to at least one of the questions below</i>	
a) Are you on the electoral register for Scothern Parish Council?	Yes / No
b) Have you lived either in parish of Scothern or within 3 miles of its boundary, for at least a year?	Yes / No
c) Have you been the owner or tenant of land in Scothern parish for at least a year?	Yes / No
d) Have you had your only or main place of work in parish of Scothern for at least a year?	Yes / No
<i>You must be able to answer 'No' to all the questions below to be eligible to serve as a councillor.</i>	
i) Are you the subject of a bankruptcy restrictions order or interim order?	Yes / No
ii) Have you within the last five years been convicted of an offence in the UK, the Channel Islands or Isle of Man and has been sentenced (whether suspended or not) to imprisonment for three months or more without the option of a fine?	Yes / No
iii) Are you disqualified by order of a court from being a member of a local authority?	Yes / No
iv) Employed by Scothern Parish Council, a joint committee or holds a paid office?	Yes / No
v) Subject to the notification requirements of the Sexual Offences act 2003 or Sexual Risk Orders?	Yes / No
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