## LOCAL GOVERNMENT 2007 TRIENNIAL ELECTION TIMETABLE

(Under current legislation - May 2005)

## 13 OCTOBER 2007

July 2006 EO Training Workshop (SOLGM)

October 2006 EO Forum (SOLGM)

On/after Tues 1 February 2007 Declaration of Electoral Officer [Sec 14, LEA]

Fri 2 March 2007 - Mon 30 April 2007 Ratepayer Roll Enrolment Confirmation Forms sent

[Reg 16, LER]

Fri 2 March 2007 - Fri 6 July 2007 Preparation of Ratepayer Roll [Reg 10 LER]

Wed 14 March 2007 EEC Questionnaire sent to EOs

Wed 11 April 2007 Final Representation Review decisions from LGC

Fri 6 April 2007 EEC Questionnaire due

May 2007 SOLGM national Ratepayer Roll Qualifications and

Procedures campaign [Sec 39 LEA]

Thur 10 May 2007 EEC test data sent to EOs

By Fri 29 June 2007 Optional Early Processing Resolution [Sec 79 LEA]

Optional Order of Candidate Names Resolution

[Reg 31 LER]

Mon 9 July 2007 EEC Enrolment Update Campaign commences
Wed 11 July 2007 Check It Electoral Roll closes [Reg 10 LER]

Fri 13 July 2007 Receive Residential Roll data from EEC

Mon 16 July 2007 - Wed 25 July 2007 Compile Preliminary Electoral Roll [Sec 38 LEA]

Say Wed 25 July 2007 (no later than Fri 27 July 2007) Public Notice of Election, Calling for Nominations, Roll

Open for Inspection [Sec 42, 52, 53 LEA]

Fri 27 July 2007 Nominations Open/Roll Open for Inspection

[Sec 42 LEA]

By Tues 31 July 2007 Appointment of Justice(s) of the Peace

Fri 24 August 2007 Nominations Close (12 Noon)/ Roll Closes [Sec 5,

42, 55, LEA, Reg 21 LER]

Say Wed 29 August 2007 (or as soon as practicable) Public Notice of Day of Election, Candidates' Names

[Sec 65, LEA]

By Fri 31 August 2007 Receive final data from EEC

Ratepayer Roll insert with Rates Notice [Sec 39 LEA]

By Mon 17 September 2007 Electoral Officer Certifies Final Electoral Roll [Sec 51,

LEA, Reg 22, LER]

Fri 21 September 2007 EEC letter sent to Unpublished Roll electors

Fri 21 September 2007 - Wed 26 September 2007 Delivery of Voting Documents [Reg 51, LER]

Fri 21 September 2007 – Sat 13 October 2007 Progressive Roll Scrutiny [Sec 83, LEA]

Special Voting Period [Sec 5, LEA, Reg 35, LER]

Early Processing Period [Sec 79, 80 LEA]

By 12 noon, Fri 12 October 2007 Appointment of Scrutineers [Sec 68, LEA]

Sat 13 October 2007 Election Day [Sec 10, LEA]

Voting Closes 12 Noon – counting commences [Sec 84, LEA], Preliminary Results available as soon as practicable after close of voting [Sec 85, LEA, Reg

80A, 125A, LER]

Sat 13 October 2007 – Wed 17 October 2007 Official Count [Sec 84, LEA]

Wed 17 October 2007 – Wed 24 October 2007 Declaration of Result/Public Notice of Results [Sec 86,

(or as soon as practicable)

November 2007 EO Forum (SOLGM)

Mid December 2007 Return of Election Expenses Forms [Sec 109, LEA]

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LEA = Local Electoral Act 2001 LER = Local Electoral Regulations 2001 Prepared by SOLGM Electoral Working Party, May 2005