

# NOTICE OF REFERENDUM

## Referendum on the adoption of the Stinsford Neighbourhood Plan

1. A referendum will be held on Thursday, 5th May 2022 to decide on the question below:

**'Do you want Dorset Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Stinsford to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?'**

2. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Thursday 14 April 2022. Applications can be made online:  
**<https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote>.**
3. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at County Hall, Colliton Park, Dorchester, Dorset, DT1 1XJ by 5 pm on Tuesday, 19th April 2022.
4. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at County Hall, Colliton Park, Dorchester, Dorset, DT1 1XJ by 5 pm on Tuesday, 26th April 2022.
5. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election on grounds of physical incapacity or for work/service reasons must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at County Hall, Colliton Park, Dorchester, Dorset, DT1 1XJ by 5 pm on Thursday, 5th May 2022. The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5 pm on Tuesday, 26th April 2022. To apply on the grounds of work/service, the person must have become aware that they cannot go to the polling station in person after 5 pm on Tuesday, 26th April 2022

Dated: 28 March 2022

Matt Prosser

Counting Officer