

AUSTRALIAN ELECTION COMPANY

Notice of Election and Call for Nomination Proposals

Norfolk Island Regional Council election – 28 May 2016

As required under clause 288 of the Local Government (General) Regulation 2005 (NSW), as applied and modified by the Norfolk Island Regional Council Preparatory Election Ordinance 2016, public notice is hereby given for **Nomination Day to be Wednesday 27 April 2016.**

Nomination forms may be obtained from the Office of the Administrator or from the Returning Officer at Units 36 E & F Taylors Road, Norfolk Island (opposite the Bicentennial Centre). The following must be lodged and received by the Returning Officer **by 12 noon, Wednesday 27 April, 2016:**

- Completed Nomination Form in the form of Form 2 or Form 3, with the signed consent of the candidate
- Nomination Deposit
- Candidate Information Sheet; and
- if required, a Group Request Form and Request for a Group Voting Square.

The onus is on a candidate to ensure their fully and correctly completed nomination is made to the Returning Officer. A person cannot self-nominate in any election.

The Nomination Deposit is \$125 per candidate. For a group of candidates the Nomination Deposit is \$125 per candidate up to a maximum of \$625 (even if there are 6 or more candidates). The Nomination Deposit must be paid in cash or by bank cheque. The payee should be "Australian Election Company". **PERSONAL CHEQUES ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE.**

Nominations will be rejected if the appropriate Nomination Deposit, in full, has not been received by the Returning Officer by Nomination Day 12 noon Wednesday 27 April 2016.

Nomination Forms may be lodged with the Returning Officer at the place of nomination as follows:

- in person to Units 36 E & F Taylors Road Norfolk Island, or
- by post to PO Box 92 Norfolk Island, or
- by fax to +617 5428 1355, or
- by email to info@auselect.com

Where lodged by fax or email, all documents and the deposit must be received by the Returning Officer by 12 noon 27 April 2016. Enquiries may be made to the Returning Officer on telephone (+6723) 23052.

The Hon Gary Hardgrave
Electoral Commissioner
Norfolk Island Regional Council Election
18 April 2016