

## Eastleigh Central Borough Ward by-election – 8 May 2025

### Key dates and deadlines for voters

Date	Event
Wednesday 9 April (tbc)	Poll cards issued
Thursday 17 April (11:59pm)	Deadline to <a href="#">register to vote</a> for this election
Tuesday 22 April (5pm)	Deadline to <a href="#">apply for a postal vote</a> for this election or to cancel/amend an existing postal vote  Deadline to <a href="#">apply for a postal proxy vote</a> for this election
Wednesday 23 April (tbc)	Postal votes issued to those who set up their postal vote by 1 April
Tuesday 29 April *	Postal votes issued to those who set up their postal vote between 2 and 22 April
Tuesday 29 April (5pm)	Deadline to <a href="#">apply for a regular proxy vote</a> for this election (NOT postal proxy)  First date to apply for emergency proxy vote (after 5pm) (conditions apply)  Deadline for <a href="#">Voter Authority Certificates</a>
Thursday 1 May	First date to issue replacement postal votes for lost or spoilt ballot papers
Thursday 8 May (Election Day)	Polling stations are open from 7am and will close at 10pm
Thursday 8 May (5pm)	Deadline to issue replacement postal votes  Deadline to hand in a postal vote at Eastleigh House  Deadline to apply for emergency proxy vote (conditions apply)  Deadline for temporary <a href="#">Voter Authority Certificate</a>
Thursday 8 May from 10pm	Verification and Count

\* Dates are subject to change at short notice for reasons beyond our control