

# **GWENNAP PARISH COUNCIL**

## **NOTICE OF VACANCY – PARISH COUNCILLOR**

### **(CO-OPTION)**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a vacancy has arisen in the office of Parish Councillor for Gwennap Parish Council.

The statutory notice of vacancy was published on 27 March 2026. No request for a by-election was received, and therefore the Parish Council will fill the vacancy by co-option in accordance with Rule 8 of the Local Elections (Parishes and Communities) Rules 1986.

The Council invites applications from persons interested in serving as a Parish Councillor. To be eligible, applicants must be at least 18 years of age and a British citizen, or a citizen of the Commonwealth or European Union, and must meet at least one of the following criteria:

- Be registered as a local government elector for the parish; or
- Have, during the whole of the previous 12 months, occupied as owner or tenant any land or premises in the parish; or
- Have had their principal or only place of work in the parish during the previous 12 months; or
- Have resided in the parish, or within 4.8 km of it, during the previous 12 months.

Anyone interested in applying for the vacancy should submit a **written letter of application** to the Parish Clerk by:

**5th May 2026**

Applications should be sent to:

**Parish Clerk**

Email: [clerk@gwennap-pc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@gwennap-pc.gov.uk)

Applicants may be invited to attend a meeting of the Parish Council to support their application.

Dated: 22 April 2026

More information can be found on the Parish website

[www.gwennap-pc.gov.uk](http://www.gwennap-pc.gov.uk)