

**PADSTOW TOWN COUNCIL
CO-OPTION ELIGIBILITY FORM**



PLEASE TICK THOSE WHICH APPLY TO YOU:

To qualify to be a candidate for a Parish or Town Council:

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| 1. You must be a British, Commonwealth or other European Union Citizen and not require leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or have indefinite leave to remain. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. You must be 18 years old or older on the date you sign this form. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. You must declare that you meet at <u>least one</u> of the listed qualifications below and should cross through any that <u>do not</u> apply. | |
| a) On the register of electors for the Parish of Padstow or had been during the whole of the preceding twelve months; or | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b) During the whole of the twelve months before nomination as a candidate occupied land or other premises as owner or tenant in the Parish of Padstow; or | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c) During the same period, resided in the Parish of Padstow or within 3 miles thereof, or | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| d) During the same period have had a principal place or only place of work in the Parish of Padstow. | <input type="checkbox"/> |

You cannot stand for election if:

Make sure that you read the Electoral Commission guidance on standing for election [Part 1 Can you stand for election P and C \(electoralcommission.org.uk\)](#), as well as the information below:

- a) You are employed by the Council where you are intending to stand for election: Padstow Town Council
- b) Are bankrupt and an Order or Interim Restriction Order has been imposed
- c) Have, within the last five years before the day of the election, been convicted of any offence in the UK, Channel Islands or Isle of Man which resulted in sentence of imprisonment (whether suspended or not) for a period of three months or more without the option of a fine;
- d) Have been convicted or reported guilty of a corrupt or illegal practice by an election court, or have been disqualified from standing for election by a local authority.

DECLARATION: Ihereby confirm that I am eligible for the vacancy of Padstow Town Councillor, and the information given on this form is a true and accurate record.

Signed:

Print:

Date:

Privacy Statement: Your information will not be used for any other purpose by Padstow Town Council other than for Council to give due consideration to the application to fill the vacant position at the relevant Council meeting. Your application form (removing your personal contact information) will be provided to Councillors to consider at a public meeting. It will not be passed onto any other third party without your permission. Your information will be held for as long as we consider necessary to deal with the Co-Option process. All personal information held by Padstow Town Council is held safely in a secure environment. You can view our General Privacy Notice on www.padstow-tc.gov.uk or contact the office for a copy.