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POLICY FOR CO OPTION

Adopted 5th June 2017

## Overview

Wellow Parish Council hereby adopts the process laid out below as a Policy for Co Option in order that the process is transparent, accountable and fair to all applicants.

## Detail

Following advertisement of Councillor Vacancies, applicants are invited to send an email or letter to the Clerk, outlining their previous working history and interests in addition to what experience and skills they can bring to the Council and the reasons why they would like to join the Council.

All applicants will be offered an informal interview prior to the Full Council Meeting at which the Co Option candidates will be considered and the opportunity to give a three minute presentation at that meeting, for the benefit of any Members not in attendance at the informal interview.

All candidates will be voted on in public by a show of hands during that meeting. Candidates may be present at the meeting.

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