

**MELLOR PARISH COUNCIL**

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 (SEC. 87(2))**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that a casual vacancy is deemed to have occurred in the office of Councillor for the **Parish of Mellor** following the death of Councillor Noel C. Walsh on 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2020

Rule 5 of the Local Elections (Parishes and Communities) (England and Wales) Rules 2006, provides that on a casual vacancy occurring in the office of councillor of a parish, an election to fill the vacancy shall be held if within fourteen days (computed as stated below) after public notice of the vacancy has been given in accordance with Section 87(2) of the Local Government Act 1972, notice in writing of a request for such an election has been given to the proper officer of the council of the borough within which the parish is situated by TEN electors for the electoral area in which the vacancy has occurred.

The Proper Officer is the **Returning Officer, Ribble Valley Borough Council, Council Offices, Church Walk, Clitheroe, Lancashire, BB7 2RA**

Dated this 11<sup>th</sup> day of August 2020

Teresa Taylor Clerk to the Parish Council

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In computing any period of time for the purposes of this notice a Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, Good Friday or a Bank Holiday or day appointed for public thanksgiving or mourning, shall be disregarded.