### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

# Nominations are invited from residents who are 16 years or over to join Simshill & Old Cathcart Community Council

#### 1. Qualification

Anyone over 16 years of age who resides within the Community Council boundary area can stand for election. All that is required is that the candidate, proposer and seconders' names appear on the Electoral Register.

For those whose names do not appear on the Electoral Register, an alternative means of doing this is available by contacting the Independent Returning Officer below.

## 2. Vacancies

There are 10 vacancies being advertised for Simshill & Old Cathcart Community Council.

## 3. Closing Date

Completed nomination forms must be submitted to Glasgow City Council (see below) by 03/09/2024.

## 4. Filling Vacancies

#### • Uncontested Election Meeting:

Should 10 or less nominations be submitted to Glasgow City Council, the valid candidates will be elected unopposed on 01/10/2024 at 19:00 in King's Park Secondary School, 14 Fetlar Drive, Glasgow, G44 5BL.

#### • Contested Election - Secret Ballot:

Should more than 10 valid nominations be submitted to Glasgow City Council by 03/09/2024, a secret ballot will take place on a date to be confirmed in King's Park Secondary School, 14 Fetlar Drive, Glasgow, G44 5BL.

Qualifying residents\* will be entitled to cast up to **10** votes during the ballot opening hours 5.30pm – 8.30pm. A list of candidates will be publicly advertised before the secret ballot. The results of the secret ballot will be confirmed at the next scheduled meeting of the community council.

To vote at a Community Council election, residents' names and addresses must appear on the Electoral Register or be confirmed using the alternative measures (see clause 1. Qualification above).

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