

ELECTION ADDRESSES

Police and Crime Commissioner Election for the Durham Police Area

1. An election is to be held for a Police and Crime Commissioner for the Durham Police Area.
2. If the election is contested, the poll will take place on **Thursday 2 May 2024**.
3. Each candidate at the election may provide an election address to the Police Area Returning Officer for approval and subsequent publication on a website provided by the Secretary of State.
4. A candidate's election address must be prepared by their election agent and submitted electronically through the online CMPCC (Choose my Police and Crime Commissioner) Election address uploader, unless there is considered to be good reason for it being submitted in hard copy on a form prescribed in law or in a form substantially to the like effect, to the Police Area Returning Officer. Log in details for the CMPCC Election address uploader can be obtained from the Police Area Returning Officer by emailing his representative linda.spence2@durham.gov.uk.
5. The deadline by which an election address, which meets the relevant legal requirements must reach the Police Area Returning Officer is **12 Noon on Thursday 5 April 2024**. However submission at the earliest opportunity would be welcomed to allow the PARO to ensure that the address meets the relevant legal requirements.
6. A copy of the form substantially like that prescribed in law for a candidate's election address can be obtained from the Police Area Returning Officer by contacting his representative linda.spence2@durham.gov.uk or by telephoning 03000 261203.

Dated: Friday, 22 March 2024

John Hewitt
Police Area Returning Officer