



# Queen Camel Parish Council

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Chairman  
Sue Gettings

## Statement of Eligibility for Co-option to Queen Camel Parish Council

I  
(name)

of  
(address)

hereby apply for appointment by co-option to Queen Camel Parish Council and I confirm that I qualify for election and I am not disqualified, in line with the criteria below:

**Ref: SECTION 79 OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**  
Qualification for election and holding office as member of local authority

“A person shall, unless disqualified by virtue of this Act or any other enactment, be qualified to be elected and to be a member of a local authority if he is a qualifying Commonwealth citizen or a citizen of the Republic of Ireland or a relevant citizen of the Union and on the relevant day he has attained the age of eighteen years **and**:

(a) on that day he is and thereafter he continues to be a local government elector for the area of the authority; **or**

(b) he has during the whole of the twelve months preceding that day occupied as owner or tenant any land or other premises in that area; **or**

(c) his principal or only place of work during that twelve months has been in that area; **or**

(d) he has during the whole of those twelve months resided in that area; **or**

(e) in the case of a member of a parish or community council he has during the whole of those twelve months resided either in the parish or community or within three miles of it.”

Please also refer to:

**SECTION 80 OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**  
Disqualifications for election and holding office as member of local authority

**A person shall be disqualified from being elected if s/he (paraphrased):**

- (a) holds any paid office or employment with the same Council
- (b) is the subject of a bankruptcy restrictions order or interim order; or
- (c) has within five years before the day of election or since the election been convicted in the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man of any offence and has had passed on him or her a sentence of imprisonment (whether suspended or not) for a period of three months or more.

Signed:

Date:

March 2021