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Date: 25 January 2013

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Ms Celia M Strain Secretary Barrhill Community Council The Oaks Main Street BARRHILL



Dear Ms Strain

COMMUNITY COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2013

As you will be aware all Community Councillors will demit office on 31 March 2013.

I enclose the Notice of Election that will appear in the Ayrshire Post and the Carrick Gazette week ending 1 February 2013 with respect to the Community Council Elections 2013. If there are suitable places locally please display the Notice of Election until 4.00 pm on 21 February 2013.

I also enclose a supply of the Election Timetable and Nomination Forms should you be aware of anyone who would be interested in becoming a member of Barrhill Community Council Community Council. All existing Community Councillors seeking re-election will be required to complete a nomination form and I would be grateful if you could distribute Nomination Forms as appropriate. Please note the closing date for nominations is THURSDAY 21 FEBRUARY 2013 at 4.00 PM.

A further supply of Nomination Forms, if required, is available by contacting me at the above address. Alternatively, Nomination Forms can be downloaded from the Council's website at: www.south-ayrshire.gov.uk/communitycouncils.

If I can be of further assistance please do not hesitate to contact me at the County Buildings, Wellington Square, Ayr KA7 1DR.

Yours sincerely

WILLIAM A POLLOCK Returning Officer

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Chair (for information) Link Officer

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

COMMUNITY COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2013

A poll is to be held for Community Council members to serve on the undernoted Community Councils.

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Nomination Forms may be obtained by contacting:

Returning Officer

Community Council Elections

County Buildings, Wellington Square, Ayr KA7 1DR Telephone: (01292) 612181/612447.

E-mail: communitycouncils@south-ayrshire.gov.uk

Latest time for the delivery of nomination papers is:

21 February 2013 at 4.00 pm

Nomination Forms must be returned in a sealed envelope to the above address.



COMMUNITY COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2013 TIMETABLE

Date	Function
28 January – 1 February 2013	Advertisement to be published in local newspapers and on South Ayrshire Council website. Copies of advertisement to be sent to Community Council Secretaries to be displayed locally. Nominations forms to be sent to Community Council Secretaries for distribution locally.
Thursday 21 February 2013 (4.00 pm)	Closing date and time for nomination forms to be received.
25 February – 1 March 2013	Declaration of Results (uncontested elections). Issue of postal ballot papers (contested elections).
Wednesday 20 March 2013 (5.00 pm)	Latest day and time for receipt of ballot papers.
Thursday 21 March 2013	Counting of Votes and Declaration of Results.
Monday 1 April 2013	Community Council appointments commence.

NB Good Friday - 29 March 2013 Easter Monday - 1 April 2013

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