



ST ALBANS CITY AND DISTRICT COUNCIL

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 2000

**The Local Authorities (Referendums)
(Petitions) (England) Regulations 2011**

Notice of Verification Number

The Local Government Act 2000 provides that electors in the Council's area can petition the Council to hold a referendum on whether a local authority should change to a different form of governance. A petition must be signed by at least 5% of the local government electors for the District.

In accordance with the above Regulations, the number that is equal to 5% of the number of local government electors shown in the revised register of electors having effect on the 15 February 2026 is:

5645

This figure will have effect for the purposes of determining the validity of Petitions presented from 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2027.

The number equal to 5% of the local government electors for 2027 will be published within 14 days of the 15 February 2027. If this number is less than 5645, the number to be used for verification purposes in relation to any petition submitted for the period beginning on the date of publication of the lesser number until 31 March 2027 shall also be that lesser number.

Amanda Foley
St Albans City and District Council
District Council Offices
St Peter's Street
St Albans
Herts
AL1 3JE

15 February 2026