Election cycle

Appendix 3

Year	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	Oct-10	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Cumulative costs over an 8 year cycle from 2016 to 2020
County Elections		May-05		B/E May -07		May-09				May-13				May-17				May-21				
Police and Crime Commissioner Elections									Nov-12				May-16				May-20				May-24	
Parliamentary Elections		May-05					May-10					May-15					May-20					
European Elections	Jun-04					Jun-09					May-14					May-19					May-24	
Borough Elections (current cycle)	May-04		May-06		May-08		May-10		May-12		May-14		May-16		May-18		May-20		May-22		May-24	
Parish Council Elections			May-06				May-10				May-14		May-16				May-20				May-22	
By-elections	Jan-04					Jul-09	May-10	Oct-10		May-13												
OPTION 1 - current cycle																						
Costs of Borough Elections									£130,000		£130,000		£85,000		£130,000		£72,250		£130,000		£85,000	£417,250
Costs of By-elections										£4,738		£7,500				£7,500				£7,500		£15,000
OPTION 2 - 4 yearly elections from 2016																						£0
Borough Elections													£100,000				£85,000				£100,000	£185,000
By-Elections (predicted)											£4,500	£7,500		£4,500	£7,500	£7,500		£4,500	£7,500	£7,500		£39,000

Cumulative savings over 8 years from May 2016 to April 2024	**£208,250**
Av saving per annum	**£26,031**

Notes

1. In 2020 the costs for a full council election combined with a PCC election have been reduced by a further £15,000 when there is a parliamentary election at the same time. Similarly the costs for a half borough election have been reduced.

2. There are no fixed dates for parliamentary elections but the current coalition government is currently committed to a fixed term parliament of 5 years.