

Local Borough Election  
Thursday 7 May 2026

Electoral Area	Eligible Electors		Expenditure Per Eligible Elector	Base Expenditure	Expenses Limit
Bearwood	10,200	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,776.00
Blackheath	11,102	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,848.16
Bristnall	10,404	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,792.32
Charlemont & Grove Vale	10,048	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,763.84
Cradley Heath & Old Hill	10,211	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,776.88
Friar Park & Stone Cross	9,835	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,746.80
Great Barr, Tamebridge & Yew Tree	9,737	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,738.96
Great Bridge	10,558	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,804.64
Greets Green & Lyng	9,088	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,687.04
Hateley Heath	9,400	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,712.00
Hill Top	9,621	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,729.68
Langley	10,636	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,810.88
Newton & Valley	9,633	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,730.64
Old Warley	9,308	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,704.64
Oldbury	8,714	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,657.12
Princes End	10,004	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,760.32
Rowley	9,976	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,758.08
Smethwick	9,681	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,734.48
Soho & Victoria	9,067	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,685.36
St Paul's	9,387	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,710.96
Tipton Green	9,883	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,750.64
Tividale	9,528	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,722.24
Wednesbury	10,564	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,805.12
West Bromwich Central	8,919	X	£0.08 +	£960.00 =	£1,673.52

**Joint Candidates:**

You are a joint candidate if you stand in the same election in the same ward and one of the following conditions applies:

- you have the same election agent
- you use the same campaign rooms
- you publish joint material

Joint candidates have lower spending limits, as they are sharing some of the costs. You should calculate your spending limit as explained above, and then reduce it by:

- 25% for two joint candidates
- 33% for three or more candidates

The election agent must submit a spending and donations return for each joint candidate