

**ELECTIONS TO DIOCESAN BOARDS, COUNCILS AND COMMITTEES, 2015-2018
CASUAL VACANCY**

ELECTION OF A VICE-CHAIR OF THE DIOCESAN BOARD OF FINANCE (ODBF)

In this circumstance the position MUST be filled by a Lay Person as set out under the Articles of Association of the ODBF, sections as below:

6.4 The Members of the ODBF shall elect a **Chair** and a **Vice-Chair** at its first meeting in each triennium of the Diocesan Synod (or from time to time during the triennium if a vacancy shall arise in either office for any reason) to serve until the election of their successors at the first meeting of the next triennium.

6.5 The offices of Chair and Vice-Chair may be held either by a lay person or by a person who has been ordained provided that one of such offices shall at all times be held by a lay person.

Candidate's Details

We the undersigned, being qualified electors, hereby nominate *(full name)*

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of *(address)*.....

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.....Post Code.....

(telephone number):

(email block capitals, please)

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Synod Number..... Deanery

as a candidate in the election to the position of: **VICE-CHAIR OF THE ODBF**

Proposer's & Seconder's Details

Proposer's signature : Synod number

Proposer's full name:

Seconder's signature: Synod number.....

Seconder's full name:

Candidate's Declaration

I, (Name)

hereby signify my willingness to serve as Vice-Chair of the ODBF a member of the ODBF if elected.

I continue to consent to my contact details being held in the Office-holder database used by Church House Oxford for administrative purposes only.

I have completed biographical and election address details.

Candidate's signature:

You may photocopy or download and print this form from the Diocesan website at www.oxford.anglican.org/diocesansynod.

Completed nomination forms must be received by the Secretary of the Diocesan Synod, Canon Rosemary Pearce, as a signed and scanned copy to diosec@oxford.anglican.org or by post to Church House Oxford, Langford Locks, Kidlington, Oxford, OX5 1GF no later than noon on Wednesday 9th November 2016.

You may wish to ask for an acknowledgement to ensure safe receipt..

FOR THE ROLE OF VICE-CHAIR OF THE OXFORD DIOCESAN BOARD OF FINANCE (ODBF)

For the assistance of voters, candidates are invited to submit **up to 100 words of biography**, which will be circulated to the electors in the event of an election. Candidates are invited to include in their statements particulars of their present office(s), any relevant professional qualifications and past experience.

For the assistance of voters, candidates are also invited to submit up to 100 words to **explain why they wish to be elected** to the position of Vice-Chair of the ODBF, and what they could offer. This will be circulated to the electors in the event of an election.

Note: In addition candidates are requested to have prepared a 3 minute address for Diocesan Synod.