

ITEM A

Somerset Rivers Authority Board Paper

Title: Association of Drainage Board Authorities Board of Director Elections

RECOMMENDATION

The SRA Board is asked to:

1. Support Councillor Mike Stanton's bid to be elected to the Association of Drainage Authorities' Board as a Local Authority Representative by instructing the SRA Senior Manager to submit a vote for him by 12pm on Friday the 6th of June.

Purpose of the item:

The SRA Chair, Councillor Mike Stanton, is seeking the Board's support to be elected to the Association of Drainage Board Authorities (ADA) Board of Directors as a Local Authority representative.

Background and context

ADA has a vacancy for a Local Authority representative to sit on its Board of Directors and following the request for expressions of interest, they have received three such expressions of interest. One of these EOI's is from Councillor Mike Stanton. The other candidates are Councillor Paul Redgate, South Holland District Council and Tom Ashton, East Lindsey District Council. The candidate statements for the election are provided as an appendix to this document.

Candidates are selected by a confidential ballot. As the Somerset Rivers Authority is an ADA Member the SRA can vote in the election.

Current Status

Councillor Stanton is requesting that the SRA Board supports his election to the ADA Board of Directors and requests that they instruct the SRA Senior Manager to submit a vote for him by 12pm on Friday the 6th of June.

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