

# Colac Otway Shire Council Extraordinary Vacancy



An extraordinary vacancy has occurred in Colac Otway Shire Council as a result of the election of Councillor Joe McCracken to the Victorian Parliament on Wednesday 14 December 2022.

The vacancy will be filled through a countback of the formal ballot papers cast at the last general election in October 2020. Votes will be redistributed to candidates who were unsuccessful at that general election, and who remain eligible to participate in the countback, to fill the extraordinary vacancy.

The countback will take place at **12 noon** on **Wednesday 18 January 2023**.

The Victorian Electoral Commission will be hosting the countback online via webinar from 11:30 am on Wednesday 18 January 2023. Interested parties may observe the countback by visiting [vec.vic.gov.au](http://vec.vic.gov.au)

The result will be published online at [vec.vic.gov.au](http://vec.vic.gov.au) following the countback.

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