

## **Assessor and Electoral Registration Officer Appointment**

---

**10.00am, Monday 6 September 2021**

### **Purpose of report**

1. The Lothian Valuation Joint Board is asked to note the decision of the recruitment panel to appoint Gary Elliot as the permanent Assessor and Electoral Registration Officer of the Lothian Valuation Joint Board.

### **Background**

2. The previous permanent Assessor and Electoral Registration Officer of the LVJB retired on 25 September 2020 and since that time interim arrangements have been in place.

### **Main Report**

3. Online advertising and direct marketing to current Assessors and Electoral Registration Officers across Scotland were used to source candidates.
4. Four applications were received and the recruitment panel comprising Councillors Key, Goodfellow, McGuire and Work interviewed all the candidates over two days, 2nd and 5th July 2021.
5. Following the interviews, the recruitment panel agreed to appoint Gary Elliot as the permanent Assessor and Electoral Registration Officer for the LVJB.

### **Recommendations**

6. The Board is asked to note the decision of the recruitment panel to appoint Gary Elliot as the permanent Assessor and Electoral Registration Officer of the Lothian Valuation Joint Board.

**Hugh Dunn  
Treasurer**

---

**Appendices**

None.

**Contact/Tel**

Steven Wright, Resources and Talent Manager | E-mail:  
[steven.wright@edinburgh.gov.uk](mailto:steven.wright@edinburgh.gov.uk) | Tel: 07710386428

**Background  
Papers**