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**Co-Option available to fill seat for Lakes Parish Council in
RYDAL & LOUGHRIGG WARD**

As a result of the resignation of a Parish Councillor, The Electoral Resignation Officer of South Lakeland District Council has agreed that the Parish Council can co-opt a new person as a Councillor, who will serve in that role until new elections. The person co-opted will be required to sign a declaration that they will conform to the requirements of the Local Code of Conduct for Parish Councils.

The Parish Council meets once per month plus subcommittee meetings if you decide to be on one.

To qualify as a co-opted councillor, a person must either:

- 18 years of over
- Not disqualified by any statute
- An elector of the parish, or
- During the last 12 months has either occupied as owner or tenant land or premises in the parish, or
- Has a principal or only place of work in the Parish, or lives within 3 miles of the parish boundary

If you are interested in serving as a co-opted Parish Councillor, or require further details, or would like to have an informal discussion on the role of a parish councillor, please contact the clerk at lakesparish@icloud.com or 07747587635

Applications for co-option should be in writing to the address above.

Applications close on the 19th July 2021

*Your Sincerely
Charlene Bell
Clerk to Lakes Parish Council*

5th July 2021