D2-RR Removing Second Convention Hustings Young Greens Standing Orders 2020/2021

Proposer: Rosie Rawle (Oxfordshire Green Party)

## Title

Change to:
Remove duplication of hustings events

## Motion Text

Insert from line 298 to 299:
video hustings will take place for all roles elected at Convention, which all candidates for these roles are invited to take part in. This will be recorded and made available to all members.

Delete from line 304 to 306:
~~E3.9 A further in-person hustings shall be held at Convention; each candidate has the right to participate in these as well as to submit a statement in advance.~~

## Reason

Currently we are required to run an online hustings event for our internal elections two weeks ahead of when voting opens - and then another duplicate event with the very same candidates in person at Convention. The latter is usually on the closing day of voting when most people have already made up their minds, or watched the online hustings - or a recording of the online hustings.

This motion seeks to remove the mandatory hustings event at Convention since it duplicates work, time and isn't accessible to people who cannot attend. Doing this will free up time at the in person event for proper scrutiny of former officers, for motions and debates, and political events, talks and workshops.

This motion also seeks to mandate that the online hustings is recorded and made available to the wider membership since this isn't explicitly the case at the moment, but is often done in good practice.

## Supporters

Jane Baston (York); Joshua Morris-Blake (Brighton and Hove); Kelsey Trevett (Oxfordshire Green Party)