

# Review of Polling Districts and Polling Places

Derby North, Derby South and the city parts of the Mid Derbyshire Parliamentary Constituencies

**Consultation Document** 

October 2013

### **Background**

Section 16 of the Electoral Administration Act 2006 introduced a number of changes to the Representation of the People Act 1983 in respect of the way reviews of polling districts and polling places must be carried out.

Section 17 of the Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013 provides that the next review must take place within the 16 month period beginning 1 October 2013.

Derby City Council's review starts on 1 October 2013 and is scheduled to be completed by 29 January 2014. This consultation document has been produced as part of the review process.

The legalisation requires that reviews are carried out based on Parliamentary Constituencies. For Derby this includes the Derby North and Derby South Parliamentary Constituencies and the part of the Mid Derbyshire Constituency falling within the city boundary. For those areas outside of the city, which fall within the Mid Derbyshire Parliamentary Constituency, Amber Valley and Erewash Borough Council's will be carrying out their own separate reviews.

#### **Definitions**

### a) Polling Districts

A polling district is a geographical sub-division of an electoral area, such as a parliamentary constituency or a ward.

As the relevant authority, the Council is responsible for designating polling districts, and must therefore seek to ensure that all electors in the parliamentary constituency have such reasonable facilities for voting as are practicable in the circumstances

### b) Polling Places

There is no legal definition of what a polling place is. However in Derby a polling place is a geographical location in which a polling station is situated. Although it is usual to have one polling station in one polling place, there are situations where several polling stations are located in one polling place. The polling place for a polling district must be within the area of the district unless special circumstances make it desirable to designate an area either wholly or partly outside of the polling district.

As the relevant authority, the Council is responsible for determining polling places, and must therefore make sure that the polling places are accessible to all electors and must take into account the accessibility needs of disabled people.

### c) Polling Stations

A polling station is the actual area in which the process of voting takes place and must be located in the polling place designated for the particular polling district. The polling station may consist of a whole room or in certain circumstances a designated area within a room or building.

The (Acting) Returning Officer for the particular election is responsible for providing a sufficient number of polling stations and allotting electors to those polling stations. Polling stations must be located within the polling places designated by the council, and these are within the scope of the review.

#### The Review Process

The timetable for the review is set out below:

Publication of notice and consultation document	Tuesday 1 October 2013
Closing date for representations	Friday 22 November 2013
Publication of representations from the (Acting) Returning Officer	Friday 6 December 2013
Final date for comments on the representation from the	Friday 10 January
(Acting) Returning Officer	2014
Council approves final scheme	Wednesday 29
	January 2014
2014 Electoral Register published in accordance with the new scheme	17 February 2014

The publication of this consultation document represents the first stage of the review. The existing schedule of polling districts and polling places is included in Appendix A. This appendix also provides a breakdown of the number of electors allocated to each polling district that are eligible to vote at the polling station. A set of maps illustrating where the boundaries of the polling districts are located will be available to view on the council's website at <a href="https://www.derby.gov.uk/elections">www.derby.gov.uk/elections</a> Copies of the maps will also be available to view at Main Reception at the Council House.

As part of this first stage you are invited to comment on the existing scheme, and if you feel it appropriate you may suggest changes to polling district boundaries or alternative proposals for polling places. It would help us if you could also give reasons for changes you have suggested.

All comments and representations will be published on the Council's website as soon as possible after receipt, even if you have already commented on the proposals; you may make further submissions in response to views and comments you see on the website.

Any comments or representations you wish to make should be received by **Friday 22 November 2013.** 

All comments or representations should be sent to:

Electoral Services Second Floor Council House Corporation Street Derby DE1 2FS

If you prefer you can email your comments or representations to <u>elections@derby.gov.uk</u>

What happens next?

On Friday 6 December 2013 the views of the Returning Officer on both the scheme and any representations made will be published. You will have until Friday 10 January 2014 to comment on this. On 29 January 2014, Council will consider all the issues raised and publish its final scheme, according to which, the 2014 electoral register will be published on 17 February 2014.

### **DERBY NORTH CONSTITUENCY**

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Polling station electors as at 1 September 2013 (excluding current postal voters)

### **Abbey Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
AB1	Bramblebrook Community Centre, Stockbrook Street, Derby, DE22 3WP	2,119
AB2	Bemrose Community School, Uttoxeter Road, Derby, DE22 3HU	1,743
AB3	Dean Street Methodist Church, Dean Street, Derby DE22 3TP	1,453
AB4	Sheltered Housing Scheme Community Room, Boyer Street, Derby	1,892
AB5	Carlton Road United Reformed Church Hall, Carlton Road, Derby DE23 6HE	1,579

### **Chaddesden Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
CD1	North Chaddesden Children's Centre, 3 Audrey Drive, Chaddesden, Derby. DE21 4NP	1,903
CD2	Chaddesden Hall Community Centre, Chaddesden Lane, Chaddesden, Derby. DE21 6LL	1,579
CD3	Chesapeake Community Centre, Chesapeake Road, Chaddesden, Derby. DE21 6RD	1,498
CD4	Cherry Tree Hill Primary School (Nursery Unit), Sunny Grove, Chaddesden, Derby. DE21 6WJ	1,442
CD5	South Chaddesden Children's Centre, 138, Meadow Lane, Chaddesden, Derby. DE21 6PB	2,155

### **Darley Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
DL1	Darley Abbey Village Hall, Abbey Yard, Darley Abbey, Derby, DE22 1DS	1,652
DL2	Broadway Baptist Church, 166 Broadway, DERBY DE22 1BP	2,022
DL3	Whitecross House, Leyland Gardens, Derby, DE1 3PL	1,596
DL4	West End Community Centre, Mackworth Road, Derby. DE22 3BL	1,868
DL5	St Mary`s Parish Centre, Darley Lane, Derby, DE1 3AX	1,394
DL6	Chester Green Community Centre, Darley Playing Fields, Derby, DE1 3SA	1,395

## **Derwent Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
DW1	Derby Homes Communal Lounge, Knutsford Green, Chaddesden, Derby, DE21 4DL	2,247
DW2	Roe Farm Community Centre, Worcester Crescent, Derby, DE21 4HG	1,868
DW3*	St Philip`s Church Hall, Taddington Road, Chaddesden, Derby, DE21 4JU	1,384
DW4	Revive Healthy Living Centre, 23 Roe Farm Lane, Derby, DE21 6ET	1,249
DW5	Derwent Community School, St Mark`s Road, Derby, DE21 6AL	1,903

### **Littleover Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
LT1	Wren Park Primary School, Jackson	2,183
	Avenue, Derby, DE3 9AR	2,103
LT2	Grange Hall Community Centre, Park	2,250
	Lane, Littleover, Derby, DE23 6FX	
LT3	Haven Christian Centre, Hollybrook	1,698
	Way, Littleover, Derby, DE23 3TZ	

LT4	Griffe Field Primary School, Grosvenor	1,776
	Drive, Littleover, Derby. DE23 3UQ	
LT5	Haven Christian Centre, Hollybrook	784
	Way, Littleover, Derby, DE23 3TZ	

### **Mackworth Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
MA1	Sure Start Mackworth Children's Centre, within the grounds of Reigate School, Reigate Drive, Mackworth, Derby, DE22 4EQ	1,255
MA2	Mackworth Community Centre, Prince Charles Avenue, Mackworth, Derby, DE22 4BG	1,962
MA3	The Diocesan Centre, Mornington Crescent, Derby. DE22 4BD	1,242
MA4	St Barnabas Church, Radbourne Street, Derby, DE22 3HD	2,134
MA5	Ashgate Primary School, Ashbourne Road, Derby, DE22 3FS	2,247

### **Mickleover Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
MV1	The Great Northern Public House, Station Road, Mickleover, Derby. DE3 9FB	2,067
MV2	St John`s Church Hall, Devonshire Drive, Mickleover, Derby, DE3 9HD	1,885
MV3	St John`s Community Annex, Devonshire Drive, Mickleover, Derby, DE3 9HD	1,701
MV4	Mickleover Community Pavilion, Vicarage Road, Mickleover, Derby. DE3 0ED	2,100
MV5	All Saints Church Centre, Etwall Road, Mickleover, Derby, DE3 0DL	1,895

### **DERBY SOUTH CONSTITUENCY**

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### **Alvaston Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
AN1	St. Osmund's Church Hall, London Road, Derby. DE24 8UW	1,492
AN2	Sure Start Osmaston / Allenton, Cockayne Street North, Allenton, Derby, DE24 8XT	1,104
AN3	Southgate Youth Centre, Brighton Road, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 8TE	2,206
AN4	Alvaston United Reformed, Church Hall, Baker Street, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 8SD	1,476
AN5	English Martyrs Catholic Church, 16 Hollis Street, Alvaston, Derby. DE24 8QU	812
AN6	St Michael's and All Angels Church Hall, Elvaston Lane, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 0PR	1,537
AN7	Keldholme Lane Community Centre, Gilamoor Court, Alvaston, Derby, DE4 0RU	1,863

### **Arboretum Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
AR1	The Guild Hall, The Market Place, Derby, DE1 3AE	747
AR2	The Spot Function Room, 73 Sacheveral Street, Derby, DE1 2JR	2,188
AR3	The Madeley Centre, Madeley Street, Derby, DE23 8EX	1,740
AR4	Shaftesbury Sports Centre,	1,803

	Shaftesbury Crescent, (Off	
	Cambridge Street), Derby, DE23 8NA	
AR5	The Stuart Hotel, 119 London Road,	776
	Derby, DE1 2QR	
AR6	St Chads C.E. Nursery and Infant	1,791
	School, Gordon Road, Derby	

### **Blagreaves Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
BL1	The Tea Pavilion, Rosehill Methodist, Memorial Sports Ground, Littleover Lane, Derby, DE23 6JL	1,392
BL2	Littleover Social Club, 61 Blagreaves Lane, Littleover, Derby. DE23 1FQ	2,289
BL3	Gayton Community Centre, within the grounds of Gayton Junior School, Gayton Avenue, Littleover, Derby, DE23 1GA	2,275
BL4	Newmount Methodist Church Hall, Blagreaves Lane, Derby, DE23 1PS	2,360

## **Boulton Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
BT1	St Martin`s Methodist Church Hall, Flint Street, Allenton, Derby, DE24 9BH	1,842
BT2	Moorhead Primary School, Brackens Lane, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 0AN	1,936
ВТ3	Nunsfield House Community Centre, Boulton Lane, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 0SD	1,552
BT4	Field Lane Community Centre, Field Lane, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 0GP	1,723
BT5	The Cornishman, Holbrook Road, Alvaston, Derby. DE24 0LX	1,690

# **Chellaston Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
CL1	Shelton Junior School, Carlton Avenue,	1,951
	Shelton Lock, Derby,	
	DE24 9EJ	

CL2	Shelton Lock Community Centre,	1,274
	170 Chellaston Road, Derby. DE24 9DY	
CL3	Chellaston Children's Centre, Maple	1,820
	Drive, Chellaston, Derby. DE73 1RD	
CL4	Holmfields Primary School, Parkway,	2,204
	Chellaston, Derby. DE73 5NY	
CL5	Chellaston Community Centre,	2,263
	Barleycroft, Chellaston, Derby,	
	DE73 1UA	

### **Normanton Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
NM1	St Augustine's Community Centre, Almond Street, Derby. DE23 6LX	2,043
NM2	All Nations for Christ Christian Fellowship, Wallbrook Road, Derby. DE23 8RY	1,841
NM3	St George`s Social Centre, Village Street, Derby, DE23 8SZ	2,437
NM4	4TH Derby (Derwent) Scout HQ, Top of Coleridge Street, Normanton, Derby, DE23 8AF	775
NM5	Sunnyhill Community Centre, Coleridge Street, Sunnyhill, Derby, DE23 8AF	1,654

## Sinfin Ward

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
SF1	OSCAR Community Hub (The Former Local Housing Office) 152 - 154 Addison Road, Derby. DE24 8FL	1,711
SF2	St Bartholomew's Church, Addison Road, Derby, DE24 8FH	1,788
SF3	St. Stephen's Church Family Centre, Sinfin Lane, Derby. DE24 9GP	2,081
SF4	The Meeting Room, Sinfin Library, Sinfin District Centre, Derby, DE24 3DS	2,016
SF5	Sinfin Moor Church, Arleston Lane, Sinfin, Derby. DE24 3DH	1,160

### **MID DERBYSHIRE CONSTITUENCY (PART)**

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### **Allestree Ward**

Polling District	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
Reference		
AL1	Evergreen Club, Cornhill, Allestree,	2,175
	Derby, DE22 2GR	
AL2	The Woodlands Hotel, Blenhiem	1,798
	Parade, Allestree, Derby. DE22 2GP	
AL3	Holy Family Catholic Church, Blenheim	1,732
	Drive, Allestree, Derby, DE22 2LG	
AL4	St John`s Methodist Church Hall,	2,039
	Birchover Way, Allestree, Derby, DE22	
	2QL	
AL5	St. Nicholas Church, Lawn Avenue,	1,277
	Allestree, Derby. DE22 2PE	

### **Oakwood Ward**

Polling District Reference	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
OK1	Breadsall Hill Top Education Centre, Fieldsway Drive, off St Andrew's View, Breadsall, Derby, DE21 4EW	1,488
OK2**	Springwood Leisure Centre, Springwood Drive, Oakwood, Derby, DE21 2RQ	1,879

OK3**	Springwood Leisure Centre,	2,000
	Springwood Drive, Oakwood, Derby,	
	DE21 2RQ	
OK4**	Springwood Leisure Centre,	1,851
	Springwood Drive, Oakwood, Derby,	
	DE21 2RQ	
OK5*	St Philip`s Church Hall, Taddington	1,287
	Road, Chaddesden, Derby, DE21 4JU	

### **Spondon Ward**

Polling District	Polling Place	Polling place electorate
Reference		
SP1	The Guide Hut, West Road, Spondon,	1,488
	Derby. DE21 7AB	
SP2	Spondon Village Hall, Sitwell Street,	1,590
	Spondon, Derby, DE21 7FG	
SP3	Borrow Wood Infant School, Arundel	1,828
	Drive, Spondon, Derby, DE21 7QW	
	Drive, Spondon	
SP4	66th Derby and 1st Spondon Scouts,	1,116
	Stoney Lane, Spondon, Derby.	
	DE21 7QH	
SP5	The Moon Hotel, Station Road,	806
	Spondon, Derby. DE21 DE21 7NE	
SP6	Edmund Hall, Edmund Road, Spondon,	1,466
	Derby, DE21 7JR	

<sup>\*</sup>This venue contains 2 separate polling stations for the DW3 and OK5 Polling Districts

<sup>\*\*</sup> This venue currently contains 3 separate polling stations for the OK2,3 and4.



# Review of Polling Districts and Polling Places (Parliamentary Elections) Regulations 2006

Pursuant to Section 18 of the Representation of the People Act 1983 and Section 17 of the Electoral Registration and Administration Act (2013) Derby City Council gives notice that it is to conduct a review of all polling districts and polling places within the Derby North, Derby South and those polling districts and polling places within the city which fall within the Mid Derbyshire Parliamentary Constituencies.

Submissions on any aspect of polling districts and polling places are welcome from any elector in any of these constituencies, any local constituency political party or any person or group who have a particular interest or expertise in access to premises or facilities for people with a disability.

Copies of the consultation document can be obtained from the Council's website or by contacting the Council's election office at the address below:

Electoral Services Second Floor Council House Corporation Street Derby

DE1 2FS Email: <u>elections@derby.gov.uk</u>

Any comments should be received by **Friday 22 November 2013.** 

Please note that all representations will be published on the Council's website upon receipt.

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