

Appendix 1: Proposed scheme of polling places and polling districts

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1. Abbey ward

1.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
AB1	Bramblebrook Community Centre, Stockbrook Street, DE22 3WH	2,243	1,936
AB2	Serbian Orthodox Church Hall, Normanton Road, DE1 2GP	661	570
AB3	Boyer Street Community Room, Boyer Street, DE22 3TG	2,091	1,805
AB4	Carlton Road United Reformed Church Hall, Carlton Road, DE23 6HE	610	526

AB5	Bramblebrook Community Centre, Stockbrook Street, DE22 3WH	2,381	2,055
AB6	Kings Highway, Rowditch Place, DE22 3NH	1,148	990
AB7	Bemrose School Library, Uttoxeter New Road, DE22 3HU	1,592	1,374

1.2. Comments following consultation

A response indicated agreement with the use of Bramblebrook Community Centre for AB5, stating that the arrangement works well.

2. Allestree ward

2.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
AL1	Evergreen Club, Cornhill, Allestree, DE22 2FT	3,031	2,405
AL2	Holy Family Catholic Church, Blenheim Drive, DE22 2LG	2,812	2,254
AL3	St John`s Methodist Church, Birchover Way, DE22 2QL	2,961	2,374
AL4	St Nicholas Church, Lawn Avenue, DE22 2PE	2,214	1,775

2.2. Comments following consultation

Holy Family Catholic Church (AL2) received positive feedback for being an accessible voting venue with good car parking and public transport links.

A respondent suggested greater use of schools due to better car parking provision and indicated strong disagreement with the proposals across the ward.

3. Alvaston North ward

3.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
AN1	St Osmund's Church Hall, London Road, Wilmorton, DE24 8UW	1,619	1,416
AN2	English Martyrs Catholic Church Hall, Hollis Street, Alvaston, DE24 8QU	981	858

AN3	St Michael's and All Angels Church Hall, Elvaston Lane, Alvaston, DE24 0PR	1,724	1,508
AN4	Keldholme Lane Community Centre, Gilamoor Court, DE24 0RU	2,110	1,845
AN5	Alvaston United Reformed, Church Hall, Baker Street, DE24 8SD	1,612	1,410
AN6	The Coronation, Baker Street, Alvaston, DE24 8SL	2,477	2,166
AN7	Osmaston Allenton Family Hub, 60 Cockayne Street North, Allenton, DE24 8XB	1,278	1,118

3.2. Comments following consultation

Feedback highlighted the convenience of The Coronation's (AN6) proximity to local amenities with strong agreement with the proposals indicated.

4. Alvaston South ward

4.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
AS1	St Martins Methodist Church Hall, Flint Street, DE24 9BH	2,086	1,781
AS2	The Brackens, Bracken's Lane, Alvaston, DE24 0AQ	2,292	1,957
AS3	Nunsfield House Community Centre, 33 Boulton Lane, DE24 0FD	1,859	1,587
AS4	Field Lane Community Centre, Field Lane, Alvaston, DE24 0GW	3,208	2,739
AS5	The Cornishman, Holbrook Road, Alvaston, DE24 0LX	2,032	1,735

4.2. Comments following consultation

A response showed strong agreement with the proposals for the polling stations for AS1, AS2, AS3, AS4 and AS5, highlighting that they were easy to access, had ample car parking, and good public transport links.

A further response agreed that the current AS6 polling district should be combined with AS4 to poll at Field Lane Community Centre and that the venue was adequate although not ideal, citing parking problems. There is a car park adjacent to the Community Centre and on-street parking available nearby.

Oak Grange School was considered as a polling station for AS6. The school has facilities that could be used for polling, but concerns were raised by the Headteacher about the safeguarding of students should the school remain open during polling, and the disruption to education should the school close, particularly for unscheduled polls.

It is recommended that the existing polling station at Field Lane Community Centre is used for AS6.

5. Arboretum ward

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
AR1	The Council House, Corporation Street, Derby, DE1 2FS	1,471	1,241
AR2	The Stuart Hotel, 119 London Road, Derby, DE1 2QR	2,502	2,111
AR3	Derby Multicultural Centre, Dairyhouse Road, Derby DE23 8HN	2,223	1,876
AR4	Pear Tree Road Baptist Church, 152-154 Pear Tree Road, Derby, DE23 6QD	1,492	1,259
AR5	St Chads C.E. Nursery and Infant School, Gordon Road, Derby DE23 6WR	2,580	2,177
AR6	Serbian Orthodox Church Hall, Normanton Road DE1 2GP	2,024	1,708
AR7	Bramblebrook Community Centre, Stockbrook Street, DE22 3WH	50	42

5.1. Comments following consultation

The Stuart Hotel (AR2) received a response indicating strong agreement with its use as a polling station, despite noting that it was busy at peak times. The respondent found the venue easily accessible with good public transport links.

6. Blagreaves ward

6.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
BL1	The Tea Pavilion, Rosehill Methodist, Memorial Sports Ground, DE23 6JL	1,697	1,335
BL2	Littleover Social Club, 61 Blagreaves Lane, Littleover, DE23 1FQ	2,777	2,184
BL3	Gayton Community Centre, within the grounds of Gayton Junior School, Gayton Avenue, DE23 1GA	2,456	1,875
BL4	Newmount Methodist Church Hall, Blagreaves Lane, DE23 1PS	2,406	1,692

BL5	Sunnyhill Community Centre, Coleridge Street, DE23 8AF	1,939	1,783
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6.2. Comments following consultation

No consultation responses were received.

7. Chaddesden East ward

7.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
CE1	27th Derby (Chaddesden) Scout Group HQ, Meadow Lane, Chaddesden, DE21 6PW	2,609	2,163
CE2	Cherry Tree Hill Primary School, Sunny Grove, DE21 6WJ	2,374	1,968
CE3	The Phillip Whitehead Memorial Library, Chaddesden Park, Chaddesden Lane, DE21 6LN	1,656	1,373

7.2. Comments following consultation

A consultation response appreciated that the nursery at Cherry Tree Hill Primary School (CE4) is no longer used, expressing agreement with the proposals.

8. Chaddesden North ward

8.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
CN1	Coniston Crescent Community Room, Knutsford Green, off Stafford Road, DE21 4DP	2,022	1,757
CN2	Roe Farm Community Centre, Worcester Crescent, Derby, DE21 4HG	1,697	1,474
CN3	St Philip`s Church Hall, Taddington Road, Chaddesden, DE21 4JU	1,749	1,520
CN4	St Philip`s Church Hall, Taddington Road, Chaddesden, DE21 4JU	1,504	1,307

8.2. Comments following consultation

One response agreed with the proposal to maintain current the current arrangements at Coniston Crescent Community Centre (CN1).

9. Chaddesden West ward

9.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
CW1	St Alban`s Parish Centre, Roe Farm Lane, Chaddesden, DE21 6ET	2,547	2,218
CW2	Chaddesden Hall Community Centre, Chaddesden Lane, DE21 6LL	2,022	1,761
CW3	Derwent Primary School, St Mark`s Road, Derby, DE21 6AL	2,486	2,165

9.2. Comments following consultation

No consultation responses were received.

10. Chellaston and Shelton Lock ward

10.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
CL1	St Edmund's Parish Church, Sinfu Avenue, Shelton Lock, DE24 9JA	2,188	1,840
CL2	Acorn Close Community Room, Acorn Close, Shelton Lock, DE24 9GD	2,213	1,861
CL3	Chellaston Community Centre, Barleycroft, DE73 6TU	2,218	1,865
CL4	Chellaston Bowls Club, Swarkestone Road, DE73 5UA	3,061	2,574
CL5	Chellaston Community Centre, Barleycroft, DE73 6TU	2,315	1,947

10.2. Comments following consultation

A response mentioned potential parking problems at the previous polling station for CL2 (Shelton Lock Community Welfare Centre) and agreed with the proposals to designate Acorn Close Community Room as the polling station for this district.

A response indicated strong agreement with the proposal to maintain the arrangements at Chellaston Community Centre (CL3 and CL5). The venue was praised for its accessibility, being easy to reach, availability of car parking, and being on a public transport route.

A response indicated mixed feedback Chellaston Bowls Club (CL4). The respondent agreed with the proposal if the Station Road was not impacted, citing traffic and accessibility

concerns, particularly for emergency vehicles. Primary access to the venue is via the car park off Swarkestone Road.

11. Darley ward

11.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
DL1	Darley Abbey Village Hall, Abbey Yard, Darley Abbey DE22 1DS	2,044	1,762
DL2	Broadway Baptist Church, 166 Broadway, DE22 1BP	2,538	2,188
DL3	Whitecross House, Leyland Gardens, Derby, DE1 3PL	1,737	1,498
DL4	West End Community Centre, Mackworth Road, Derby, DE22 3BL	1,195	1,030
DL5	St Mary's Parish Centre, Darley Lane, Derby, DE1 3AX	1,606	1,385
DL6	Chester Green Community Centre, Darley Playing Fields, DE1 3SA	1,594	1,374
DL7	The Council House, Corporation Street, Derby, DE1 2FS	634	547

11.2. Comments following consultation

A response relating to Broadway Baptist Church (DL2) was generally favourable, with agreement on its suitability as a polling place. The respondent noted good accessibility, parking availability, but neither agreed or disagreed on good public transport links. A respondent stated that they thought that religious buildings should not be used as polling stations.

Strong agreement was expressed for West End Community Centre (DL4), highlighting its convenient location, ample parking, and sufficient size.

12. Littleover ward

12.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
LT1	Littleover Methodist Church, Constable Drive, Littleover DE23 6EP	2,654	2,129
LT2	Grange Hall Community Centre, Park Lane, DE23 6FX	2,653	2,128
LT3	Haven Christian Centre, Hollybrook Way, Littleover, DE23 3TZ	2,536	2,034
LT4	Griffe Field Primary School, Grosvenor Drive DE23 3UQ	2,009	1,611
LT5	Haven Christian Centre, Hollybrook Way, Littleover, DE23 3TZ	2,345	1,881

12.2. Comments following consultation

Responses to the proposals for Littleover were mixed indicating both agreement and disagreement on questions regarding public transport links, car parking and whether the polling places were easy to get to.

A consultation response indicated concerns about inadequate car parking at Haven Christian Centre (LT3), especially for disabled drivers, and indicated that it was otherwise easy to get to and had good public transport links. There is a large car park at the venue and following this feedback 'Disabled Parking Only' cones will be allocated to help ensure that bays close to the entrance are reserved for disabled drivers.

One respondent to the survey said that polling stations should be more centrally located to make it easier for non-drivers to access them.

A respondent and an email correspondent noted the difficulty in accessing the previous LT4 polling station, Heatherton Community Centre, due to its location outside the polling district. They recommended reverting to Griffe Field Primary School, used until 2021. The school has an accessible room with a separate entrance which allows it to remain open during polling while providing adequate voting facilities. It is recommended that Griffe Field Primary School be reinstated as the polling place for LT4.

13. Mackworth and New Zealand ward

13.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
MA1	The Woodpecker, 1 Woodford Road, DE22 4EF	1,567	1,377

MA2	Mackworth Community Centre, Prince Charles Avenue, DE22 4FN	3,059	2,688
MA3	The Diocesan Centre, Mornington Crescent, Mackworth DE22 4BD	1,613	1,418
MA4	St Barnabas Church, Radbourne Street, Derby, DE22 3HD	2,294	2,016
MA5	Rebecca House, Uttoxeter Old Road, Derby, DE1 1GF	2,151	1,890

13.2. Comments following consultation

A response indicated agreement with the designation of Mackworth Community Centre (MA2) as a polling place.

14. Mickleover ward

14.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
MV1	The Great Northern, Station Road, DE3 9FB	2,555	2,061
MV2	St John`s Church, Devonshire Drive, Mickleover, DE3 9HD	2,497	2,014
MV3	St John`s Community Link, Devonshire Drive, Mickleover, DE3 9HD	2,442	1,970
MV4	Mickleover Community Pavillion, Vicarage Road, DE3 0ED	2,635	2,126
MV5	Mickleover Library, Holly End Road, Mickleover DE3 0EA	2,185	1,763

14.2. Comments following consultation

A response regarding The Great Northern (MV1) was mixed, with some agreement on ease of access but concerns about the lack of car parking and public transport options.

15. Normanton ward

15.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
NM1	Carlton Road United Reformed Church Hall, Carlton Road, DE23 6HE	1,723	1,471

NM2	Normanton Library, St Augustine's Community Centre, Almond Street, DE23 6LX	2,234	1,907
NM3	All Nations for Christ Christian Fellowship, Walbrook Road, DE23 8RY	2,584	2,206
NM4	Pear Tree Road Baptist Church, 152-154 Pear Tree Road, Derby, DE23 6QD	1,222	1,043
NM5	St George`s Social Centre, Village Street, Derby, DE23 8TA	2,727	2,328
NM6	4TH Derby (Derwent) Scout HQ, Derwent Hall, Top of Coleridge Street, Derby, DE23 8AB	801	684
NM7	Sunnyhill Community Centre, Coleridge Street, DE23 8AF	1,089	930

15.2. Comments following consultation

An email correspondent disagreed with the proposal to merge NM7 into NM6 citing concerns that voters who had already been affected by the recent Local Government Boundary Review could be confused about where they should vote. Under the proposals in the (Acting) Returning Officer's report some voters would have had to travel past their old polling station at Sunnyhill Community Centre to reach 4TH Derby (Derwent) Scout HQ.

Sunnyhill Community Centre has adequate space to act as a polling place for NM7 and BL5, and it is recommended that the current arrangements be retained.

16. Oakwood ward

16.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
OK1	Coniston Crescent Community Room, Knutsford Green, off Stafford Road, DE21 4DP	454	377
OK2	St Andrew's College and Breadsall Youth Club, Fieldsway Drive, off St Andrew's View, DE21 4EW	2,241	1,862
OK3	Springwood Leisure Centre, Springwood Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2RQ	2,235	1,857
OK4	Springwood Leisure Centre, Springwood Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2RQ	2,293	1,905
OK5	Springwood Leisure Centre, Springwood Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2RQ	2,197	1,825
OK6	Audrey Drive Children's Centre, 3 Audrey Drive, DE21 4NP	950	789

16.2. Comments following consultation

A consultation response for Springwood Leisure Centre (OK3, OK4 and OK5) was positive, showing strong agreement. The respondent found the location satisfactory with no need for change.

Another response noted the concentration of polling stations in a few locations, posing accessibility challenges for residents in the north-western and north-eastern parts of the ward. The respondent agreed with the proposals but suggested the need for improvements in ease of access and public transport options.

17. Sinfin and Osmaston ward

17.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
SF1	Marble Hall, 80 Nightingale Road, DE24 8BF	2,336	2,037
SF2	St Bartholomew's Church Hall, Addison Road, DE24 8FH	2,545	2,219
SF3	St Stephen`s Church Family Centre, 311 Sinfin Lane, DE24 9GP	2,695	2,350
SF4	Sinfin Library Community Room, Sinfin District Centre, Arleston Lane, DE24 3DS	2,368	2,065
SF5	Sinfin Moor Church, Arleston Lane, DE24 3DH	1,686	1,470

17.2. Comments following consultation

Concerns were raised by a respondent about privacy and visibility at the Sinfin Moor Church (SF5) polling station due to the large windows in the room used for polling.

Positive feedback was provided regarding Sinfin Library Community Room (SF4) indicating strong agreement that it was easy to access, had sufficient car parking and good public transport links.

18. Spondon ward

18.1. Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Forecast 2028 total electorate	Forecast 2028 polling station electorate
SP1	The Guide Hut, West Road, Spondon, DE21 7AB	1,653	1,392

SP2	Spondon Village Hall, Sitwell Street, Spondon, DE21 7FG	1,897	1,597
SP3	66th Derby and 1st Spondon Scouts, Stoney Lane, DE21 7QH	1,677	1,412
SP4	66th Derby and 1st Spondon Scouts, Stoney Lane, DE21 7QH	1,812	1,525
SP5	Edmund Hall, Edmund Road, Spondon, DE21 7HH	2,961	2,493

18.2. Comments following consultation

Responses highlighted the convenience and suitability of the 66th Derby and 1st Spondon Scouts location (SP3 and SP4), indicating strong agreement with the proposals.

Edmund Hall (SP5) was seen by a respondent as the only suitable space in that area of Spondon, with agreement on its ease of access, car parking, and its location on a public transport route.