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## Council

### **Oxfordshire County Boundary Review, Parliamentary Boundary Review and Cherwell District Council Polling District and Polling Place Review**

**29 September 2011**

#### **Report of Chief Executive**

##### **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

To consider the proposals of the Oxfordshire County and Parliamentary Boundary Reviews and agree the council's submission to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England on the Oxfordshire County Boundary Review.

To agree the recommendations from the Polling Place Review.

This report is public
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##### **Recommendations**

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Council is recommended:

- (1) To consider and endorse the response on the Oxfordshire County Boundary Review for submission to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England as set out in paragraphs 1.6 – 1.15 and Appendix 1 -1a of this report.
- (2) To delegate authority to the Chief Executive, in consultation with the member working group, to finalise the Council's submission to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England.
- (3) To consider the initial observations of the member working group on the Parliamentary Boundary Review which proposes the transfer of the Ambrosden & Chesterton and Launton wards of Cherwell District to the Henley constituency.
- (4) To agree that the member working group continues to meet to consider issues emerging from both boundary reviews.
- (5) To note the timetable for the Parliamentary Boundary Review and to request that officers represent the Council at the forthcoming public hearings.
- (6) To agree the recommendations from the Polling Place Review and to note that these findings will be revisited in the Community Governance and Polling District Review in 2012.

## **Executive Summary**

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### **Introduction**

#### **County Boundary Review**

- 1.1 The Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) is responsible for reviewing local authority electoral arrangements, defining boundaries for local elections and the number of councillors to be elected, as well as conducting reviews of local government external boundaries and structures.
- 1.2 In October 2010 the Commission began an electoral review of Oxfordshire following its decision to review Oxfordshire Council's electoral arrangement to ensure that the number of voters represented by each councillor is approximately the same across the authority. On 19 July 2011 the LGBCE published its draft recommendations with a consultation closing date of 10 October 2011.
- 1.3 In summary the proposals as they relate to Oxfordshire and Cherwell are that:
  - OCC is proposing a single member scheme across Oxfordshire
  - The number of County Councillors will reduce from 74 to 63
  - Cherwell District will have 14 County Councillors instead of 16
  - In Cherwell new parish wards will be created in Banbury, Bicester, Bodicote, Chesterton and Kidlington.
- 1.4 Following the last meeting of Council a member working group, consisting of Councillors Beere, Emptage, Mallon, Rose, Sibley, L Stratford and Williamson, has met with officers to consider the implications of the review for the district. The working group's comments on the proposals for each individual district ward are set out at Appendix 1.
- 1.5 In addition to these specific comments the working group suggest that the submission includes the following general observations on the principles underlying the County proposals.
- 1.6 That Cherwell District Council supports the move to a single member scheme across Oxfordshire.
- 1.7 That Cherwell District Council supports the proposal to reduce the number of County Councillors from 74 to 63.
- 1.8 That Cherwell District Council supports the proposal to reduce the number of County Councillors for Cherwell District from 16 to 14.
- 1.9 That Cherwell District Council acknowledges the complexity of making amendments to the proposed county divisions due to the domino effect of the displacement of voters.

- 1.10 That Cherwell District Council is concerned that the merger of urban and rural electoral areas is less than ideal and does not reflect community identities and natural affiliations. However the Council acknowledges that as there will be a reduction in the total number of county councillors and that this process is essentially a numbers game, there will inevitably be the combination of urban and rural areas at some point within the Cherwell district.
- 1.11 The Liberal Democrat members of the working group have put forward a counter proposal for the Kidlington and Kirtlington divisions. This is attached at Appendix 1a. The proposal is within the agreed electorate variance and is contained within the two County divisions and therefore has no domino impact on the rest of the district. The Conservative and Labour members of the working group noted the proposal but reserved their position until discussion at the Council meeting. Finally the Council will wish to note that this same proposal will be submitted to the LGBCE by Kidlington Parish Council.
- 1.12 That Cherwell District Council wishes to highlight concerns with regard to the proposals for areas of housing growth on the edge of principle towns e.g. Bankside in Bodicote/Banbury and Southwest Bicester. The Council understands why it is proposed to create warded parishes in Bodicote and Chesterton which would allow for the areas of development to be more easily included within Banbury and Bicester if the Council were minded to change these boundaries as part of a future community governance review. The warding of Chesterton parish is allowable as construction work has started on site and imminently there will be residents living within the proposed boundaries of the warded parish area. However, this is not the case for the Bankside development. There have been delays to work starting on site, which means that by the end of the review it is highly unlikely that there will be any electors in the newly warded parish area of Bodicote. Therefore we proposed that this proposal should be dropped. We confirm that Cherwell District Council would revisit this proposal in their Community Governance and Polling District Review scheduled for 2012.
- 1.13 That Cherwell District Council is concerned that the proposed names of the new divisions and town council wards should not be lists of all the places that the electoral area comprises but should be unique, clearly identifiable names with a local connection. Currently some of the proposed names are too long and would cause practical problems in the production of ballot papers and statutory notices. It is suggested that the following names are used: Banbury Easington & Bloxham instead of the proposed Bloxham & Easington; Kidlington North & Kirtlington instead of the proposed Kirtlington & Kidlington North; Kidlington South instead of Kidlington. If the proposal at paragraph 1.11 is agreed then there will need to be further changes to the proposed names for the Kidlington and Kirtlington wards.
- 1.14 That Cherwell District Council believes that some of the proposed electoral areas in urban areas in Banbury and Bicester may make it difficult to identify suitable locations for polling stations but that this will be addressed in the Community Governance and Polling District Review scheduled for 2012.
- 1.15 That Cherwell District Council remains frustrated at the sequencing of boundary reviews and believes there is an urgent need for legislative change to address this. Ideally, these should be on a programmed basis starting at

the parish and polling district level, then district ward and finally county division. With the current process county divisions are being determined at the same time that parliamentary polling districts are being reviewed, both of which are likely to require further amendment following this Council's Community Governance and Polling District Review scheduled for 2012.

### **Parliamentary Boundary Review**

- 1.16 The Boundary Commission for England (BCE) is an independent and impartial non-departmental public body which is responsible for reviewing parliamentary constituency boundaries in England.
- 1.17 The BCE has the task of periodically reviewing all the parliamentary constituencies in England. In February 2011 it commenced a review on the basis of new rules laid down by Parliament which involves a significant reduction in the number of constituencies in England and requires constituencies to comply with new parameters so far as the number of electors in each constituency is concerned. The BCE will make final recommendations to Government by October 2013.
- 1.18 The BCE timetable for the 2013 review is:

13 September 2011	Initial proposals published
13 September – 5 December 2011	Consultation open; includes regional public hearings
Spring 2012 (4 week period)	Publication of representations received on initial proposals
Late 2012 (8 week period)	Publication of revised proposals and public consultation; no public hearings
By 1 October 2013	Final recommendations to Government

- 1.19 The parliamentary boundary review proposals for the South East were received by Cherwell District Council on 13 September 2011. Copies of the documents which relate to Oxfordshire and Cherwell are on deposit in the Members Room. Information for the rest of the South East region is available from the Democratic and Elections office.
- 1.20 In summary the proposals as they relate to Oxfordshire and to Cherwell are that:
- Oxfordshire retains 6 constituencies.
  - There will be no change to the Wantage (electorate; 79,775) and Witney (electorate; 78,220) constituencies as they are within 5% of the electoral quota.
  - The Banbury and Oxford East constituencies are above the 5% limit and

must be reduced.

- The Henley and Oxford West & Abingdon constituencies are also within the 5% of the electoral quota but it is proposed that they should take up the surplus from Banbury and Oxford East.
  - To reduce the electorate of the Banbury constituency it is proposed that the Ambrosden & Chesterton and Launton wards of Cherwell District Council are transferred to the Henley constituency. This will be in addition to the existing Kirtlington and Otmoor wards of the Cherwell District.
  - The new Henley constituency (electorate; 80,320) will also take in the Radley ward of the District of the Vale of the White Horse.
  - The current Oxford West and Abingdon constituency will be renamed Abingdon and Oxford North (electorate; 79,704) and will continue to include the Kidlington North, Kidlington South and Yarnton, Gosford and Water Eaton wards of the Cherwell District.
  - The current Oxford East constituency will be renamed Oxford (electorate; 77,769) and will transfer the Carfax Ward to the Abingdon and Oxford North constituency.
- 1.21 Maps illustrating the impact of these proposals for Cherwell are attached at Appendix 2 a – c.
- 1.22 Members of the working group have considered the proposals and wish to make the following observations at this time:
- Conservative members – no objections to BCE proposals
  - Labour members – no objections to BCE proposals
  - Liberal Democrat members – reserved position regarding BCE proposals for the Banbury, the Abingdon and Oxford North and the Henley constituency.
- 1.23 It is proposed that the working group continue to meet to consider these proposals as they develop and update Council accordingly.
- 1.24 The Oxfordshire proposals will be discussed at public hearings in Milton Keynes on 24 and 25 October 2011. Representatives from the other Oxfordshire local authorities will be at those hearings. Therefore it is proposed that the Council be formally represented by officers at those public hearings to present the views of this Council and equally to hear the comments and observations from the other local authorities and other interested parties. The officers will report back to the working group, which will in turn report back to the next Council meeting on 1 November 2011 with a final proposal for submission to the BCE.
- 1.25 The timetable is necessarily tight as the December Council meeting falls after the closing date for the submission of comments to BCE on 5 December 2011.

## **Review of Polling Districts and Polling Places**

- 1.26 In addition to the two boundary reviews, from 1 August 2011 a polling district and polling place review has been carried out. These reviews happen every 4 years in line with the Electoral Administration Act 2006. It is important for the council to take the opportunity to ensure that boundaries remain appropriate in the light of development which has taken place, and any development which is known will take place in the reasonably near future.
- 1.27 In view of the potential overlap between any proposals made as part of the polling district and polling place review and proposals arising from the current County and Parliamentary boundary reviews the polling district and polling place review has been light touch focusing on known problem areas which would require resolution before the scheduled elections in May 2012.
- 1.28 The working group noted that a further, more detailed review of polling districts, places and stations would need to take place in 2012 as part of the proposals and recommendations arising from the County and Parliamentary boundary reviews and the Council's own Community Governance and Polling District Review scheduled for 2012.
- 1.29 Consultation letters were sent to the following individuals and organisations:
- All Cherwell District Council councillors
  - All County Councillors for Cherwell District
  - Returning Officer, Oxford West and Abingdon Constituency
  - Returning Officer, Henley Constituency
  - Town and Parish Councils in Cherwell District
  - Political Agents for Cherwell District
  - MPs for Banbury, Henley and Oxford West and Abingdon Constituencies
  - Banbury Citizens Advice Bureau
  - Bicester Citizens Advice Bureau
  - Frank Wise School
  - Deaf community: Lexicon | SignStream
  - Leonard Cheshire Disability
  - Mental Health - Restore
  - Visual Impairment - Oxeyes
  - Refugee Resource Training/Education/Employment/Counselling
  - Age UK Oxfordshire

In addition a public consultation was set up on the Council's website; and one comment was received.

- 1.30 We received responses from 7 district councillors and 22 town and parish councils. Tony Baldry, MP and Councillor Keith Mitchell, Leader of Oxfordshire County Council both provided positive responses.
- 1.31 The detailed comments and responses are set out set out in Appendix 3. The document records the comments submitted by polling station staff following the elections in May 2011, the observations and responses from consultees and the proposed action to be taken by the CDC Elections team.
- 1.32 The majority of comments are related to concerns about the adequacy of



signage, disabled access, parking or the facilities available for polling station staff. All of these have been, or will be investigated by members of the Election team in advance of the scheduled elections in May 2012 and remedial action taken where appropriate. The action required is shown in Appendix 3.

- 1.33 In addition there have been some comments from Parish Councils expressing concern about the possible merger of polling stations across two parishes in the future and also a request for a return to a separate polling station in the case of Clifton. The whole issue of the possible merger or de-merger of polling stations will be considered in detail as part of the Council's Community Governance and Polling District Review scheduled for 2012, which will be looking at the size of all parish councils and parish meetings and reviewing parish boundaries in the light of the changes proposed by the Parliamentary and County boundary reviews.
- 1.34 There is one significant issue which requires immediate attention. This is regarding the identification of a polling station in Caversfield. We have previously used the "Old DLO Caversfield" building but the site has now been sold and members of the Election team will need to visit the polling district to search for a suitable site. At the same time members of the Election team will open discussions with the new property owners, the Ward Councillors and the Parish Council to consider options for a suitable polling station location for use in May 2012.
- 1.35 Council is requested to note these comments and the immediate actions required to address the problems identified and to note that all of the polling stations, polling places and polling districts will be subject to further scrutiny as part of the Community Governance and Polling District Review scheduled for 2012.

## **Background**

### **Oxfordshire Boundary Review**

- 1.36 In October 2010 the Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) started an electoral review of Oxfordshire County Council. Full details of the review to date can be found at [www.lgbce.org.uk](http://www.lgbce.org.uk) and a hard copy of all documents is available on deposit in the Members' Room.
- 1.37 A preliminary consultation was held between 12 October 2010 and 22 November 2010. Between 11 January 2011 and 4 April, the second period of consultation on the pattern of divisions for Oxfordshire was undertaken.
- 1.38 On 19 July 2011 the LGBCE published its draft recommendations for the electoral review of Oxfordshire County Council.
- 1.39 The Commission's draft recommendations propose that Oxfordshire County Council should have 63 councillors – a reduction of 11 from the current arrangements. The proposals would mean those county councillors would represent 59 single-member divisions and two two-member divisions across the county. The full recommendations and maps are available on the

Commission's website at [www.lgbce.org.uk](http://www.lgbce.org.uk).

- 1.40 Between 19 July and 10 October 2011 a public consultation on the recommendations is being undertaken in which the LGBCE is inviting comments, in particular, on the following questions:
- Do the proposed electoral divisions reflect local communities?
  - How do you think the proposals can be improved whilst maintaining electoral equality?
  - Are the names of the proposed divisions right?
- 1.41 The LGBCE will consider all submissions and aims to publish its final recommendations in January 2012. Once the LGBCE agrees its final recommendations it will lay a draft order in both Houses of Parliament. Parliament will then have 40 days in which to consider the recommendations. If both Houses are satisfied with the recommendations, the draft order will be 'made' and the new electoral divisions will come into effect at the county council elections in May 2013.

#### **Parliamentary Boundary Review**

- 1.42 The Parliamentary Voting System and Constituencies Act 2011 received Royal Assent on 16 February 2011. The Act requires the four UK Boundary Commissions to conduct a review of parliamentary constituencies in their respective parts of the UK and submit final reports on the reviews to Government before 1 October 2013.
- 1.43 The Boundary Commission for England (BCE) began its current review of parliamentary boundaries on 22 February 2011. Full details of the review can be found at <http://boundarycommissionforengland.independent.gov.uk>.
- 1.44 The BCE develops and publishes initial proposals for constituencies across England. Representations from the public about these proposals are then taken both in writing and at public hearings in each region of England. In light of all the views expressed about the initial proposals, the BCE may revise them and then conduct a further round of written consultation on the revised proposals.
- 1.45 The BCE is required to make a formal report to the Government by 1 October 2013, recommending any changes that it believes are appropriate to the distribution, size, shape, name or designation of constituencies in England. The review is therefore referred to as 'the 2013 Review'.
- 1.46 The Government will turn the recommendations of the BCE into draft legislation, which is then presented to Parliament. If Parliament approves the legislation, the recommended changes will be implemented for the next General Election after the date on which the legislation is passed.

#### **Polling District and Polling Place Review**

- 1.47 The Electoral Administration Act 2006 requires local authorities to review their UK Parliamentary polling districts and places every 4 years. The review is the

responsibility of the Returning Officer.

- 1.48 The review process provides for consultation with the electorate, councillors, parish councils, voluntary organisations, and other interested stakeholders such as political party agents.
- 1.49 The conclusions and recommendations of the review must be presented to Full Council for their comments and approval.
- 1.50 The last polling place review in Cherwell was in 2007 and it took about 3-4 months to complete.
- 1.51 Since 2007 the Elections team has pursued an on-going programme of review of all polling stations used within the district and a number of improvements and changes have been implemented. Examples of these changes are the drive to vacate polling stations on school premises, the introduction of 4 new polling stations in Kidlington in 2011 and the introduction of a "look-up" service on the website to allow electors to find their polling station on a map.
- 1.52 The current review commenced on 1 August 2011 and must be completed by 31 December 2011. Any amendments will be implemented in the Electoral Register published on 1 December 2011. These amendments will take effect for any election held after that date.

#### **Boundary and Polling District and Polling Place Review Working Group**

- 1.53 Under Cherwell District Council's Constitution the power to deal with the issues outline above rests with full Council. In order to meet the consultation response dates for the County and Parliamentary Boundary reviews, Council will need to agree responses at its meeting of 29 September 2011.
- 1.54 On 26 July 2011 Council agreed to establish an informal Member Working Group comprising two representatives of each political party to help shape and steer the process of responding to the boundary reviews and preparing the recommended consultation responses which Council will consider on 29 September 2011.

#### **Conclusion**

- 1.55 This report represents the comments and observations of the cross party working group established to consider the council's response to the various boundary reviews. It is recommended that council consider the working group's comments and observations in formulation of a submission to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England on the Oxfordshire County Boundary Review.

#### **Key Issues for Consideration/Reasons for Decision and Options**

The following options have been identified. The approach in the recommendations is believed to be the best way forward

**Option One**                      To agree the recommendations as set out

**Option Two** Not to agree the recommendations

**Option Three** To amend the recommendations

### **Consultations**

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None

### **Implications**

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**Financial:** Costs associated with this review ie consultation and postage have been met from the existing elections and electoral registration budget.

Comments checked by Karen Muir, Corporate System Accountant 01295 221559

**Legal:** No legal implications arising directly from this report regarding the Boundary reviews.

Polling Place Review - All authorities across England are legally required to carry out reviews every four years. Cherwell District Council completed its last review in 2007 and so it must have completed the process by the publication of the 2012 register on 1 December 2012.

Comments checked by James Doble, Democratic, Scrutiny and Elections Manager 01295 221587

**Risk Management:** No risk implications arising directly from this report regarding the Boundary reviews.

The polling place review ensures that the Council is meeting requirements to keep polling districts under regular review.

Comments checked by James Doble, Democratic, Scrutiny and Elections Manager 01295 221587

### **Wards Affected**

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All

### **Document Information**

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<b>Appendix No</b>	<b>Title</b>
Appendix 1	Proposed CDC submission to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England on the Oxfordshire Boundary Review Summary
Appendix 1a	Liberal Democrat proposals for Kidlington and Kirtlington
Appendix 2 a	Map of proposed Banbury Constituency

Appendix 2 b	Map of proposed Henley Constituency
Appendix 2 c	Map of proposed Abingdon and Oxford North Constituency
Appendix 3	Submission on the Polling Place Review
<b>Background Papers</b>	
OCC and BCE boundary review maps and reports which are on deposit in the Members Room.	
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Polling District	Current Parish	Current Ward	Current Divison	Polling Station	Para Ref from OCC Report	Proposed OCC Division	OCC Comments	Working Group Comments
AE1	Banbury Calthorpe 1	Banbury Calthorpe	Banbury Easington	Mobile Station, Morrison's car park	48/52	Banbury Calthorpe	All of Calthorpe Ward	Agreed by all parties
AF1	Banbury Calthorpe 2	Banbury Calthorpe	Banbury Easington	Chasewell Community Centre	48/52	Banbury Calthorpe	All of Calthorpe Ward & Bankside Development	Agreed by all parties
AG1	Banbury Easington 1	Banbury Easington	Banbury Neithrop	The People's Church, Horsefair	45/48/52	Banbury Calthorpe (part) Banbury Grimsbury & Castle (part)	AG1 split between two divisions	Acknowledge the boundary change but concerns over the lack of suitable polling station
AO1	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle 5	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	Banbury Methodist Church, Marlborough Road	45/48/52	Banbury Calthorpe (part) Banbury Grimsbury & Castle (part)	AO1 split between two divisions	Acknowledge the boundary change but concerns over the lack of suitable polling station
A11	Banbury Easington 3	Banbury Easington	Banbury Neithrop	Harriers Ground County Primary, Bloxham Road	48/52	Banbury Calthorpe (part) Bloxham & Easington (part)	A11 split between two divisions	Acknowledge the boundary change but concerns over the lack of suitable polling station
AJ1	Banbury Easington 4	Banbury Easington	Banbury Neithrop	Queensway County Primary School	48/52	Banbury Calthorpe (part) Bloxham & Easington (part)	AJ1 split between two divisions	Acknowledge the boundary change but concerns over the lack of suitable polling station

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AK1	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle 1	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	St Leonards Church, Middleton Road	48/51	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	All of AK1	Agreed by all parties
AL1	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle 2	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	Grimsbury Community Hall, Burchester Place	48/51	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	All of AL1	Agreed by all parties
AM1	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle 3	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	East Street Centre, Calder Close	48/51	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	All of AM1	Agreed by all parties
AN1	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle 4	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	St Mary's School, Southam Road	48/51	Banbury Grimsbury & Castle	All of AN1	Agreed by all parties
AP1	Banbury Hardwick 1	Banbury Hardwick	Banbury Hardwick	Hillview County Primary School	45/48/51	Banbury Hardwick	All of Hardwick Ward	Agreed by all parties
AQ1	Banbury Hardwick 2	Banbury Hardwick	Banbury Hardwick	Hardwick Community Centre, Ferriston	45/48/51	Banbury Hardwick	All of Hardwick Ward	Agreed by all parties



Polling District	Current Parish	Current Ward	Current Divison	Polling Station	Para Ref from OCC Report	Proposed OCC Division	OCC Comments	Working Group Comments
AR1	Banbury Hardwick 3	Banbury Hardwick	Banbury Hardwick	Hanwell Fields Community Centre, Rotary Way	45/48/51	Banbury Hardwick	All of Hardwick Ward	Agreed by all parties
AS1	Banbury Neithrop 1	Banbury Neithrop	Banbury Neithrop	St Paul's Church Hall, Warwick Road	45/48/51	Banbury Hardwick	All of AS1	Agreed by all parties
AU1	Banbury Neithrop 3	Banbury Neithrop	Banbury Hardwick	Ruscote Community Centre, Ruscote Arcade	45/48/51	Banbury Hardwick	All of AU1	Agreed by all parties
AT1	Banbury Neithrop 2	Banbury Neithrop	Banbury Neithrop	Woodgreen Leisure Centre	45/48/51	Banbury Ruscote	All of AT1	Agreed by all parties
AV1	Banbury Ruscote 1	Banbury Ruscote	Banbury Ruscote	St Joseph's Church Hall, Edmunds Road	45/48/51	Banbury Ruscote	All of Ruscote Ward	Agreed by all parties
AW1	Banbury Ruscote 2	Banbury Ruscote	Banbury Ruscote	Fairway Methodist Church	45/48/51	Banbury Ruscote	All of Ruscote Ward	Agreed by all parties

Polling District	Current Parish	Current Ward	Current Divison	Polling Station	Para Ref from OCC Report	Proposed OCC Division	OCC Comments	Working Group Comments
AX1	Banbury Ruscote 3	Banbury Ruscote	Banbury Ruscote	The Sunshine Centre, Edmunds Road	45/48/51	Banbury Ruscote	All of Ruscote Ward	Agreed by all parties
BB1	Bicester North 1	Bicester North	Bicester	Mobile Station, Lucerne Avenue, Bure Park	53-59	Bicester North	All of BB1	Agreed by all parties
BC1	Bicester North 2	Bicester North	Bicester	Southwold Community Centre, Holme Way	53-59	Bicester North	All of BC1	Agreed by all parties
BK1	Bicester West 3	Bicester West	Bicester	Bicester Leisure Sports Centre, Queens Avenue	53-59	Bicester North	All of BK1	Agreed by all parties
BQ1	Bucknell	Caversfield	Ploughley	Bucknell Village Hall	53-59	Bicester North	All of Bucknell	Agreed by all parties
BR1	Caversfield	Caversfield	Ploughley	Former DLO Caversfield Site Office	53-59	Bicester North (part = New Chesterton North Parish Ward) & Current Chesterton Village Ploughley	All new Chesterton North Parish Ward & Current Chesterton Village	Agreed by all parties

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AZ1	Bicester East 1	Bicester East	Bicester	Bicester East Community Centre, Keble Road	53-59	Bicester Town	All of Bicester East Ward	Agreed by all parties
BA1	Bicester East 2	Bicester East	Bicester	Salvation Army Worship Centre, Hart Place	53-59	Bicester Town	All of Bicester East Ward	Agreed by all parties
BF1	Bicester Town 1	Bicester Town	Bicester	Bicester Methodist Hall, Victoria Road	53-59	Bicester Town	All of BF1	Agreed by all parties
BG1	Bicester Town 2	Bicester Town	Bicester	St Edburgs Church Hall, Old Place Yard	53-59	Bicester Town	All of BG1	Agreed by all parties
BH1	Bicester Town 3	Bicester Town	Bicester	Scout Hall, Ashdene Road	53-59	Bicester West	All of BH1 and all of South West Bicester Development	Agreed by all parties
BI1	Bicester West 1	Bicester West	Bicester	West Bicester Community Centre, Bowmont Square	53-59	Bicester West	All of BI1	Agreed by all parties

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BJ1	Bicester West 2	Bicester West	Bicester	Highfield Social Club, George Street	53-59	Bicester West	All of BJ1	Agreed by all parties
AH1	Banbury Easington 2	Banbury Easington	Banbury Easington	Easington Methodist Church Hall, Grange Road	48/50/52	Bloxham & Easington	All of AH1	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Banbury Easington & Bloxham as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Banbury and a neighbouring rural parish
BM1	Bloxham	Bloxham & Bodicote	Bloxham	Ex-Servicemans Hall, High Street	48/50/52	Bloxham & Easington	All of Bloxham	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Banbury Easington & Bloxham as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Banbury and a neighbouring rural parish
CQ1	Milcombe	Bloxham & Bodicote	Bloxham	Milcombe Village Hall, Main Road	48/50/52	Bloxham & Easington	All of Milcombe	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Banbury Easington & Bloxham as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Banbury and a neighbouring rural parish
AA1	Adderbury	Adderbury	Bloxham	Adderbury Institute, The Green	60	Deddington	All of Adderbury Ward	Agreed by all parties

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AY1	Barford St Michael & St John	Deddington	Deddington	Barford St Michael Village Hall, Lower Street	60	Deddington	All of Deddington Ward	Agreed by all parties
BN1	Bodicote	Bloxham & Bodicote	Bloxham	Church House, Church Street	60	Deddington	Minus the Bankside development	Agreed by all parties
BW1	Deddington Village	Deddington	Deddington	Windmill Community Centre, Hempton Road	60	Deddington	All of Deddington Ward	Agreed by all parties
BX1	Deddington Clifton	Deddington	Deddington	Windmill Community Centre, Hempton Road	60	Deddington	All of Deddington Ward	Agreed by all parties
BY1	Deddington Hempton	Deddington	Deddington	Hempton Meeting Room	60	Deddington	All of Deddington Ward	Agreed by all parties
CA1	Duns Tew	The Astons & Heyfords	Deddington	Duns Tew Village Hall, Middle Barton Road	60	Deddington	All of Duns Tew	Agreed by all parties

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CE1	Fritwell	The Astons & Heyfords	Deddington	Fritwell Village Hall, Fewcott Road	60	Deddington	All of Fritwell	Agreed by all parties
CO1	Middle Aston	The Astons & Heyfords	Deddington	Steeple Aston Village Hall, Fir Lane	60	Deddington	All of Middle Aston	Agreed by all parties
CR1	Milton	Adderbury	Bloxham	The Meeting Room, Manor Farm	60	Deddington	All of Adderbury Ward	Agreed by all parties
CV1	North Aston	The Astons & Heyfords	Deddington	Meeting Room at the Bakery, Somerton Road	60	Deddington	All of North Aston	Agreed by all parties
DD1	Somerton	The Astons & Heyfords	Deddington	The Barnes Memorial Hall, Heyford Road	60	Deddington	All of Somerton	Agreed by all parties
DE1	Souldern	The Astons & Heyfords	Deddington	Souldern Village Hall	60	Deddington	All of Souldern	Agreed by all parties

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DG1	Steeple Aston	The Astons & Heyfords	Deddington	Steeple Aston Village Hall, Fir Lane	60	Deddington	All of Steeple Aston	Agreed by all parties
KA1	Begbroke 1	Yarnton, Gosford & Water Eaton	Kidlington & Yarnton	Begbroke Village Hall, Begbroke Lane	61-65	Kidlington	All of Begbroke	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington South
KB1	Gosford & Water Eaton	Yarnton, Gosford & Water Eaton	Kidlington & Yarnton	Kidlington & Gosford Sports Centre, Gosford Hill	61-65	Kidlington	All of Gosford & Water Eaton	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington South
KG1	Kidlington South 3	Kidlington South	Kidlington & Yarnton	The Church of St John the Baptist, The Broadway	61-65	Kidlington	All of KG1 - Dogwood parish ward	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington South
KH1	Kidlington South 4	Kidlington South	Kidlington & Yarnton	Exeter Hall, Oxford Road	61-65	Kidlington	All of KH1 - Exeter parish ward	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington South
KJ1	Yarnton	Yarnton, Gosford & Water Eaton	Kidlington & Yarnton	Yarnton Village Hall, The Paddocks	61-65	Kidlington	All of Yarnton	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington South

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HA1	Bletchington	Kirtlington	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Bletchington Village Hall, Station Road	61-65	Kirtlington	All of Bletchington	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington North & Kirtlington as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Kidlington and a neighbouring rural parishes
HD1	Hampton Gay & Poyle	Kirtlington	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Bletchington Village Hall, Station Road	61-65	Kirtlington	All of Hampton Gay & Poyle	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington North & Kirtlington as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Kidlington and a neighbouring rural parishes
HG1	Kirtlington	Kirtlington	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Kirtlington Village Hall, South Green	61-65	Kirtlington	All of Kirtlington	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington North & Kirtlington as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Kidlington and a neighbouring rural parishes
HK1	Weston-on-the-Green	Kirtlington	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Weston-on-the-Green Village Hall, Mill Lane	61-65	Kirtlington	All of Weston-on-the-Green	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington North & Kirtlington as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Kidlington and a neighbouring rural parishes



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KC1	Kidlington North 1	Kidlington North	Kidlington & Yarnton	Kidlington Baptist Church, High Street	61-65	Kirtlington	All of KC1 - St Mary's parish ward	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington North & Kirtlington as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Kidlington and a neighbouring rural parishes
KD1	Kidlington North 2	Kidlington North	Kidlington & Yarnton	Mobile Station Lyne Road	61-65	Kirtlington	All of KD1 - Roundham parish ward	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington North & Kirtlington as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Kidlington and a neighbouring rural parishes
KE1	Kidlington South 1	Kidlington South	Kidlington & Yarnton	Kidlington Youth Football Club, Evans Lane	61-65	Kirtlington	All of KE1 - Orchard parish ward	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington North & Kirtlington as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Kidlington and a neighbouring rural parishes
KF1	Kidlington South 2	Kidlington South	Kidlington & Yarnton	Kidlington Methodist Church Hall, Oxford Road	61-65	Kirtlington	All of KF1 - Orchard parish ward	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington North & Kirtlington as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Kidlington and a neighbouring rural parishes

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K11	Shipton-on-Cherwell & Thrupp	Kirtlington	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Millennium Village Hall	61-65	Kirtlington	All of Shipton-on-Cherwell & Thrupp	Agreed by all parties. However name is an issue and we suggest: Kidlington North & Kirtlington as this is consistent with the existing name format and indicates that this is a merger of an urban area within Kidlington and a neighbouring rural parishes
AB1	Ambrosden	Ambrosden & Chesterton	Bicester South	Ambrosden Village Hall	57	Otmoor	All of Ambrosden	Agreed by all parties
AD1	Arcott	Launton	Ploughley	Arcott Village Hall, Murcott Road	57	Otmoor	All of Arcott	Agreed by all parties
BD1	Bicester South 1	Bicester South	Bicester South	Langford Village Centre, Nightingale Place	57	Otmoor	All of Bicester South Ward	Concerns over the rural/urban mix and equality of votes, but all parties agreed
BE1	Bicester South 2	Bicester South	Bicester South	Mobile Station Corner of Corncrake Way	57	Otmoor	All of Bicester South Ward	Concerns over the rural/urban mix and equality of votes, but all parties agreed
CX1	Piddington	Launton	Ploughley	Piddington Village Hall, Ludgershall Road	57	Otmoor	All of Piddington	Agreed by all parties

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HB1	Charlton-on-Otmoor	Otmoor	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Charlton-on-Otmoor Community Hall, Fencott Road	57	Otmoor	All of Charlton-on-Otmoor	Agreed by all parties
HC1	Fencott and Murcott	Otmoor	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Fencott & Murcott Village Hall	57	Otmoor	All of Fencott & Murcott	Agreed by all parties
HE1	Horton-cum-Studley	Otmoor	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Horton-cum-Studley Millennium Hall, The Straight Mile	57	Otmoor	All of Horton-cum-Studley	Agreed by all parties
HF1	Islip	Otmoor	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Islip Village Hall, Church Lane	57	Otmoor	All of Islip	Agreed by all parties
HH1	Merton	Otmoor	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Merton Village Hall	57	Otmoor	All of Merton	Agreed by all parties
HI1	Noke	Otmoor	Otmoor & Kirtlington	The Parish Church of St Giles	57	Otmoor	All of Noke	Agreed by all parties
HJ1	Oddington	Otmoor	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Charlton-on-Otmoor Community Hall, Fencott Road	57	Otmoor	All of Oddington	Agreed by all parties

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AC1	Ardley with Fewcott	Caversfield	Ploughley	Ardley with Fewcott Community Hall, Ardley Playing Fields	59	Ploughley	All of Ardley with Fewcott	Agreed by all parties
BL1	Blackthorn	Launton	Ploughley	Blackthorn Village Hall, Thame Road	59	Ploughley	All of Blackthorn	Agreed by all parties
BS1	Chesterton	Ambrosden & Chesterton	Bicester South	Chesterton Village Hall, Alchester Road	54	Ploughley	All of Chesterton minus the development	Agreed by all parties
BU1	Cottisford	Fringford	Ploughley	St Mary the Virgin Church	59	Ploughley	All of Cottisford	Agreed by all parties
CC1	Finmere	Fringford	Ploughley	Finmere Village Hall, Water Stratford Road	59	Ploughley	All of Finmere	Agreed by all parties
CD1	Fringford	Fringford	Ploughley	Fringford Village Hall, The Green	59	Ploughley	All of Fringford	Agreed by all parties
CF1	Godington	Fringford	Ploughley	Meeting Room at the Red Lion, Stratton Audley	59	Ploughley	All of Godington	Agreed by all parties

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CH1	Hardwick with Tusmore	Fringford	Ploughley	St Mary the Virgin Church, Cottisford	59	Ploughley	All of Hardwick with Tusmore	Agreed by all parties
C11	Hethe	Fringford	Ploughley	Hethe Village Hall, Hardwick Road	59	Ploughley	All of Hethe	Agreed by all parties
CM1	Launton	Launton	Ploughley	Launton Parish Hall, Bicester Road	59	Ploughley	All of Launton	Agreed by all parties
CN1	Lower Heyford	The Astons & Heyfords	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Lower Heyford Sports & Social Club, Mill Lane	59	Ploughley	All of Lower Heyford	Agreed by all parties
CP1	Middleton Stoney	Ambrosden & Chesterton	Bicester South	Middleton Stoney Village Hall, Heyford Road	59	Ploughley	All of Middleton Stoney	Agreed by all parties
CS1	Mixbury	Fringford	Ploughley	Mobile Station, Church Lane	59	Ploughley	All of Mixbury	Agreed by all parties
CU1	Newton Purcell with Shelswell	Fringford	Ploughley	Finmere Village Hall, Water Stratford Road	59	Ploughley	All of Newton Purcell with Shelswell	Agreed by all parties

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DH1	Stoke Lyne	Caversfield	Ploughley	Stoke Lyne Parish Room	59	Ploughley	All of Stoke Lyne	Agreed by all parties
DI1	Stratton Audley	Fringford	Ploughley	Meeting Room at the Red Lion	59	Ploughley	All of Stratton Audley	Agreed by all parties
DL1	Upper Heyford	The Astons & Heyfords	Otmoor & Kirtlington	Upper Heyford Village Hall, Somerton Road	59	Ploughley	All of Upper Heyford	Agreed by all parties
DN1	Wendlebury	Ambrosden & Chesterton	Bicester South	Wendlebury Village Hall, Main Street	59	Ploughley	All of Wendlebury	Agreed by all parties
BO1	Bourtons	Cropredy	Wroxton	The Bourtons Village Hall, Main Street	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Bourtons	Agreed by all parties

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BP1	Broughton	Sibford	Wroxton	St Mary's House, Wykham Lane	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Broughton	Agreed by all parties
BT1	Claydon with Clattercot	Cropredy	Wroxton	Claydon Church Hall, Church Lane	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Claydon with Clattercot	Agreed by all parties
BV1	Cropredy	Cropredy	Wroxton	Cropredy Village Hall, Red Lion Street	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Cropredy	Agreed by all parties
BZ1	Drayton	Wroxton	Wroxton	Drayton Village Hall, Stratford Road	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Drayton	Agreed by all parties
CB1	Epwell	Sibford	Wroxton	Epwell Village Hall, The Square	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Epwell	Agreed by all parties

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CG1	Hanwell	Wroxton	Wroxton	Hanwell Village Hall, Main Street	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Hanwell	Agreed by all parties
CJ1	Hook Norton	Hook Norton	Deddington	The Memorial Hall, Chapel Street	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Hook Norton	Agreed by all parties
CK1	Horley	Wroxton	Wroxton	The Old School, Church Lane	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Horley	Agreed by all parties
CL1	Hornton	Wroxton	Wroxton	Hornton Methodist Church, Millers Lane	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Hornon	Agreed by all parties
CT1	Mollington	Cropredy	Wroxton	Mollington Village Hall, Chestnut Road	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Mollington	Agreed by all parties



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CW1	North Newington	Sibford	Wroxton	Mobile Station at Bishop Carpenter School, School Lane	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of North Newington	Agreed by all parties
CY1	Prescote	Croprey	Wroxton	Croprey Village Hall, Red Lion Street	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Prescote	Agreed by all parties
CZ1	Shenington with Alkerton	Wroxton	Wroxton	Shenington Village Hall	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Shenington with Alkerton	Agreed by all parties
DA1	Shutford	Wroxton	Wroxton	The George & Dragon, Church Lane	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Shutford	Agreed by all parties
DB1	Sibford Ferris	Sibford	Wroxton	Sibford Gower Village Hall, Acre Ditch	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Sibford Ferris	Agreed by all parties

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DC1	Sibford Gower	Sibford	Wroxton	Sibford Gower Village Hall, Acre Ditch	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Sibford Gower	Agreed by all parties
DF1	South Newington	Hook Norton	Deddington	South Newington Village Hall, Barford Road	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of South Newington	Agreed by all parties
DJ1	Swalcliffe	Sibford	Wroxton	Swalcliffe Village Hall, Green Lane	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Swalcliffe	Agreed by all parties
DK1	Tadmarton	Sibford	Wroxton	Tadmarton Village Hall, Main Street	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Tadmarton	Agreed by all parties
DM1	Wardington	Cropredy	Wroxton	St Mary Magdalene Church	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Wardington	Agreed by all parties

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DO1	Wigginton	Hook Norton	Deddington	Wigginton Parish Hall, School Lane	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Wigginton	Agreed by all parties
DP1	Wroxton	Wroxton	Wroxton	Woxton Village Hall, Stratford Road	41/42	Wroxton & Hook Norton	All of Wroxton	Agreed by all parties

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## **Oxfordshire County Council Electoral Review – Liberal Democrat proposals for Kidlington**

We have reviewed the Boundary Commission's draft proposals for Kidlington and would make the following comments.

The commissions draft proposals create two urban / rural wards, one to the North and one to the South. This results in the centre of Kidlington being combined with rural areas which was a criticism of earlier proposals from Kidlington parish Council. While we recognise that a part of Kidlington needs be combined with rural villages in order to achieve electoral equality, we believe it is desirable that the urban nature of Kidlington be recognised by ensuring that one division lies wholly within Kidlington parish.

The retail centre of Kidlington is concentrated in High Street and Oxford Road, and lies partly within Orchard parish ward and partly within St Mary's parish ward. Exeter Hall (effectively the Civic Centre) and the Medical Centre lie on the opposite side of Oxford Road within Exeter parish wards. Ideally, these should be combined in a single electoral division.

We note also the concern that the County Council proposal contained few road links between the composite parishes. The Commission's proposals partly address this concern in that a road link across the River Cherwell has been provided at Enslow between Bletchington and Shipton-on-Cherwell & Thrupp parishes. However, the river crossing at Gosford Bridge does not provide any additional link, as the road passes from Hampton Poyle parish directly across a narrow strip of Orchard parish ward and into Gosford & Water Eaton parish without making any connection with the rest of the road system in Orchard ward.

Taking into account all of the above points, we would like to suggest a new proposal for the Kidlington area that we believe best reconciles the issues raised.

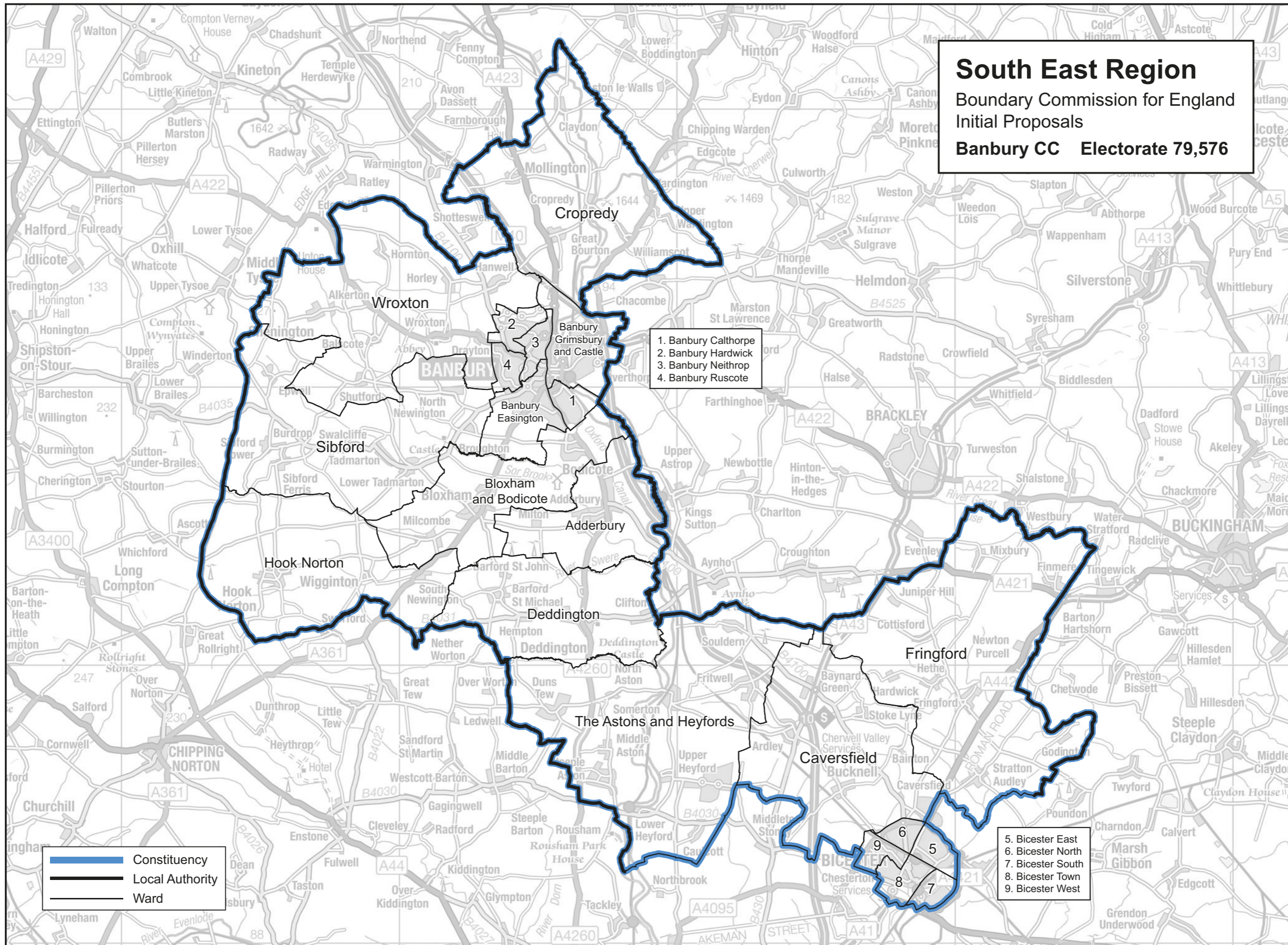
We suggest a Kidlington division comprising the Kidlington Parish Wards of Dogwood, Exeter, Orchard and St Mary's.

We also suggest a semi-rural division comprising Kidlington Roundham Parish Ward together with Kirtlington District Ward and Yarnton, Gosford & Water Eaton District Ward.

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2016</u>
<b><u>Kidlington</u></b>		
St Mary's	2194	2155
Exeter	1361	1353
Dogwood	2392	2377
Orchard	2571	2555
<b>Total</b>	<b>8518</b>	<b>8440</b>

**Kidlington Rural**

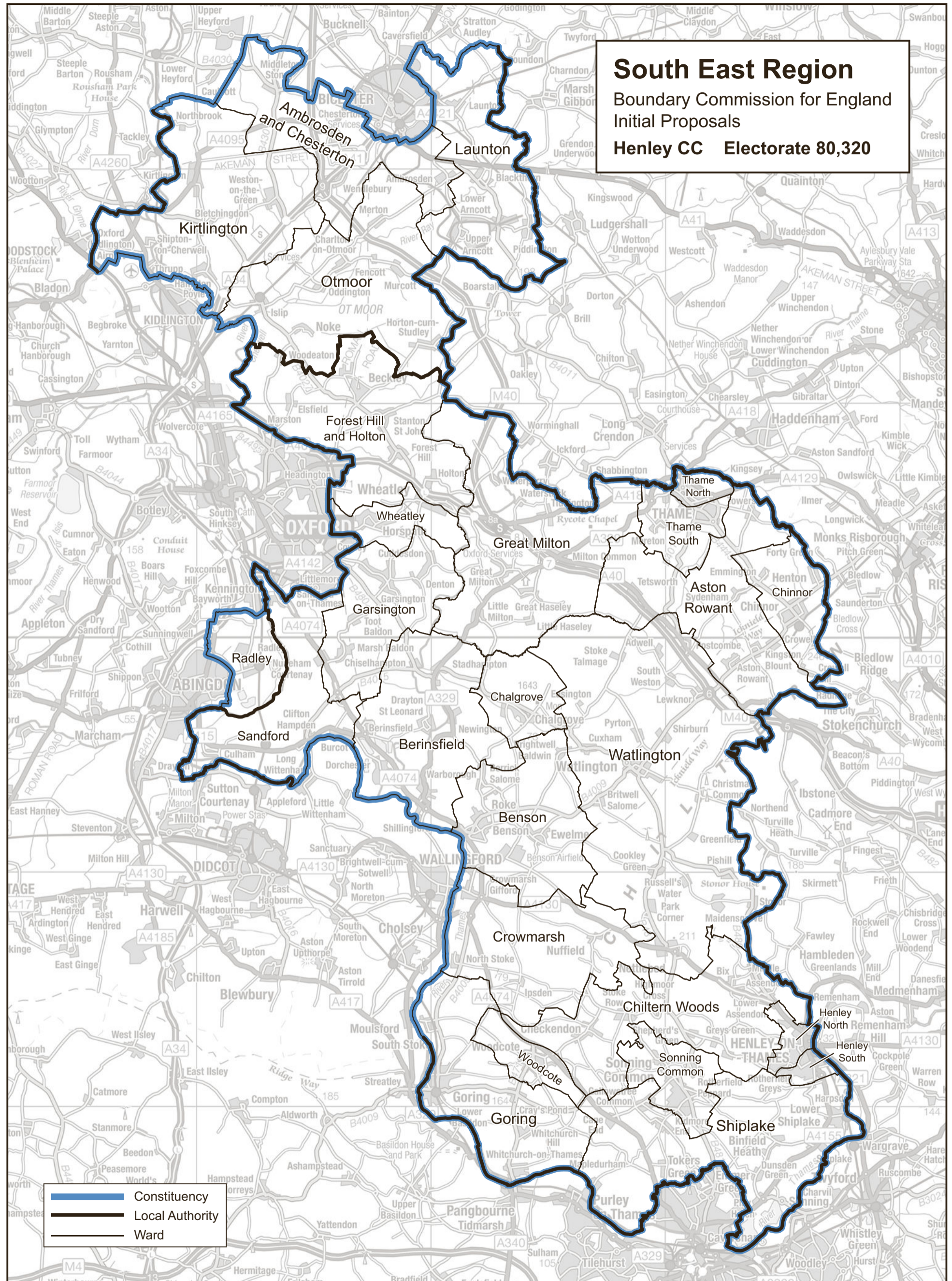
Roundham	1970	1935
Yarnton, Begbroke, Gosford & Water Eaton	3783	3904
Kirtlington Ward	2278	1991
<b>Total</b>	<b>8031</b>	<b>7830</b>



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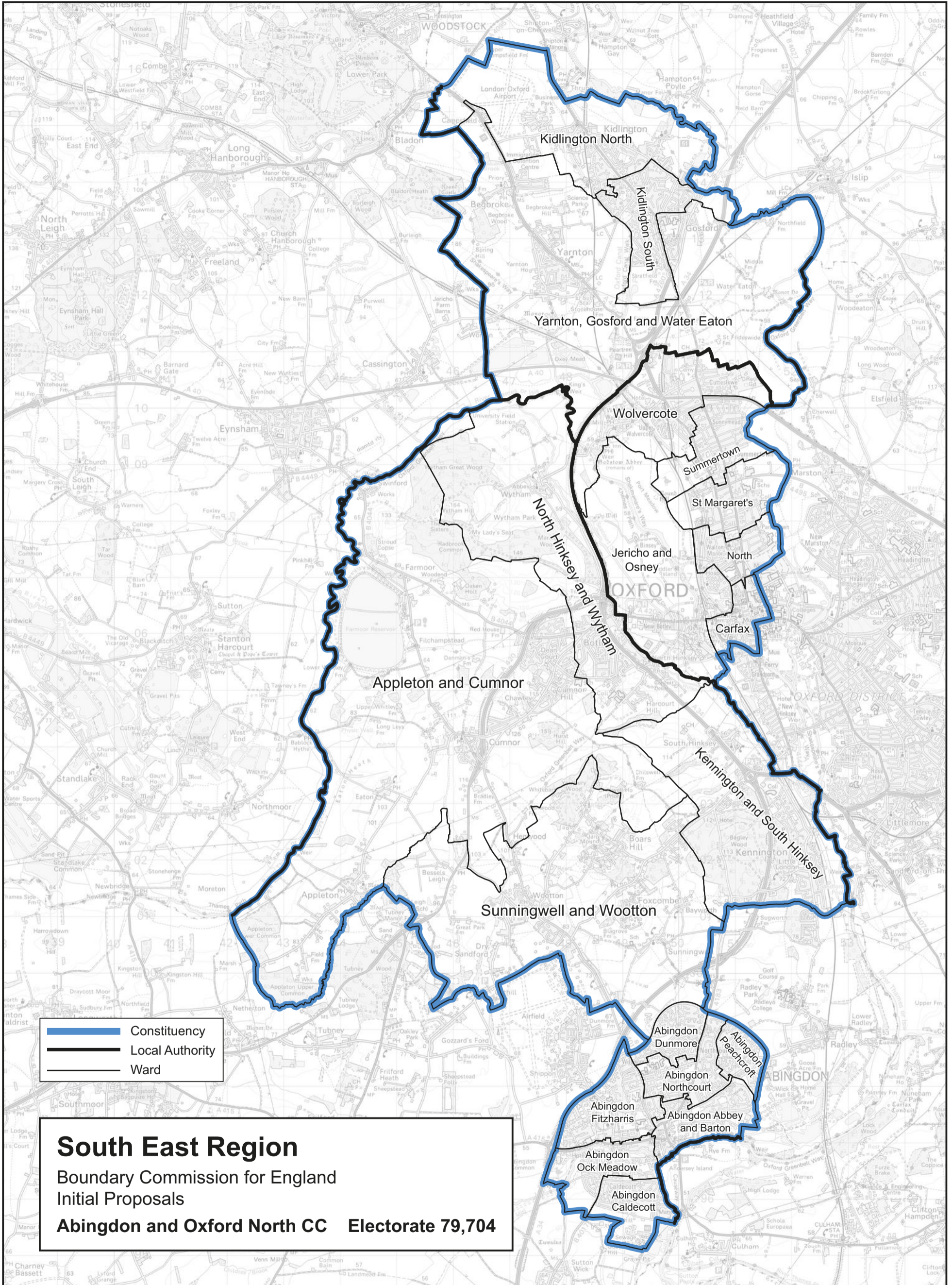
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AA1	ADDERBURY	ADDERBURY INSTITUTE	2	2196	I have worked as a Polling Clerk for a number of years - this was one of the most suitable.	I think this is a very good venue - County Councillor	
AB1	AMBROSDEN	AMBROSDEN VILLAGE HALL	1	1247		OK - Ward Cllr	
AC1	ARDLEY WITH FEWCOTT	ARDLEY WITH FEWCOTT COMMUNITY HALL	1	524	It was airless and cold, and there was minimal natural light. Even with the heating on fully it was still cold and unwelcoming. It was easy to find for the electorate, but not a pleasant place to be for the officers, especially for a long period of time. There was a session of a playgroup in the main hall which is cavernous and all noise echoed badly all over the complex which did not give a good environment to persons wishing to vote at the time the playgroup was operating. The whole place was isolated which did not help those who would wish to vote after early evening. Towards 10pm the location was dark and inhibiting for voters.	I am never warm in Ardley small hall. The heater/air conditioning does not seem to work, or people do not know how to operate it. It is only a room with high windows, no frills! - Ward Cllr	Scheduled election in May 2012. This is first complaint from polling staff. CDC staff will conduct site visit and review issues around heating, lighting etc.
AD1	ARNCOTT	ARNCOTT VILLAGE HALL	1	608			
AE1	BANBURY CALTHORPE NO 1	MOBILE STATION MORRISONS CAR PARK	1	1547		Banbury Town Council: happy with the current polling stations in Banbury and could not suggest any more suitable alternative sites	
	BANBURY CALTHORPE NO 2	CHASEWELL COMMUNITY CENTRE	2	2612			
	BANBURY EASINGTON NO 1	THE PEOPLES CHURCH	1	495			
AH1	BANBURY EASINGTON NO 2	EASINGTON METHODIST CHURCH HALL	2	2364	limited parking, small for double station, query re disabled access		Scheduled for election in 2012. CDC will conduct site visit and review. Parking needs to be balanced with central location and ease of access for electors walking to station. There is disabled access and this may have been an isolated problem.
AH1	BANBURY EASINGTON NO 2	EASINGTON METHODIST CHURCH HALL	2	2364	limited parking, small for double station, query re disabled access		
AI1	BANBURY EASINGTON NO 3	HARRIERS GROUND	1	1081			
AJ1	BANBURY EASINGTON NO 4	QUEENSWAY COUNTY	2	2154	Its too far too walk for elderly people, the room should have been nearer the entrance to the Queensway School. Also the room was full of childrens toys etc and not spacious at all, very limited space for the booths and room for people walking in/out.		
AK1	BANBURY GRIMSBURY AND CASTLE NO 1	ST LEONARDS CHURCH	2	2555			

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AL1	BANBURY GRIMSBURY AND CASTLE NO 2	GRIMSBURY COMMUNITY HALL	1	1302		Banbury Town Council: happy with the current polling stations in Banbury and could not suggest any more suitable alternative sites. Agreed, signage is an issue - Ward Cllr	
AM1	BANBURY GRIMSBURY AND CASTLE NO 3	EAST STREET CENTRE	2	2206	A very good double station. However, there is some conflict with other users of the East Street Centre. Since 2010 changes have been made to effectively barrier off the access from East Street from time to time. One of the rooms in the building allocated as a polling station is used by a playgroup or similar, and we had to move aside all their equipment, floor mats, book-cases, furniture etc which was fine, but it turned out they were back in first thing Friday morning and expected everything put back, which was not really tenable at the close of poll. Some liaison with other users of the Centre about access would be helpful.		Scheduled elections in 2012. CDC will conduct site visit to review signage and access. Polling station staff will be briefed on appointment on signage and access.
AN1	BANBURY GRIMSBURY AND CASTLE NO 4	ST MARY'S SCHOOL	1	540	Problems with signing the station because we had two entrances and people were able to access from both of these and a lot of people commented that they couldn't work out how to get in. We requested an extra sign, which did help. The gates also locked a couple of times during the day (because it was a school and for security purposes) and we were not close enough to the gates to know if people were waiting, which was a bit of a problem with some people unhappy about this. It was also difficult for disabled access because the side gate (which would have provided access) was kept locked. There was also no direct access for disabled people (no ramp to get over the step into the room we were in).		Scheduled elections in 2012. CDC will conduct site visit to review signage. Polling station staff will be briefed on appointment on signage and access.
AP1	BANBURY HARDWICK NO 1	BANBURY METHODIST CHURCH HILLVIEW COUNTY	1	1183 1405	Limited parking. No parking in school.		
AQ1	BANBURY HARDWICK NO 2	HARDWICK COMMUNITY CENTRE	2	3009	As a twin station for the turn out we had I would say yes as there was a natural filtering system at the entrance to the hall enabling voters to choose the right line. Heating was a little odd as the heat was omitted from the ceiling and could not be altered, the carter was very helpful and sent someone to increase the temperature.		
AR1	BANBURY HARDWICK NO 3	HANWELL FIELDS COMMUNITY CENTRE	1	1779			
AS1	BANBURY NEITHROP NO 1	ST PAULS CHURCH HALL	1	1139	Limited parking. Query re disabled access and fire door.		Scheduled election May 2012. CDC will conduct site review re parking, access and facilities.
AT1	BANBURY NEITHROP NO 2	WOODGREEN LEISURE CENTRE	2	1977	Need to look at signage		Scheduled election May 2012. CDC will keep under review and re-assess suitability after 2012 elections.

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AU1	BANBURY NEITHROP NO 3	RUSCOTE COMMUNITY CENTRE	1	1457			
AV1	BANBURY RUSCOTE NO 1	ST JOSEPHS CHURCH HALL	1	1567		Banbury Town Council: happy with the current polling stations in Banbury and could not suggest any more suitable alternative sites	
AW1	BANBURY RUSCOTE NO 2	RUSCOTE METHODIST	1	2012	Limited parking.		Scheduled election May 2012. CDC will keep under review and re-assess suitability after 2012 elections.
AX1	BANBURY RUSCOTE NO 3	THE SUNSHINE CENTRE	2	2140	It is spacious and provides good all round facilities both for voters and staff members.		
AY1	BARFORD ST. JOHN & ST. MICHAEL	BARFORD VILLAGE HALL	1	460	poor phone signal		
AZ1	BICESTER EAST NO 1	BICESTER EAST COMMUNITY CENTRE	2	2581		Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently	
BA1	BICESTER EAST NO 2	SALVATION ARMY CENTRE	1	1592		Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently	
BC1	BICESTER NORTH NO 1	MOBILE STATION AT LUCERNE AVENUE BURE PARK BICESTER	2	2014		Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently. but the members for the North Ward make the observation that the current site on Bure Park is due to be built on shortly, and so question the provision of alternate facilities, with suggestions that portacabins be used on the grassed area beside the playground to the North of Bure Park School. Parking is a problem anywhere on Bure Park estate anyway.	Scheduled election May 2012. CDC has agreement from the Emmanuel Church that we can use the church premises as a polling station once completed. The plans confirm that the building will more than meet our requirements. As yet we have no date for completion but hopefully by the end of 2012. The Community Room at the school has been used in the past; it is small but OK for a single election. CDC will do a site inspection (at the time of the by-election) of the grassed area north of the school but there are concerns about accessibility for the vehicles sitting the mobile stations there.
BC2	BICESTER NORTH NO 2	SOUTHWOLD COMMUNITY CENTRE	2	2744		Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently	
BD1	BICESTER SOUTH NO 1	LANGFORD VILLAGE CENTRE	2	2822		Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently	
BE1	BICESTER SOUTH NO 2	MOBILE STATION MALLARDS WAY	1	940		Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently	
BF1	BICESTER TOWN NO 1	BICESTER METHODIST HALL	1	1379		Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently	
BG1	BICESTER TOWN NO 2	ST EDBURGS CHURCH HALL	1	1136		Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently	
BH1	BICESTER TOWN NO 3	SCOUT HALL ASHDENE ROAD	1	1222		Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently	

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BI1	BICESTER WEST NO 1	WEST BICESTER COMMUNITY CENTRE	2	2654		Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently	
BJ1	BICESTER WEST NO 2	HIGHFIELD SOCIAL CLUB	1	1790	inadequate lighting - even with free standing lamps	Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently	Scheduled election May 2012. CDC will conduct site visit to review lighting issue.
BK1	BICESTER WEST NO 3	BICESTER LEISURE SPORTS CENTRE	1	971		Bicester Town Council: happy with the facilities provided currently	
BL1	BLACKTHORN	BLACKTHORN VILLAGE HALL	1	262	facilities very limited i.e no fridge or microwave		CDC confirm that polling station staff are informed of facilities available prior to appointment.
BM1	BLOXHAM	EX-SERVICEMENS HALL	2	2598	parking congested and busy road	<i>The hall is fine, easily accessible and plenty of facilities for polling station staff. The one drawback is the huge congestion on the main road here but this needs to be counter-balanced by the accessibility because it is at the heart of the village - County Cllr.</i>	Scheduled election May 2012. CDC will keep under review and re-assess suitability after 2012 elections.
BN1	BODICOTE	BODICOTE CHURCH HOUSE	1	1717	query regarding disabled access. Limited parking.	Bodicote Parish Council: aware of concerns about disabled access but keen to balance this against the convenience of having the polling station in a central location rather than on the outskirts of the village say at the Primary School/Cricket Club/Village Hall or at the Council Offices.	Scheduled election May 2012. CDC has conducted preliminary site visit. Parking is OK. But we do need to address issues around disabled access.
BO1	BOURTON	BOURTONS VILLAGE HALL	1	537	query regarding disabled access - very steep climb to door	<i>The Village Hall is situated in an elevated position to the road and footpath walking accesses. There is a steep flight of steps to accomplish. There is a back entrance which is usual also available and better for voters with mobility concerns. Overall, I have heard no complaints about accessibility. There is the Church and Bell PH in close proximity which offer alternative voting venues but both have some steps to access the premises. Of the alternatives, the Church facilities are best - Ward Cllr.</i>	CDC will make a portable door bell available for future elections. This will allow electors to ring for assistance. This arrangement has worked well at other polling stations.
BP1	BROUGHTON	ST MARYS HOUSE	1	241		<i>Broughton Parish Council: St Marys House which is currently used as a polling station in Broughton, is perfectly adequate for the electors. There is adequate parking and access for the disabled. We consider there to be no other suitable location in Broughton to use instead of St Marys House.</i>	
BQ1	BUCKNELL	BUCKNELL VILLAGE HALL	1	205		No comments	
BR1	CAVERSFIELD	OLD DLO CAVERSFIELD	1	965	The ex MOD site has been sold. CDC will need to find a suitable alternative location	Local Councillor and Parish Council have no suggestions for alternative location.	Scheduled election in May 2012. The ex-MOD site has been sold. We will need to identify suitable accommodation for 2012.



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BS1	CHESTERTON	CHESTERTON VILLAGE HALL	1	633	query regarding disabled access. No handrail.	<i>Chesterton Parish Council:</i> The Hall has been extensively modernised in the last year and the facilities improved, including a disabled toilet provision. It is quite central to the village and many electors walk to the polling station. There is limited provision for parking which is on street, but to date, this has never constituted a problem. There is not alternative local provision that might be deemed more suitable apart from the School itself but electors would still use the same on street parking and since the School is almost adjacent to the Hall there would be no change in accessibility.	
BT1	CLAYDON WITH CLATTERCOT	CLAYDON CHURCH HALL	1	260	query regarding disabled access - steps to door	<i>The premises are accessed from the Mollington Road by a flight of several steps. The Hall is the only voting option for the village - Ward Clif.</i>	Not scheduled for election in 2012. CDC will make a portable door bell available for future elections. This will allow electors to ring for assistance. This arrangement has worked well at other polling stations.
BU1	COTTISFORD	ST MARY THE VIRGIN CHURCH	1	124	Some concerns re heating, remote toilet location, and dark path through churchyard.	<i>Cattisford Parish Meeting:</i> The PCC are happy for you to use the Parish Church but point out that there is no running water or toilet facilities. We feel that if the polling station were to be located out of the parish that voters may not travel and votes could be lost to candidates standing for election.	Not scheduled for election in 2012. CDC will keep under review.
BW1	CROPREDY	CROPREDY VILLAGE HALL	1	609	The Caretaker was extremely helpful.	<i>These premises are ideal being centrally located and accepted by the residents as the place where village events are held. There are no access issues. Alternative premises if required would be the Chapel or Church - Ward Clif.</i>	
BW1	DEDDINGTON VILLAGE	WINDMILL COMMUNITY CENTRE	1	1292	Facilities at Deddington are excellent. Just have to be aware that Pensioners lunch/teatime takes place but this causes no problems if common sense is used between parties concerned. Also one of the static polling station signs would be grand for the end of the lane leading to the hall as we have to nail to the Playgroup fence at the moment.		No scheduled elections in 2012. CDC confirm that polling station staff will be alerted to "dual use" on appointment. Signage requirements noted.
BX1	DEDDINGTON - CLIFTON	WINDMILL COMMUNITY CENTRE	1	171	See BW1	<i>Deddington Parish Council: Some residents of Clifton have asked whether it is possible to have a polling station in the pub in Clifton to service residents who live in this village.</i>	No scheduled elections in 2012. Consider as part of Community Governance Review 2012. The pub was used as a polling station until 2004.
BY1	DEDDINGTON - HEMPTON	HEMPTON MEETING ROOM	1	225	parking congested and busy road		
BZ1	DRAYTON	DRAYTON VILLAGE HALL	1	219		<i>Drayton Parish Council:</i> Very happy with the polling station and would resist changing the polling area. The polling station is needed in the village because a lot of the residents from Glebefields use the hall to vote	

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CA1	DUNS TEW	DUNS TEW VILLAGE HALL	1	401			
CB1	EPWELL	EPWELL VILLAGE HALL	1	254	Polling station excellent however there is a problem with mobile coverage. Mobile phones doesn't work properly in the whole village - maybe it's possible to arrange some 'special coverage' mobile phone for the use of the station for later years.		No scheduled elections in 2012 CDC confirm that polling station staff will be alerted to issues re mobile signal.
CC1	FINMERE	FINMERE VILLAGE HALL	1	365	Very pleasant environment for electors and staff alike. Query disabled access through external door.		No scheduled elections in 2012. CDC will conduct site visit to check disabled access.
CD1	FRINGFORD	FRINGFORD VILLAGE HALL	1	487	Very good venue.		
CE1	FRTWELL	FRTWELL VILLAGE HALL	1	532		<i>Fritwell Parish Council:</i> The Polling Station currently used by electors in Fritwell is more than adequate for the purpose. It is within walking distance of all residents, there is ample parking space for both staff manning the Polling Station and those casting their votes. There is access and toilet facilities for the disabled.	
CF1	GODINGTON	STRATTON AUDLEY MEETING ROOM	1	28			
CG1	HANWELL	HANWELL VILLAGE HALL	1	227			
CH1	HARDWICK WITH TUSMORE	ST MARY THE VIRGIN CHURCH	1	57			
CI1	HETHE	HETHE VILLAGE HALL	1	233			
CJ1	HOOK NORTON	HOOK NORTON MEMORIAL HALL	1	1685		<i>Hook Norton Parish Council:</i> The Polling Station used in Hook Norton is the Memorial Hall which is a comparatively large building ideal for the purpose. It is mobility impaired accessible, has kitchen and toilet facilities for the use of polling staff and can accommodate several polling booths quite easily. Alternatives are the Baptist Hall (smaller and not easy to park) or Primary School	
CK1	HORLEY	OLD SCHOOL HORLEY	1	266	Need more road signage as difficult to locate.		No scheduled elections in 2012. Signage requirements noted.
CL1	HORNTON	HORNTON METHODIST CHURCH	1	270	mobile phone signal is not very good, so contact is quite difficult. Query disabled access through side entrance	<i>Hornon Parish Council:</i> The Methodist Church remains the most appropriate Polling Station, being central with car parking and disabled access. The only alternative is Hornon Sports Pavilion but this is towards the outskirts of the village and is approached by a fairly steep slope. There is car parking.	No scheduled elections in 2012. CDC confirm that polling station staff will be alerted to issues re mobile signal. Site visit will be conducted to check disabled access.

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CM1	LAUNTON	LAUNTON PARISH HALL	1	929		<i>Launton Parish Council:</i> The existing location - The Parish Hall - seems ideally suited to the purpose having parking immediately behind the building and access for wheelchair as well as able bodied users. There are also toilets and catering facilities available onsite. The only alternative venue that may be suitable is the function room of the Launton Sports and Social Club, however this is a licensed premises which may preclude its use in that context.	
CN1	LOWER HEYFORD	LOWER HEYFORD SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB	1	400			
CO1	MIDDLE ASTON	STEEPLE ASTON VILLAGE HALL	1	96		<i>Middle Aston Parish Meeting:</i> Confirm that elections in Middle Aston are entirely happy with Steeple Aston Village Hall as our polling station - it is close to our village, has good parking and disabled access. We do not believe any alternative location would be as suitable.	
CP1	MIDDLETON STONEY	MIDDLETON STONEY VILLAGE HALL	1	249	Limited parking.	<i>Middleton Stoney Parish Council:</i> Confirm that the current Polling Station at Middleton Stoney Village Hall is centrally located and within walking distance for the majority of electors. It has adequate disabled access and car parking. In our opinion there is no other suitable alternative location within the Parish. Parking is not an issue - <i>Ward Cllr</i>	
CQ1	MILCOMBE	MILCOMBE VILLAGE HALL	1	488	Mobile doorbell in use for disabled access.	<i>Milcombe Parish Council:</i> Village Hall is at the centre of the village on a level road with layby opposite and level disabled access suitable for wheelchairs and mobility impaired. Main entrance has one step clearly marked (no internal steps). Village Hall has light on entrance and streetlight at side. Internally there is adequate space for size of village, adequate lighting, kitchen and toilet facilities, central heating and padded chairs. No telephone.	
CR1	MILTON	MILTON MEETING ROOM	1	143	No wheelchair access. Room full of furniture. No catering facilities for staff.		No scheduled elections in 2012. CDC will conduct site review re disabled access and facilities.
CS1	MIXBURY	MOBILE STATION MIXBURY	1	205		August 2011 - site meeting undertaken with Parish Meeting representatives. Bus stop to be erected at previous site for mobile station.	No scheduled elections in 2012. CDC checking land ownership of alternative area outside church gates. Fall back position would be to use the parish church.
CT1	MOLLINGTON	MOLLINGTON VILLAGE HALL	1	408		<i>These premises are ideal being the only place in the village for events and voting. There are no access issues and no alternative premises - Ward Cllr.</i>	
CU1	NEWTON PURCELL WITH SHELSWELL	FINMERE VILLAGE HALL	1	71			

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CV1	NORTH ASTON	NORTH ASTON BAKE HOUSE	1	164	Very cold room and very small giving limited access. Room full of furniture. Limited parking.		No scheduled elections in 2012. CDC will conduct site review re parking, access and facilities.
CW1	NORTH NEWINGTON	MOBILE STATION AT BISHOP CARPENTER SCHOOL	1	263			
CX1	PIDDINGTON	PIDDINGTON VILLAGE HALL	1	286	No handrail		Scheduled election in 2012. CDC will conduct site visit to review access.
CY1	PRESCOTE	CROPREDY VILLAGE HALL	1	9		See BV1	
CZ1	SHENINGTON WITH ALKERTON	SHENINGTON VILLAGE HALL	1	346	Mobile doorbell in use for disabled access.		
DA1	SHUTTORD	THE GEORGE AND DRAGON	1	389	poor phone signal	Shufford Parish Council: Happy with the polling station & would oppose any attempt to change the polling area or merge polling stations	CDC confirm that polling station staff are informed of facilities available prior to appointment.
DB1	SIBFORD FERRIS	SIBFORD GOWER VILLAGE HALL	1	373		Sibford Gower Parish Council: considers that Sibford Gower Village Hall is very satisfactory for Polling purposes	
DC1	SIBFORD GOWER	SIBFORD GOWER VILLAGE HALL	1	412			
DD1	SOMERTON	BARNES MEMORIAL HALL	1	245	The nicest place I have worked on polling duties by far.		
DE1	SOULDERN	SOULDERN VILLAGE HALL	1	321			
DF1	SOUTH NEWINGTON	SOUTH NEWINGTON VILLAGE HALL	1	246		South Newington Parish Council: The hall has level access from the pavement to the interior of the building, ample space for the polling equipment and a kitchen and toilets. The hall is within walking distance for the majority the electors (c90%). There is sufficient on-road parking for electors and any electoral officials from outside the village. The village hall is a convenient and suitable polling place and recommends that there should be no change to polling place.	
DG1	STEEPLE ASTON	STEEPLE ASTON VILLAGE HALL	1	757	Query disabled access and which room to use.		No scheduled elections in 2012. CDC will conduct site review re parking, access and facilities.
DH1	STOKE LYNE	STOKE LYNE PARISH ROOM	1	199			
DI1	STRATTON AUDLEY	STRATTON AUDLEY MEETING ROOM	1	318			

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DU1	SWALCLIFFE	SWALCLIFFE VILLAGE HALL	1	176	really have no criticism of this venue. Adequate parking – friendly and helpful keyholder – good sized spacious hall recently renovated – tables and chairs left out for us – easy to use and adequate heating – reasonable loos – brilliant kitchen better equipped than at home – I can have access the night before and set up. My only criticism I have is one is that they walls are recently decorated and are stippled so impossible to blue tack or sellotape notices.		No scheduled election in 2012. CDC have noted need for free standing notice board.
DK1	TADMARTON	TADMARTON VILLAGE HALL	1	479			
DL1	UPPER HEYFORD	UPPER HEYFORD VILLAGE HALL	1	949			
DM1	WARDINGTON	THE VILLAGE HALL	1	442		<i>The Village Hall is currently closed for renovation and in May's election, the Church was used instead. The hall will be the obvious venue choice for future elections but it is difficult to predict when the VH will be available for such purpose given funding and building work schedules. In the meantime, the Church is the best alternative venue and is currently being used by the village for community events - Ward Cllr.</i>	No scheduled election in 2012. Situation will be kept under review.
DN1	WENDLEBURY	WENDLEBURY VILLAGE HALL	1	323			
DO1	WIGGINTON	WIGGINTON PARISH HALL	1	168			
DP1	WROXTON	WROXTON VILLAGE HALL	1	468		<i>Whilst we understand the need to reduce the costs, the Parish of Wroxton is comprised of 2 villages, 2 miles apart. The existing Village Hall in Wroxton has, for many years, served as the Polling Station, but now the village of Balscote has its own Village Hall, and the Parish Council would be pleased to have this new facility added to the list of Polling Stations, as many Balscote residents have, over the years, had to rely on offers of help or found attendance at Wroxton impossible.</i>	No scheduled election in 2012. Review possibility of separate polling station in Balscote village hall as part of 2012 Community Governance Review.
HA1	BLETCHINGDON	BLETCHINGDON VILLAGE HALL	1	667		<i>Bletchington Parish Council: Village Hall is the ideal place for being used as a Polling Station and we cannot suggest an alternative location</i>	
HB1	CHARLTON-ON-OTMOOR	CHARLTON ON OTMOOR COMMUNITY HALL	1	333	Room a little on the small side and busy on road parking		No scheduled elections in 2012. CDC will keep under review.
HC1	FENCOTT AND MURCOTT	FENCOTT AND MURCOTT VILLAGE HALL	1	213			
HD1	HAMPTON GAY & POYLE	BLETCHINGDON VILLAGE HALL	1	124			

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HE1	HORTON-CUM-STUDLEY	HORTON-CUM-STUDLEY MILLENNIUM HALL	1	380			
HF1	ISLIP	ISLIP VILLAGE HALL	1	523			
HG1	KIRTLINGTON	KIRTLINGTON VILLAGE HALL	1	742			
HH1	MERTON	MERTON VILLAGE HALL	1	312			
HI1	NOKE	THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST GILES	1	106	Concern about external lighting and cold	Parish meeting has suggested use of private property as alternative to parish church.	No scheduled elections in 2012. CDC to undertake site visit to establish suitability of private home as polling station.
HJ1	ODDINGTON	CHARLTON ON OTMOOR COMMUNITY HALL	1	101			
HK1	WESTON-ON-THE-GREEN	WESTON-ON-THE-GREEN VILLAGE HALL	1	436			
HL1	BEBROKE NO 1	BEBROKE VILLAGE HALL	1	633		Begbroke Parish Council: Much improvement in terms of car parking surface, replacement doors and windows, false ceiling and insulation and more has been carried out (with grant assistance from CDC and OCC). However, the front access ramp and toilets, could be improved to comply with DDA requirements and this is part of the future hall planning.	
KB1	GOSFORD AND WATER EATON	KIDLINGTON AND GOSFORD SPORTS CENTRE FUNCTION ROOM	1	1032		Yarnton, Gosford & Water Eaton Parish Council: polling stations are OK	
KC1	KIDLINGTON NORTH NO 1	KIDLINGTON BAPTIST CHURCH	2	2177	The public commented on it positively especially because it meant that the schools weren't affected.	Yarnton, Gosford & Water Eaton Parish Council: polling stations are OK	
KD1	KIDLINGTON NORTH NO 2	MOBILE STATION AT LYNE ROAD	2	1832	Some complaints about lack of parking at busy times		This is the only suitable location within the polling district. Parking at previous polling station (outside polling district) was also congested at busy times.
KE1	KIDLINGTON SOUTH NO 1	KIDLINGTON YOUTH	1	1639			
KF1	KIDLINGTON SOUTH NO 2	KIDLINGTON METHODIST CHURCH HALL	1	886			
KG1	KIDLINGTON SOUTH NO 3	THE CHURCH OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST	2	2430	Welfare facilities for staff were limited with no microwave or oven to heat food		CDC confirm that polling station staff are informed of facilities available prior to appointment.
KH1	KIDLINGTON SOUTH NO 4	EXETER HALL	1	1377			
KI1	SHIPTON-ON-CHERWELL & THRUPP NO 1	SHIPTON MILLENNIUM HALL	1	288	Very - clean, comfortable, warm, good facilities	Yarnton, Gosford & Water Eaton Parish Council: polling stations are OK	

KJ1	YARNTON	YARNTON VILLAGE HALL	1	2039	Yarnton, Gosford & Water Eaton Parish Council; polling stations are OK	
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