

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH ACT 2007

The Test Valley (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2018

Made 31 October 2018

Coming into force in accordance with article 1

Test Valley Borough Council (“the council”), in accordance with section 82 of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 (“the 2007 Act”), has undertaken a community governance review and made recommendations dated 5 September 2018:

The council has received the agreement of the Local Government Boundary Commission for England pursuant to section 86(3) of the 2007 Act in respect of those recommendations which affect protected electoral arrangements (as defined therein):

The council has decided to give effect to those recommendations and, in accordance with section 93 of the 2007 Act, has consulted with the local government electors and other interested persons and has had regard to the need to secure that community governance reflects the identities and interests of the community and is effective and convenient:

This Order takes account of the changes to borough ward boundaries effected by the 2018 order (as defined below):

The council, in accordance with section 100 of the 2007 Act, has had regard to guidance issued under that section:

The council makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 86, 98(3), 98(4) and 240(10) of the 2007 Act.

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Test Valley (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2018.

(2) Subject to paragraphs (3) and (4) below, this Order comes into force on 1st April 2019.

(3) Articles 4, 5(2), 6(7), 7 and 8 shall come into force on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2019.

(4) For the purposes of:

- (a) this article, and
- (b) proceedings preliminary or relating to the elections of parish councillors for any parish within the borough of Test Valley, to be held on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2019,

this Order shall come into force on the day after that on which it is made.

Interpretation

2. In this Order—

“2018 order” means the Test Valley (Electoral Changes) Order 2018 (SI 2018 No. 36);

“borough” means the borough of Test Valley;

“county” means the county of Hampshire;

“existing” means:-

(i) in respect of ward arrangements set out in Article 4 of and Schedule 2 to the 2018 Order, as will be in existence on the ordinary day of election of councillors in England and Wales in 2019;

(ii) in respect of all other matter, existing on the date this Order is made;

“LGBCE” means the Local Government Boundary Commission for England;

“map” means the map comprised of a number of sheets each marked “Map referred to in the borough of Test Valley (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2018” and deposited in accordance with section 96(4) of the 2007 Act: and any reference to a numbered sheet is a reference to the sheet of the map which bears that number;

“ordinary day of election of councillors” has the meaning given by section 37 of the Representation of the People Act 1983; and

“registration officer” means an officer appointed for the purpose of, and in accordance with, section 8(c) of the Representation of the People Act 1983.

Effect of Order

3. — (1) This Order has effect subject to any agreement under section 99 (agreements about incidental matters) of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 relevant to any provision of this Order.

(2) Where any provision of this Order conflicts with the 2018 order, the provisions of this Order shall prevail.

(3) Save as set out in this Order the existing parishes in the borough of Test Valley, and the existing names, boundaries, council size groupings and other parish governance arrangements in respect of those parishes, shall remain as existing.

Abolition of Wards of the parishes of Abbots Ann, Andover, Enham Alamein, Michelmersh and Timsbury, Smannell, and Romsey Extra

4.—The existing wards of the parishes of Abbots Ann, Andover, Enham Alamein, Michelmersh and Timsbury, Smannell, and Romsey Extra shall be abolished.

Alteration of parish areas and the areas of parish wards

5.—(1) Each area coloured and designated on the sheet specified in column (1) of Schedule 1 by a letter specified in column (2) of Schedule 1 shall cease to be part of the parish specified in relation to that area in column (3) of the Schedule and shall become part of the parish specified in relation to that area in column (4) of Schedule 1.

(2) Each area coloured and designated on the sheet specified in column (1) of Schedule 1 by a letter specified in column (2) of Schedule 1 shall become part of the parish ward specified in relation to that area in column (5) of Schedule 1.

Grouping or de-grouping parishes

Adding the parish of Buckholt to the West Tytherley and Frenchmoor group of parishes under the West Tytherley and Frenchmoor Common Parish Council

6.—(1) The parish of Buckholt shall be added to the West Tytherley and Frenchmoor group of parishes under the West Tytherley and Frenchmoor Common Parish Council.

(2) The name of the group shall be “The West Tytherley, Frenchmoor and Buckholt Group of Parishes”.

(3) The name of the common parish council shall be “The Common Parish Council of West Tytherley, Frenchmoor and Buckholt”.

(4) To preserve the separate rights of each parish the common parish council shall be deemed to be a separate parish council for each parish in the group for the purposes of section 79 of the

Charities Act 1993 (parochial charities) and any provisions of the Local Government Act 1972 with respect to the custody of parish documents.

(5) Elections of all parish councillors for the Common Parish Council of West Tytherley, Frenchmoor and Buckholt shall be held on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2019.

(6) None of the parishes comprised in the Common Parish Council of West Tytherley, Frenchmoor and Buckholt shall be divided into wards.

(7) The number of councillors to be elected for each parish within the West Tytherley, Frenchmoor and Buckholt Group of Parishes shall be the number specified in respect of the parish in column (2) of Schedule 2.

Number of parish councillors for the parishes of Abbots Ann, Ampfield, Enham Alamein, Michelmersh and Timsbury, Romsey Extra and Smannell

7.—The number of councillors to be elected for the parishes of Abbots Ann, Ampfield, Enham Alamein, Michelmersh and Timsbury, Romsey Extra and Smannell shall be the number specified in respect of the parish in column (2) of Schedule 3.

Wards of the parish of Andover and numbers of parish councillors

8.—(1) The parish of Andover shall be divided into 6 wards which shall be named as set out in column (1) of Schedule 4.

(2) Each ward shall comprise the area designated on sheet 21 by reference to the name of the ward and demarcated by blue lines.

(3) Millway parish ward will exclude the area designated “BB” on sheet 22 and coloured blue

(4) Winton parish ward shall include the area designated “BB” on sheet 22 and coloured blue.

(5) The number of councillors to be elected for each ward shall be the number specified in respect of the ward in column (2) of Schedule 4.

Electoral register

9.—The registration officer for the borough shall make such rearrangement of, or adaptation of, the register of local government electors as may be necessary for the purposes of, and in consequence of, this Order.

Transitional provision

10.—Until Article 5(2) comes into force, those areas coloured and designated on the sheet specified in column (1) of Schedule 5 by a letter specified in column (2) of Schedule 5 shall be part of the parish ward specified in relation to that area in column (3) of Schedule 5.

Order date

11.—1st April 2019 is the order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) (England) Regulations 2008.

Sealed with the seal of the council on the 31st day of OCTOBER 2018

In the presence of:- *Karen D...*

Authorised Officer Signatory



ALTERATION OF AREAS OF PARISHES AND PARISH WARDS

<i>Column (1)</i>	<i>Column (2)</i>	<i>Column (3)</i>	<i>Column (4)</i>	<i>Column (5)</i>
<i>Sheet</i>	<i>Area</i>	<i>Parish from which omitted</i>	<i>Parish to which added</i>	<i>Parish ward to which added</i>
1	"A"	Enham Alamein	Andover	Romans
1	"B"	Smannell	Andover	Romans
2	"C"	Abbotts Ann	Andover	Millway
3	"D"	Andover	Abbotts Ann	Not applicable
4	"E1"	Andover	Upper Clatford	Not applicable
4	"E2"	Andover	Upper Clatford	Not applicable
4	"E3"	Goodworth Clatford	Andover	St Mary's
4	"E4"	Upper Clatford	Andover	Winton
5	"F"	Andover	Charlton	Not applicable
6	"G"	Tangley	Charlton	Not applicable
7	"H"	Penton Grafton	Appleshaw	Not applicable
8	"I"	Quarley	Grateley	Not applicable
9	"J"	Barton Stacey	Longparish	Not applicable
9	"K"	Barton Stacey	Wherwell	Not applicable
10	"L"	Wellow	Melchet Park and Plaitford	Not applicable
11	"M"	Sherfield English	Melchet Park and Plaitford	Not applicable
12	"N"	Romsey Extra	Awbridge	Not applicable
12	"O"	Romsey Extra	Awbridge	Not applicable
13	"P"	Romsey Extra	Awbridge	Not applicable
14	"Q"	Wellow	Romsey Extra	Not applicable
15	"R"	Ampfield	Braishfield	Not applicable
16	"S"	Romsey Extra	Ampfield	Not applicable
16	"T"	Romsey Extra	Ampfield	Not applicable
16	"U"	Romsey Extra	Ampfield	Not applicable
16	"V"	Romsey Extra	Ampfield	Not applicable
16	"W"	Romsey Extra	Ampfield	Not applicable
17	"X"	Romsey Extra	Braishfield	Not applicable
18	"Y"	North Baddesley	Valley Park	North
19	"Z"	Chilworth	North Baddesley	Not applicable
20	"AA"	Nether Wallop	Over Wallop	Over Wallop

COMMON PARISH COUNCIL OF WEST TYTHERLEY, FRENCHMOOR AND BUCKHOLT

NUMBERS OF COUNCILLORS BY PARISH

<i>Column (1)</i>	<i>Column (2)</i>
<i>Parish</i>	<i>Number of Councillors</i>
Buckholt	1
Frenchmoor	1
West Tytherley	6

SCHEDULE 3

article 7

NUMBER OF PARISH COUNCILLORS FOR THE PARISHES OF ABBOTTS ANN, AMPFIELD, ENHAM ALAMEIN, MICHELMERSH AND TIMSBURY, ROMSEY EXTRA AND SMANNELL

<i>Column (1)</i>	<i>Column (2)</i>
<i>Parish</i>	<i>Number of Councillors</i>
Abbots Ann	7
Ampfield	9
Enham Alamein	7
Michelmersh and Timsbury	7
Romsey Extra	7
Smannell	7

SCHEDULE 4

article 8

WARDS OF THE PARISH OF ANDOVER

<i>Column (1)</i>	<i>Column (2)</i>
<i>Ward</i>	<i>Number of Councillors</i>
Downlands	2
Harroway	3
Millway	3
Romans	3
St. Mary's	3
Winton	2

SCHEDULE 5

article 10

TRANSITIONAL WARDING ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE PARISHES OF ANDOVER AND OVER WALLOP

<i>Column (1)</i>	<i>Column (2)</i>	<i>Column (3)</i>
<i>Sheet</i>	<i>Area</i>	<i>Parish ward to which added (transitional)</i>
1	"A"	Alamein
1	"B"	Alamein
2	"C"	Millway
4	"E3"	Winton
4	"E4"	Winton
20	"AA"	Over Wallop

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order gives effect to recommendations made by Test Valley Borough Council for the alteration of the area of the parishes of Abbots Ann, Ampfield, Andover, Appleshaw, Awbridge, Barton Stacey, Braishfield, Charlton, Chilworth, Enham Alamein, Goodworth Clatford, Grateley, Longparish, Melchet Park and Plaitford, Nether Wallop, North Baddesley, Over Wallop, Penton Grafton, Quarley, Romsey, Romsey Extra, Sherfield English, Smannell, Tangle, Upper Clatford, Upper Clatford, Upper Clatford, Valley Park, Wellow, Wellow, and Wherwell (article 5), and the parish of Buckholt to be grouped under a common parish council with the parishes of West Tytherley and Frenchmoor (article 6).

Article 4 of the Order abolishes all parish wards (except those in Over Wallop, Romsey and Valley Park).

Article 7 specifies the numbers of parish councillors for the parishes of Abbots Ann, Ampfield, Enham Alamein, Michelmersh and Timsbury, Romsey Extra and Smannell.

Article 8 and sheet 21 of the map establish the names and areas of the wards of the parish of Andover and the numbers of councillors for each ward.

Article 9 obliges the Electoral Registration Officer to make any necessary amendments to the electoral register to reflect the new electoral arrangements.

Article 10 provides for transitional arrangements between 1 April 2019 and the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2019 (2 May 2019) in respect of areas within altered parishes which are added to the areas of parishes which are already warded.

The map defined in article 2 is available, at all reasonable times, at the offices of Test Valley Borough Council.