

Record of Officer Decision

Review of Electoral Arrangements - Submission by Torbay Council on Warding Patterns

Decision Taker and Date Decision Taken:

Assistant Director Corporate and Business Services on 14 August 2017

Summary of Matter or Issue Requiring Decision:

At the extraordinary Council meeting held on 8 August 2017, the Council approved the proposed changes to Warding Patterns set out in the submitted report - Council Minute 71/8/17, extract below:

- (i) that the Proposed Changes to Warding Patterns – Submission by Torbay Council set out in Appendices 1 and 5 to the submitted report be approved for submission to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England;
- (ii) that the Assistant Director Corporate and Business Services be requested to redraw the 15 Ward maps using GIS to show the changes to the warding patterns reflected in Appendices 1 and 5 to the submitted report; and
- (iii) that the Assistant Director Corporate and Business Services be authorised to make any technical amendments to address any anomalies identified when redrawing the Ward maps.

The final ward maps have been produced together with the final submission which have been signed off by the Assistant Director Corporate and Business Services and are attached to this record of decision.

Decision Taken:

That the final submission by Torbay Council on Warding Patterns as attached to this record of decision be approved for submission to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England.

Summary of Reason(s) for Decision Taken:

To approve the Council's final submission on Warding Patterns.

Summary of Alternatives or Options considered and rejected and Background Papers:

None

Details of any conflict of interest and dispensation granted to the Officer taking the decision or by any Member of the Council in delegating responsibility for any specific express delegation:

None

Implementation:

This decision may be implemented immediately.

A copy of this decision and any supporting documentation considered by the Officer taking this decision may also be available for inspection by the public at the Council's offices or posted upon payment of any copying and postage charges. Any member of the public wishing to take up either of these options is asked to please ring (01803) 207087 or email governance.support@torbay.gov.uk

Signed: _____
Assistant Director Corporate and Business Services

Date: 14 August 2017