

Benchmarking Information for Boundary Review for the Number of Councillors in Torbay

Council	Type of Authority (Unitary/District/County)	Population	Total Number of Councillors	Number of Councillors Per Ward	Average Number of Electors Per Councillor	Number of Wards
Torbay	Unitary Mayoral	130,959	36	2 or 3	3,638	15
Bath and NE Somerset	Unitary	176,016	65	1, 2 or 3	2,708	37
Bedford	Unitary Mayoral	157,479	40	1 or 2	3,937	27
Bournemouth	Unitary	183,491	53	3	3,462	18
Bristol	Unitary Mayoral	428,234	70	2	6,118	35
Devon County	County	748,357	62	1	12,070	62
Doncaster	District Mayoral	302,402	55	2 or 3	5,498	21
Exeter	Unitary	117,773	40	2 or 3	2,944	18
Hackney	London Borough Mayoral	246,270	57	2 or 3	4,321	21
Hartlepool	Unitary	92,028	33	3	2,789	11
Lewisham	London Borough Mayoral	275,885	55	3	5,016	18
Mansfield	District Mayoral	104,466	36	1	2,902	36
Middlesbrough	Unitary Mayoral	138,412	46	1, 2 or 3	3,009	20
Newham	London Borough Mayoral	307,984	60	3	5,133	20
North Somerset	North Somerset	202,566	50	1 or 2	4,051	35
North Tyneside	District Mayoral	200,801	60	3	3,347	20
Plymouth	Unitary	256,384	57	2 or 3	4,498	20
Poole	Unitary	147,645	42	2 or 3	3,515	16
South Gloucestershire	Unitary	262,767	70	1, 2 or 3	3,754	35
South Hams	District	83,140	31	1, 2 or 3	2,682	20
Swindon	Unitary	209,156	57	1, 2 or 3	3,669	20
Teignbridge	District	124,220	46	1, 2 or 3	2,700	25
Watford	Borough Mayoral	90,301	36	3	2,508	12

A Chart to show the number of Councillors in each authority

