

Meeting: Council

Date: 27 October 2016

Wards Affected: All Wards

Report Title: Town Councils

Is the decision a key decision? Yes

When does the decision need to be implemented?

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1. Proposal and Introduction

1.1 The Assistant Director of Corporate and Business Services was requested to submit a report to Full Council for Members to consider whether or not the Council should conduct a Community Governance Review which could lead to the creation of town councils in Paignton and Torquay.

2. Reason for Proposal

2.1 To make a decision on the holding of a Community Governance Review in Torbay.

3. Recommendation(s) / Proposed Decision

3.1 That the Council conducts a Community Governance Review following the conclusion of the electoral review of Torbay's electoral boundaries being carried out by the Local Government Boundary Commission for England.

Appendices

Appendix 1: Supporting Information and Impact Assessment

Background Documents

Department for Communities and Local Government/Local Government Boundary Commission for England Guidance on Community Governance Reviews -

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/8312/1527635.pdf