

Mr Vic Allison
Chief Executive
Malvern Hills District Council
The Council House
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28 June 2022

Dear Mr Allison,

ELECTORAL REVIEW OF MALVERN HILLS: FURTHER DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

The Local Government Boundary Commission for England has opened an additional public consultation on its further draft recommendations for new electoral arrangements in Malvern Hills District Council.

The consultation opens today (28 June) and closes on 8 August 2022.

The Commission has decided to carry out an extra period of consultation, in response to local feedback, which opposed our proposals in several areas of the district.

Once the Commission has considered all the responses to the consultation, we aim to publish final recommendations in September 2022. We will then lay a draft order in both Houses of Parliament under the negative resolution procedure. Subject to parliamentary scrutiny, the new electoral arrangements are scheduled to come into effect at the district elections in 2023.

All information relating to the further draft recommendations is available on our website. The Commission's report on its further draft recommendations can also be found at:
www.lgbce.org.uk.

Interactive maps of the proposals are also posted on the Commission's consultation portal at: <https://consultation.lgbce.org.uk>. The portal also allows visitors to submit comments and alternative proposals.

Publicising the consultation

I would be grateful if you could bring the consultation to the attention of elected members, particularly those in the areas affected.

We have also provided information on this further consultation directly to local councils and community organisations as well as notifying local press and media.

I would be grateful if you could also take steps to bring the further draft recommendations to the attention of the public and interested parties. Please include details of the consultation:

Local Government Boundary Commission for England, 1st Floor, Windsor House, 50 Victoria Street, London, SW1H 0TL

Tel: 0330 500 1525; Fax: 0330 500 1526; reviews@lgbce.org.uk; www.lgbce.org.uk

- On your website;
- Promote the consultation through social media and;
- Use any other channels you would normally employ to engage residents in local consultations (newsletters, press releases, publications etc.)

The Commission would be happy to provide information and/or copy to help you promote the consultation locally.

Correspondence and enquiries

Correspondence relating to the review – and consultation responses - should be addressed to:

Review Officer (Malvern Hills)
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Responses to the consultation can also be made directly through our specialist consultation portal: <https://consultation.lgbce.org.uk>.

Further information on electoral reviews can also be found at our main website at: www.lgbce.org.uk.

Your direct contacts for the review:

- Ben Meredeen, Review Officer, with specific responsibility for the day-to-day running of the review.
- Richard Buck, Review Manager, leads the team dealing with this and other electoral reviews.

Yours sincerely



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