LICHFIELD DISTRICT COUNCILNotice of Polling Districts and Polling Places Review

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with Section 18C of the Representation of the People Act 1983 that Lichfield District Council (the Council) is to carry out a review of its polling districts and polling places.

Relevant information regarding the current arrangements and proposals for changes can be found on the Council’s website: <https://www.lichfielddc.gov.uk/custom/consultations/view/69>

The (Acting) Returning Officer ((A)RO) for the Parliamentary constituencies will comment on the proposals. Those representations will be published on the Council’s website and will be available for inspection at Lichfield District Council, District Council House, Frog Lane, Lichfield, WS13 6YU.

Electors within the District Council area or within a UK Parliamentary constituency which has any part in the authority may make a representation. We invite comments from all electors regarding the convenience of voting at polling stations currently used for elections and would welcome suggestions for alternative sites.

The Council would also welcome the views of all residents, particularly disabled residents, or any person or body with expertise in access for persons with any type of disability, on the proposals, RO’s representations or any other related matters.

Anybody making representations should, if possible, give alternative places that may be used as polling places.

Comments and representations may be submitted as follows:

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| Online feedback form | Via:  <https://www.lichfielddc.gov.uk/custom/consultations/view/69> |
| Paper feedback form | Available at reception:  District Council House  Frog Lane  Lichfield  Staffordshire  WS13 6YU |
| By post | Addressed to:  Electoral Services  Lichfield District Council  District Council House  Frog Lane  Lichfield  Staffordshire  WS13 6YU |

All representations must be made by no later than **22 October 2024.**

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| **Timetable** | |
| **Date** |  |
| 10 September 2024 | Formal notice of review |
| 10 September 2024 | Publication of Returning Officer’s comments |
| 10 September 2024 | Commencement of public consultation period |
| 22 October 2024 | End of 6-week public consultation period |
| 19 November 2024 | Proposals considered by Regulatory & Licensing Committee |
| 10 December 2024 | Final proposals considered by Full Council |
| 31 January 2025 | Deadline to publish revised register of electors and polling stations |

The outcome of this review will be published by the Council in January 2025 and will be available for inspection on the Council’s website and District Council House, Frog Lane, Lichfield, WS13 6YU.

Anybody making representations should be aware that, upon completion of the review, all correspondence and representations received must, by law, also be published.

Dated: 10 September 2024

**Simon Fletcher**

Returning Officer

Lichfield District Council