

Cheshire West & Chester Council

Publication of final recommendations for the Community Governance reviews of Byley parish

Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007

As part of the current Community Governance Review of Byley parish, under the terms of reference published on 31 January 2014, the Community Governance Review Committee of Cheshire West and Chester Council has made the following final recommendations to be subject to a further final period of consultation prior to being agreed by Council:

That:

- 1) the parish of Byley should not be abolished and that its area should not be altered;
- 2) the name of the parish should not be altered;
- 3) the parish should not have a parish council;
- 4) no new parish should be constituted through the aggregation of part of Byley parish with another or amalgamation of the whole of Byley parish with another;
- 5) no grouping provision be made in relation to Byley parish; and
- 6) the community governance arrangements for Byley parish be revisited under a new community governance review in advance of the local elections scheduled to take place in 2019.

Reasons for the recommendation

To enable completion of the community governance review of Byley parish in accordance with the timescales set within statutory guidance and to enable a more thorough consideration of the options relating to the future community governance of Byley parish in conjunction with local electors through the annual Parish Meeting.

Next steps

All residents and any other persons or organisations wishing to make representations on the draft recommendations may do so in writing to the Partnerships Team, Cheshire West and Chester Council, Goldsmith House, Hamilton Place, Chester, CH1 1SE. Alternatively, representations may be submitted by email to partnershipsandareaworking@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk quoting 'Community Governance Review – Byley' in the Subject field.

The deadline for receipt of comments is midnight on 28 September 2014.

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