

# Cheshire West & Chester Council

## **Publication of revised final recommendations for the Community Governance review of Christleton parish**

### **Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007**

As part of the current Community Governance Review of Christleton parish, under the terms of reference published on 31 May 2012, the Community Governance Review Committee of Cheshire West and Chester Council has made the following revised final recommendations to be subject to a further final period of consultation prior to being agreed by Council:

That:

- 1) the boundary of the existing parish of Christleton be redrawn to the north at Wicker Lane / Tarvin Road/ Stamford Lane and across to Little Heath Road to transfer the properties of Heathfield; Stamford Lodge; the old Nursery site; Vicars Cross Golf Club; and Littleton Old Hall from Christleton parish to Littleton parish;
- 2) the boundary of the existing parish of Christleton be redrawn to the west at the A41 to transfer the properties of Greenfield Lock Cottage; 2 – 24 Ring Road; 1 – 32 Greystone Road; 23 – 58 Toll Bar Road; 89 – 125 Whitchurch Road; The Old Glass House (60 Whitchurch Road); The Bungalow - Beechmoor Nurseries; and 1 – 3 Bodafon Villas from Great Boughton parish to Christleton parish;
- 3) the existing parish of Christleton be amalgamated with Cotton Edmunds parish to constitute a new parish comprising the area of Christleton and Cotton Edmunds parishes;
- 4) the new parish shall be known as Christleton;
- 5) in consequence of recommendation (3), the existing parishes of Christleton and Cotton Edmunds shall cease to exist;
- 6) there shall be a parish council for the new parish of Christleton;
- 7) the local council for the new parish shall adopt the style of “parish”;
- 8) the new parish shall not be warded;
- 9) the parish council for the parish of Christleton consist of ten members; and
- 10) a Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order be prepared in accordance with the above recommendations and that the Order be effective from 1 April 2015 save for those recommendations relating to parish electoral arrangements which shall come into force on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2015.

**N.B. The above revised final recommendations replace those previously agreed by Council on 12 December 2013.**



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## Reasons for the recommendation

To enable completion of the community governance review of Christleton and Cotton Edmunds parishes in accordance with the timescales set within statutory guidance and in line with local preference; to determine more appropriate parish boundaries which better reflect the identities and interests of local residents; and to enable more effective and appropriate community governance arrangements for the local electorate.

## 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](mailto:partnershipsandareaworking@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk) quoting 'Community Governance Review – Christleton' in the Subject field.

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

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