The Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Huntington) Order 2019

Made 2019

Coming into force in accordance with article 1(2)

Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council ("the Council"), in accordance with section 82 of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 ("the 2007 Act"), has undertaken a community governance review and made recommendations dated 13th December 2018.

The Council has decided to give effect to those recommendations and, in accordance with section 93 of the 2007 Act, has consulted with the local government electors and other interested persons and has had regard to the need to secure that community governance reflects the identities and interests of the community and is effective and convenient.

The Council, in accordance with section 100 of the 2007 Act, has had regard to guidance issued under that section.

The Council makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 86, 98(3), 98(4) and 240(10) of the 2007 Act.

Citation and commencement

- (1) This Order may be cited as the Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Huntington) Order 2019.
 - (2) Subject to paragraphs (3) and (4) below, this Order shall come into force on 1st April 2019.
 - (3) Articles 5 and 6 shall come into force on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2019.
 - (4) For the purposes of:

- (a) this article, and
- (b) proceedings preliminary or relating to the election of parish councillors for the parish of Huntington, to be held on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2019, this Order shall come into force on the day after that on which it is made.

Interpretation

2. In this Order—

"borough" means the borough of Cheshire West and Chester;

"map" means the map marked "Huntington Parish Map 2019" and deposited in accordance with section 96(4) of the 2007 Act;

"ordinary day of election of councillors" has the meaning given by section 37 of the Representation of the People Act 1983; and "registration officer" means an officer appointed for the purpose of, and in accordance with, section 8 of the Representation of the People Act 1983.

Effect of Order

This Order has effect subject to any agreement under section 99 (agreements about incidental matters) of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 relevant to any provision of this Order.

Area affected by the Order

4. The area affected by this Order is shown on the map.

Number of parish councillors for the parish of Huntington

5. The number of councillors to be elected for the parish of Huntington shall be twelve.

Wards of the parish of Huntington and numbers of parish councillors

- **6.** (1) The parish of Huntington shall be divided into two wards which shall be named:
 - (a) Huntington West; and
 - (b) Huntington East.
 - (2) Each ward shall comprise the area designated on the map by reference to the name of the ward and demarcated by a blue line.
 - (3) The number of councillors to be elected for each ward shall be six.

Electoral register

7. The registration officer for the borough shall make such rearrangement of, or adaptation of, the register of local government electors as may be necessary for the purposes of, and in consequence of, this Order.

Order date

 1st April 2019 is the order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) (England) Regulations 2008.

The COMMON SEAL of CHESHIRE WEST AND CHESTER BOROUGH COUNCIL was hereunto affixed In the presence of

Authorised Signatory

Dated

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council has undertaken community governance reviews of parishes within the borough of Cheshire West and Chester and has made recommendations for the reorganisation of community governance to come into effect from 1st April 2019.

This Order gives effect to recommendations made by Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council in the community governance review for the parish of Huntington.

The parish of Huntington will be altered with effect from 1st April 2019. The electoral arrangements apply in respect of parish elections to be held on and after the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2019.

Article 5 specifies the number of councillors for the parish of Huntington.

Article 6 and the map establish the names and areas of the wards of the parish and the number of parish councillors for each ward.

Article 7 obliges the Electoral Registration Officer to make any necessary amendments to the electoral register to reflect the new electoral arrangements.

The map defined in article 2 shows the new wards for the parish of Huntington. It is available at all reasonable times at the offices of Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council.