LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH ACT 2007

The Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Croughton, Little Stanney, Stoke and Wervin) Order 2015

Made 30th March *2015*

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 16th October 2014.

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. (1) This Order may be cited as the Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Croughton, Little Stanney, Stoke and Wervin) Order 2015.

(2) Subject to paragraph (3) and (4) below, this Order shall come into force on 1st April 2015.

(3) Article 7 shall come into force on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2015.

(4) For the purposes of:

(a) this article, and

(b) proceedings preliminary or relating to the election of councillors for the common parish council for the parishes of Croughton, Little Stanney, Stoak and Wervin, to be held on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2015,

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;

"existing" means existing on the date this Order is made;

"map" means the map marked Croughton, Little Stanney, Stoak and Wervin Parishes Map 2015" 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

3. 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 the existing parishes of Croughton, Little Stanney, Stoke and Wervin as shown edged red on the map

Change of parish name

5. The name of the parish of Stoke shall be changed to Stoak.

Continued grouping of parishes under common parish council

6. The parishes of Croughton, Little Stanney, Stoak and Wervin shall continue to be grouped under the common Parish Council of Little Stanney and District.

Number of councillors

7. (1) The number of councillors to be elected for the parishes of Croughton, Little Stanney, Stoak and Wervin shall be eleven, as set out in paragraph (2) below.

(2) (a) Four councillors shall be elected for the parish of Little Stanney;

(b) One councillor shall be elected for the parish of Croughton;

(c) Three councillors shall be elected for the parish of Stoak; and

(d) Three councillors shall be elected for the parish of Wervin.

Electoral register

8. 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

9. 1st April 2015 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 30th March 2015

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council has undertaken community governance reviews of 161 existing 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 2015.

This Order gives effect to recommendations made by Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council in the community governance review for the parishes of Croughton, Little Stanney, Stoke and Wervin.

Article 5 changes the name of the parish of Stoke to Stoak.

Article 7 specifies the number of parish councillors for the parishes of Croughton, Little Stanney, Stoak, and Wervin.

Article 8 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 parishes of Croughton, Little Stanney, Stoak and Wervin. It is available, at all reasonable times, at the offices of Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council.

Croughton, Little Stanney, Stoak and Wervin Parishes Map 2015

Area affected by Reorganisation of Community Governance Order

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Cheshire West and Chester

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Plot Scale 1:16000 @A3

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LITTLE STANNEY CP

STOKE CP

CROUGHTON CP

WERVIN CP

CHORLTON-BY-BACKFORD CP

MOSTON CP

CAUGHALL CP

PICTON CP

Stanlow

Oil Refinery

Works

Weaver's Bridge

Stanney Mill Road

Stanney Mill Bridge

A5117

Cheshire Oaks Outlet Village

School

AQUARIUM

Stanney Lane

Sports Grounds

Stanney Wood

Little Stanney

Sewage Works

Mason's Bridge

Meadow Lane Bridge

Stoak Grange

Rake Hall

Sunnydale

Little Stanney Lane

Strawberry Farm

Whitby Lane

Heath Wood

Rosscroft

Poplarhall

Heath Lane

Stoak

Dension's Bridge

Stoke Bridge

Mill Brook

M56

Sheepfold

The Laurels

Rake Lane

Mount Farm

The Dungeon

The Groves

North Cheshire Way

Croughton

Croughton Cottage

Top Farm

M53

Ash Wood

Ashwood Ho

Ashwood Lane

Picton Lane

Axes Farm

Liverpool Road

A5032

Fairfield Farm House

Hospice

Backford Hall (Council Offices)

Medcote

Chorltonlodge Farm

Chorlton Hall

Backford

Lea by Backford

Lea Hall Farm

Collinge Farm

Collinge Wood

Friars Park

Backford Bridge

Backford Brook

Shropshire Union Canal

Towing Path

Pipe Line

Chapel (rems of)

Wervin

Wervin New Hall

Rock Bank

Caughall Bridge

Caughall Manor

Canalside Trail

Wervin Road

Woodside Farm

Ashton House

Green Lane

Ash Hay Lane

Ash Hey

Hill Farm

Picton

Butter Hill

Moston Hill Farm

Moston

A5116

Fox Covert Lane

Fox Covert

Acres Lane

Picton Gorse

Thornton Brook