

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH ACT 2007

The South Bucks District Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2019

Made 19 March 2019

Coming into force in accordance with article 1 (2)

South Bucks District 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 February 2019.

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 and 240 of the 2007 Act.

Citation and commencement

1. (1) This Order may be cited as the South Bucks District Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2019.
- (2) It shall come into force on 1st April 2019.
- (3) Articles 3, 4 and 5 shall come into force on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2020.
- (4) For the purpose of:
 - (a) this article, and
 - (b) Proceedings preliminary or relating to the elections of parish councillors for the parishes of Denham, Farnham Royal and Stoke Poges, to be held on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2020, this Order shall come into force on 1st April 2019.

Interpretation

2. In this Order

"district" means the district of South Bucks

"existing" means existing on the date this order is made.

"map" means the map marked "Map referred to in the South Bucks District Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2019"; and deposited in accordance with section 96(4) of the 2007 Act; and any reference to a numbered sheet is a reference to the sheet of the map which bears that number.

"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.

Number of parish councillors for the parish of Stoke Poges

3. The number of councillors to be elected for the parish of Stoke Poges shall be 11.

Wards of the parish of Denham and number of parish councillors

- 4.**
- (1) The existing wards of the parish of Denham shall be abolished.
 - (2) The number of councillors to be elected for the parish of Denham shall be fifteen.

Wards of the parish of Farnham Royal and number of parish councillors

- 5.**
- (1) The parish of Farnham Royal shall be divided into two wards which shall be named Farnham Royal North and Farnham Royal South.
 - (2) Each ward shall comprise the area designated on the map by reference to the name of the ward and demarcated by red lines.
 - (3) The number of councillors to be elected for Farnham Royal North ward shall be seven councillors, and for Farnham Royal South shall be four councillors.

Electoral register

6. The registration officer for the district of South Bucks 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

7. 1st April 2019 is the order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) (England) Regulations 2008.

Sealed with the seal of the council on the 19 day of March 2019

Jim Burness

Director of Resources

19 March 2019

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order gives effect to recommendations made by South Bucks District Council for the parishes of Denham, Farnham Royal and Stoke Poges.

Article 6 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 5 shows the new wards of the parish of Farnham Royal. It is available, at all reasonable times, at the offices of South Bucks District Council.