

COUNCIL

DATE	28 th September 2023
REPORT OF	Rob Walsh, Chief Executive and Electoral Registration Officer
RESPONSIBLE OFFICER	Helen Isaacs, Assistant Chief Executive
SUBJECT	Polling District and Polling Places review
STATUS	Open

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The Council has two clear strategic priorities – stronger economy and stronger communities. Having better polling districts and polling places will enable more electors the opportunity to engage in local and national democracy.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

There is a legal obligation on North East Lincolnshire Council to complete the polling district and polling place review between October 2023 and January 2025. This report seeks recommendations from Council for approval of plans for a statutory review of polling districts and polling places with the borough.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That a compulsory polling district and places review commences on Monday 2nd October 2023.
2. That the proposed timetable at para 1.8 contained within this report, be approved.
3. That the current and proposed polling stations incorporating the comments of the Acting Returning Officer, detailed at appendix 1 of this report, be used as the basis of the consultation.
4. That the Electoral Registration Officer is authorised to take the necessary measures as soon as possible to give effect to parliamentary constituency changes, ensuring that the register reflects existing and new constituencies, until the boundaries are fully in force.
5. That power to designate polling districts in accordance with section 18 and 18A of the Representation of the People Act 1983 is delegated to the Chief Executive and Electoral Registration Officer.
6. That power to designate polling places in accordance with section 18 and 18B of the Representation of the People Act 1983 is delegated to the Chief Executive, and for such power to be exercised only where a decision is required at short notice and it is not possible to await a decision of Council.

REASONS FOR DECISION

Under the Representation of the People Act 1983, the council has a duty to divide its area into polling districts and to designate a polling place for each district.

1. BACKGROUND AND ISSUES

- 1.1. The Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013 requires North East Lincolnshire Council to carry out a review of its polling districts and polling places every five years. The last formal review was held in 2019. Under section 18C of the Representation of the People Act 1983, the next compulsory review must now be undertaken within a 16-month window between 1st October 2023 and 31st January 2025.
- 1.2. The Boundary Commission for England has recently undertaken a review of parliamentary constituency boundaries and have now published their final recommendations. The Orders for the new boundaries will be made by 1st November 2023. Once the Orders for the new parliamentary boundaries have been made, the new boundaries will be used for the next general election.
- 1.3. The Local Government Boundary Commission will be carrying out a review of NELC between summer 2024 and summer 2025. This will require the reverification of new polling districts, places and stations. It would be prudent to carry out a modest review this year which concentrates on addressing some of the concerns raised about polling stations in the May 2023 elections.
- 1.4. The proposed review will be in line with the steps set out in Schedule A1 to the Representation of the People Act 1983. See below at 1.6 of the report. The review process, from the publication of the notice of review until the publication of the documents at the end, must take place within the specified period.
- 1.5. The length of the review process is not prescribed in law provided that all of the steps required by legislation can be undertaken within it. Time permitted for consultation should be sufficient to enable interested persons and groups to read and understand the proposals, gather comments and respond with any alternative arrangements that they may wish to consider.

The Review Process

- 1.6. Guidance for the conduct of the review has been published by the Electoral Commission. The following stages are recommended:

Stage 1 – Notification of the Review

This is the formal commencement of the review and requires the local authority to give notice of the holding of the review. The notice must be displayed at the local authority's office, and in at least one conspicuous place within the authority. It must also be displayed on the Council's website.

Stage 2 – Consulting of the Review

This stage is when the Council considers representations received and forms

its initial proposals. The Acting Returning Officer must comment, at this stage, on all existing polling stations used and any new polling stations which will probably be chosen if the new proposals are accepted by the authority; detailed at appendix 1.

Stage 3 – Concluding the Review

After considering all of the representations, the council must decide on the most appropriate polling districts and polling places, which must be approved by Full Council. If the review results in alterations, the Electoral Registration Officer must make the necessary alterations to the electoral register.

Stage 4 – Publishing the conclusion of the Review

Once the final proposals have been agreed, details of the new polling districts and polling places must be made available to the public; and must detail the reasons for choosing each particular district or polling place.

Along with the reasons for the final decision of the review, the following must also be published:

- all correspondence sent to the Acting Returning Officer in connection with the review
- all representations made by any person in connection with the review
- the minutes of any meeting held by the council to consider any revision to the designation of polling districts or polling places within its area as a result of the review
- details of the designation of polling districts and polling places within its area as a result of the review
- details of the places where the results of the review have been published

1.7. Although the final decision is that of the Council, there is a right of appeal to the Electoral Commission in respect of the outcome of the review.

Proposed Timetable for the Review

1.8. A proposed timetable which mirrors the above stages is set out below:

Review of polling districts and places 2023-2024	
Resolution from Council agreeing commencement of Review	28 th September 2023
Notice of Review published	2 nd October 2023
Acting Returning Officers proposals published	2 nd October 2023
Commencement of formal consultation	2 nd October 2023
End of formal consultation	31 st October 2023
Consider responses	1 st – 10 th November 2023
Prepare final proposals	13 th – 24 th November 2023
Publish Electoral Register	1 st December 2023
Final proposals published via Full Council Agenda	w/c 4 th December 2023
Full Council consideration	14 th December 2023

Republished Electoral Register (if any new or amended polling districts)	1 st February 2024
Scheduled elections on new polling districts, places and stations	2 nd May 2024

The Review

- 1.9. A reasonable methodology must be demonstrated if a successful appeal (with its consequential reputational damage) is to be avoided. The Guidance stresses the need for all decisions made to have been consulted upon and to be measured and practical: “The whole process should be as transparent and open as possible to avoid possible conflict”. The initial proposals document sets out the considerations taken into account in drawing up the proposals and such an approach reduces the suggestion that decisions may have been politically motivated.
- 1.10. The primary considerations for every review are a requirement of Electoral Law and are:-
- The Council must seek to ensure that all electors have such reasonable facilities for voting as are practicable in the circumstances; and
 - The Council must seek to ensure that so far as is reasonable and practicable, every polling place is accessible to electors who are disabled.
- 1.11. There is no scientific formula or set of rules for the division of a constituency into polling districts, nor for the selection of polling places or polling stations. The choice will often be the balance between a number of competing considerations (e.g. quality of a building and distances between the residents to that building, compared to other options for polling places). Judgement needs to be exercised (e.g. when comparing the potential disturbance to voters against other factors). However, in carrying out the balancing exercise, the approach should be voter-centred.
- 1.12. Officers propose to use the following criteria for the review:-
- Disparities between polling districts to make them more comparable in terms of number of polling places and the number of electors per polling place;
 - Current levels of satisfaction / dissatisfaction as expressed by or on behalf of electors;
 - The cost / elector ratio of providing a polling place, so there is a broad comparability between districts;
 - The availability of postal votes on demand;
 - Disturbance to electors which would be caused by alteration of polling places which have been used for a long period of time;
 - A polling place should be in its own polling district, unless it is not possible to find a suitable place in the district;

- There should not be major barriers between the voters and their polling place. Major roads, rivers and the like can therefore be considered as starting points for polling district boundaries unless there is good quality, accessible crossing points;
- The polling place should not be difficult to locate and should be close to where most of the electors in the polling district live;
- The topography of the area should be taken into account including availability of public transport for electors having to travel distances to the polling place;
- That each parish should be a separate polling district save in exceptional circumstances;
- If there appears to be a need in all or particular elections (considering, for example, UK Parliamentary elections may have a higher turnout than local government elections) for multiple polling stations in a polling place, it will need to be considered if the polling place can accommodate them;
- Capability of the polling place to cope with peaks of electors allocated to it.

1.13. It should be noted that the considerations are not weighted, as proposals need to be voter-centred and the exercise of judgment and the balancing exercise needs to have this at the forefront of consideration. Each proposal/representation will have circumstances peculiar to it and the differing considerations relating to those circumstances must be balanced to allow the outcome to be voter centred.

2. RISKS AND OPPORTUNITIES

2.1 On conclusion of any polling district review, the Electoral Commission can consider representations that the review process has not been conducted correctly. There are only two grounds on which a representation may state that a local authority has failed to conduct a proper review, namely:-

- The local authority has failed to meet the reasonable requirements of the electors in the constituency; or
- The local authority has failed to take sufficient account of accessibility to disabled persons of the polling place.

2.2 If the appeal is upheld, the Electoral Commission can, ultimately, make alterations to the polling places.

3. OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED

3.1 It is a legal requirement to undertake this review.

4. REPUTATION AND COMMUNICATIONS CONSIDERATIONS

4.1 The review requires the local authority to consult with a wide range of stakeholders as set out in regulations and allow sufficient time for consultation. This will be achieved by an open consultation period whereby any comments on the current arrangements will be welcomed. Failure to abide by this duty

could lead to an appeal to the Electoral Commission, as set out in Section 2, which could lead to reputational damage to the authority if the appeal is upheld.

5. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

5.1 There will be minimal financial costs involved in undertaking the review.

6. CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE IMPLICATIONS

6.1 There are no children and young people implications arising from this report.

7. CLIMATE CHANGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

7.1 There are no climate change or environmental implications arising from the recommendations in this report.

8. CONSULTATION WITH SCRUTINY

8.1 All elected members will be invited to partake in the consultation period and feedback any concerns or suggestions for consideration.

9. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

9.1 As outlined within section 5, there are minimal costs that would result from the consultation process.

10. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

10.1 The Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013 introduced a change to the timing of compulsory reviews of UK Parliamentary polling districts and polling places. The next compulsory review must now be started and completed between 1 October 2023 and 31 January 2025 (inclusive).

10.2 A 'review' is all the steps set out in Schedule A1 to the Representation of the People Act 1983. The length of the review process is not prescribed, provided all the steps required by the legislation can be undertaken within it. The review process must be structured and must be conducted formally with supporting documentation.

10.3 The process and timetable detailed within this report and Appendix 1 meet the requirements of the Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013.

11. HUMAN RESOURCES IMPLICATIONS

11.1 There are no HR implications directly arising from the report.

12. WARD IMPLICATIONS

12.1 The proposals contained within this report will, if agreed, affect all Wards.

13. BACKGROUND PAPERS

- 13.1 The Electoral Commission's Guidance on Reviews of polling districts, polling places and polling stations (2023)
[Reviews of polling districts, polling places and polling stations | Electoral Commission](#)

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NORTH EAST LINCOLNSHIRE COUNCIL
REVIEW OF POLLING DISTRICTS AND POLLING PLACES 2023

CURRENT AND PROPOSED POLLING ARRANGEMENTS

PROPOSED
GREAT GRIMSBY AND CLEETHORPES CONSTITUENCY
AND
BRIGG AND IMMINGHAM (PART) CONSTITUENCY

PROPOSED GREAT GRIMSBY AND CLEETHORPES PARLIAMENTARY CONSTITUENCY

CROFT BAKER WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
CB1	St Peter's Church Hall, polling district CB1A or any adjoining polling districts	1,618 (227)	1,487 (202)	St Peters Church Hall, St Peters Avenue, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
CB2	St. Francis Church Hall, polling district CB2 or any adjoining polling districts	1,678 (283)	1,083 (140)	St. Francis Church Hall, Sandringham Road, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
CB3	Cleethorpes Library, polling district CB3 or any adjoining polling districts	1,319 (185)	1,252 (160)	Cleethorpes Library, Alexandra Road, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
CB4	Cleethorpes Library, polling district CB4 or any adjoining polling districts	990 (178)	961 (149)	St Peters Church Hall, St Peters Avenue, Cleethorpes	To amend the Polling Place to St Peters Church Hall, polling district CB4 or any adjoining polling districts
CB5	St Peter's Christian Spiritualist Church, polling district CB5 or any adjoining polling districts	1,890 (291)	1,058 (138)	St Peters Christian Spiritualist Church, Coronation Road, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
CB6	Communal Room (Solomon Court), polling district CB6 or any adjoining polling districts	1,178 (252)	1,713 (329)	Communal Room, Solomon Court, Cleethorpes	No proposed change

CB7	St. Francis Church Hall, polling district CB7 or any adjoining polling districts	-	685 (161)	St. Francis Church Hall, Sandringham Road, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
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EAST MARSH WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments / Proposed Changes
EM1	Park Congregational Church, polling district EM1 or any adjoining polling districts	1,451 (128)	1,408 (143)	Park Congregational Church, Humberstone Road, Grimsby	No proposed change
EM2	Park Congregational Church, polling district EM2 or any adjoining polling districts	1,151 (126)	1,200 (135)	Park Congregational Church, Humberstone Road, Grimsby	No proposed change
EM3	Grimsby Neighbourhood Centre, polling district EM3 or any adjoining polling districts	1,238 (116)	1,317 (151)	Grimsby Neighbourhood Centre, Weelsby Street, Grimsby	No proposed change
EM4	Portacabin (Casswell House), polling district EM4 or any adjoining polling districts	933 (86)	946 (114)	Strand Primary Academy, Strand Street, Grimsby	To amend the Polling Place to Strand Primary Academy, polling district EM4 or any adjoining polling districts
EM5	Strand Primary Academy, polling district EM5 or any adjoining polling districts	318 (28)	343 (21)	Strand Primary Academy, Strand Street, Grimsby	No proposed change
EM6	E-Factor Centre, polling district EM6 or any adjoining polling districts	1,640 (218)	1,595 (200)	Central Hall, Duncombe Street, Grimsby	To amend the Polling Place to Central Hall, polling district EM6 or any adjoining polling districts

FRESHNEY WARD

Polling District	Polling District	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
FR1	Wybers Wood Primary School, polling district FR1 or any adjoining polling districts	1,450 (270)	1,391 (262)	Wybers Wood Primary School, Timberley Drive, Grimsby	No proposed change
FR2	Wybers Wood Primary School, polling district FR2 or any adjoining polling districts	1,726 (281)	1,663 (287)	Wybers Wood Primary School, Timberley Drive, Grimsby	No proposed change
FR3	Great Coates Village Hall, polling district FR3 or any adjoining polling districts	1,131 (201)	1,105 (172)	Great Coates Village Hall, Cooks Lane, Great Coates	No proposed change
FR4	Willows Academy / Branch Library, polling district FR4 or any adjoining polling districts	1,886 (249)	1,874 (291)	Queensway Hub, Binbrook Way, Grimsby	To amend the Polling Place to Queensway Hub, polling district FR4 or any adjoining polling districts
FR5	Portacabin (Chatteris House), polling district FR5 or any adjoining polling districts	1,144 (119)	1,122 (131)	Portacabin, Cranwell Drive / Cromwell Road Play area, Grimsby	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To amend the Polling Place to Portacabin Cranwell Drive / Cromwell Road Play Area, polling district FR5 or any adjoining polling districts Portacabin's are costly to hire, any suitable suggestions would be welcome.

HAVERSTOE WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
HA1	Middlethorpe Primary Academy, polling district HA1 or any adjoining polling districts	1,196 (204)	1,163 (190)	Middlethorpe Primary Academy, Highthorpe Crescent, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
HA2	Signhills Academy, polling district HA2 or	874 (195)	846 (204)	Signhills Academy, Hardys Road, Cleethorpes	No proposed change

	any adjoining polling districts				
HA3	Signhills Academy, polling district HA3 or any adjoining polling districts	1,172 (245)	1,129 (226)	Signhills Academy, Hardys Road, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
HA4	Portacabin (Links Road/Reston Court), polling district HA4 or any adjoining polling districts	1,335 (194)	1,303 (203)	Portacabin, grassed area Links Road/Reston Court, Cleethorpes	Portacabin's are costly to hire any suitable suggestions would be welcome.
HA5	Annie Chapple Centre, polling district HA5 or any adjoining polling districts	1,744 (319)	1,694 (309)	Annie Chapple Centre, Aspen Court, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
HA6	Portacabin (The Trawlerman), polling district HA6 or any adjoining polling districts	1,889 (318)	1,799 (346)	Portacabin, The Trawlerman car park, North Sea Lane, Cleethorpes	No proposed change

HENEAGE WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
HE1	YPSS – Old Clee School, polling district HE1 or any adjoining polling districts	1,177 (133)	1,126 (129)	Old Clee Church Hall, Church Lane, Grimsby	To amend the Polling Place to Old Clee Church Hall, polling district HE1 or any adjoining polling districts
HE2	Old Clee Church Hall, polling district HE2 or any adjoining polling districts	1,369 (207)	1,326 (215)	Old Clee Church Hall, Church Lane, Grimsby	No proposed change
HE3	Central Children's Centre, polling district HE3 or any adjoining polling districts	980 (80)	1,002 (84)	Central Children's Centre, Edward Street, Grimsby	No proposed change

HE4	St Christopher's Methodist Church, polling district HE4 or any adjoining polling districts	1,544 (150)	1,610 (181)	St Christopher's Methodist Church, corner Convamore Road/Welholme Road, Grimsby	No proposed change
HE5	Rear of Peaks Lane Fire Station, polling district HE5 or any adjoining polling districts	1,361 (149)	1,394 (165)	Rear of Peaks Lane Fire Station, Peaks Lane, Grimsby	No proposed change
HE6	Fusion Centre, polling district HE6 or any adjoining polling districts	1,073 (142)	1,062 (133)	Fusion Centre, Ladysmith Road, Grimsby	No proposed change
HE7	Newby Centre, polling district HE7 or any adjoining polling districts	577 (127)	424 (107)	Newby Centre, Weelsby Road, Grimsby	No proposed change

PARK WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
PA1	St James' School, polling district PA1 or any adjoining polling districts	1,784 (301)	1,739 (291)	T.A. Centre, Westward Ho, Grimsby	To amend the Polling Place to St James School polling district PA1 or any adjoining polling districts
PA2	Wellowgate Chapel, polling district PA2 or any adjoining polling districts	1,832 (270)	1,838 (241)	Wellowgate Chapel, corner Abbey Drive East/Wellowgate, Grimsby	No proposed change
PA3	TA Centre, polling district PA3 or any adjoining polling districts	796 (170)	728 (126)	T.A. Centre, Westward Ho, Grimsby	No proposed change
PA4	St Augustine's Community Centre, polling district PA4 or any adjoining polling districts	1,506 (166)	1,485 (164)	St. Augustine's Community Centre, St. Augustine Avenue, Grimsby	No proposed change
PA5	Lisle Marsden CE Primary Academy,	1,450 (257)	1,413 (239)	Lisle Marsden CE Primary Academy,	No proposed change

	polling district PA5 or any adjoining polling districts			Lansdowne Avenue, Grimsby	
PA6	Scartho Infants School, polling district PA6 or any adjoining polling districts	1,543 (261)	1,528 (280)	Scartho Road Cemetery Chapel, Grimsby Cemetery, Scartho	To amend the Polling Place to Scartho Road Cemetery Chapel, polling district PA6 or any adjoining polling districts

SIDNEY SUSSEX WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
SS1	Queen Mary Avenue Infant & Nursey School, polling district SS1 or any adjoining polling districts	2,173 (303)	2,043 (255)	Queen Mary Avenue Infant & Nursey School, Queen Mary Avenue, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
SS2	St. Aidan's Community Centre, polling district SS2 or any adjoining polling districts	1,233 (125)	1,204 (122)	St. Aidan's Community Centre, Grimsby Road, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
SS3	St. Aidan's Community Centre, polling district SS3 or any adjoining polling districts	1,340 (149)	1,269 (139)	St. Aidan's Community Centre, Grimsby Road, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
SS4	Corpus Christi Community Centre, polling district SS4 or any adjoining polling districts	1,040 (142)	1,004 (126)	Corpus Christi Community Centre, Grimsby Road, Cleethorpes	No proposed change

SS5	Corpus Christi Community Centre, polling district SS5 or any adjoining polling districts	774 (98)	752 (91)	Corpus Christi Community Centre, Grimsby Road, Cleethorpes	No proposed change
SS6	Memorial Hall, polling district SS6 or any adjoining polling districts	733 (86)	694 (66)	Memorial Hall, (Clee Road entrance), Cleethorpes	No proposed change
SS7	St. Aidan's Community Centre, polling district SS7 or any adjoining polling districts	1,026 (137)	982 (108)	St. Aidan's Community Centre, Grimsby Road, Cleethorpes	No proposed change

SOUTH WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
SO1	St Mark's Centre, polling district S01 or any adjoining polling districts	560 (93)	561 (86)	St. Mark's Centre, Laceby Road, Grimsby	No proposed change
SO2	Woodlands Primary School, polling district S02 or any adjoining polling districts	1,311 (132)	1,403 (116)	Woodlands Primary School, Pinewood Crescent, Grimsby	No proposed change
SO3	Nunsthorpe Community Centre, polling district S03 or any adjoining polling districts	1,903 (171)	2,023 (170)	Nunsthorpe Community Centre, Sutcliffe Avenue, Grimsby	Given the change of use at Nunsthorpe Community Centre it is proposed that this Polling Place and Polling Station be moved to Nunsthorpe Family Hub, Sutcliffe Avenue, Grimsby, SO3 or any adjoining polling district.
SO4	St Martin's Church, polling district S04 or any adjoining polling districts	939 (95)	919 (90)	St. Martin's Church, Sutcliffe Avenue, Grimsby	No proposed change

SO5	Scout Hut, polling district S05 or any adjoining polling districts	1,086 (149)	1,109 (135)	Scout Hut, Brocklesby Place, Grimsby	No proposed change
SO6	Grange Community Centre, polling district S06 or any adjoining polling districts	1,567 (190)	1,632 (180)	Grange Community Centre, Carnforth Crescent, Grimsby	No proposed change
SO7	Grange Community Centre, polling district S07 or any adjoining polling districts	1,037 (160)	1,045 (133)	Grange Community Centre, Carnforth Crescent, Grimsby	No proposed change

WEST MARSH WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
WM1	Haven Methodist Church, polling district WM1 or any adjoining polling districts	1,907 (201)	1,926 (157)	Haven Methodist Church, Lord Street, Grimsby	No proposed change
WM2	New Standard Club, polling district WM2 or any adjoining polling districts	1,411 (158)	1,334 (149)	New Standard Club, Freshney Drive, Grimsby	Due to the New Standard Club no longer being available, a new polling station in WM2 polling district or any adjoining district, is required. Alternative venues are currently being explored including Grimsby in Bloom and West Marsh Community Centre.
WM3	Littlecoates Primary School, polling district WM3 or any adjoining polling districts	724 (77)	707 (66)	Littlecoates Primary School, Harlow Street, Grimsby	No proposed change
WM4	St Hugh's Community Centre, polling district WM4 or any adjoining polling districts	1,010 (121)	1,177 (130)	St Hugh's Church, Haycroft Street, Grimsby	No proposed change

YARBOROUGH WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
YA1	Portacabin (Tesco Store), polling district YA1 or any adjoining polling districts	2,174 (263)	2,121 (243)	Portacabin, Lidl Car Park, Cromwell Road, Grimsby	To amend the Polling Place to Portacabin, Lidl Car Park, Cromwell Road, polling district YA1 or any adjoining polling districts
YA2	Riverside Children's Centre, polling district YA2 or any adjoining polling districts	1,340 (196)	1,328 (165)	Riverside Children's Centre, Central Parade, Grimsby	No proposed change
YA3	Riverside Children's Centre, polling district YA3 or any adjoining polling districts	1,908 (305)	1,777 (263)	Riverside Children's Centre, Central Parade, Grimsby	No proposed change
YA4	Littlecoates Community Centre, polling district YA4 or any adjoining polling districts	1,335 (129)	1,318 (131)	Littlecoates Community Centre, St. Michael's Road, Grimsby	No proposed change
YA5	Laceby Acres Primary School, polling district YA5 or any adjoining polling districts	1,712 (228)	1,645 (231)	Laceby Acres Primary School, Swiftsure Crescent, Grimsby	No proposed change
YA6	Portacabin (near 485 Laceby Road), polling district YA6 or any adjoining polling districts	367 (59)	357 (50)	Portacabin, near 485 Laceby Road, Grimsby	No proposed change

PROPOSED BRIGG AND IMMINGHAM PARLIAMENTARY CONSTITUENCY

HUMBERSTON & NEW WALTHAM WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
HU1	The Countryman, polling district HU1 or any adjoining polling districts	1,835 (298)	1,769 (291)	The Countryman, Fieldhouse Road, Humberston	No proposed change
HU2	Portacabin (Grimsby Road/Church Avenue), polling district HU2 or any adjoining polling districts	885 (171)	851 (161)	Portacabin, corner Grimsby Road/Church Avenue, Humberston	Portacabin's are costly to hire any suitable suggestions would be welcome.
HU3	Gingerbread House (former Humberstone Library), polling district HU3 or any adjoining polling districts	2,057 (356)	2,865 (439)	Wendover Hall, Church Lane, Humberston	To amend the Polling Place to Wendover Hall, polling district HU3 or any adjoining polling districts. Electoral Commission guidance is that there should be no more than 2,500 electors (after postal voters) per register. As we are approaching the limit the ARO could be designated powers to split the register if required.
HU4	New Waltham Village Hall, polling district HU4 or any adjoining polling districts	2,089 (387)	1,703 (313)	New Waltham Village Hall, Station Road, New Waltham	No proposed change
HU5	New Waltham Village Hall, polling district HU5 or any adjoining polling districts	2,260 (347)	1,883 (247)	New Waltham Community Pavilion, St Clements Way, New Waltham	To amend the Polling Place to New Waltham Community Pavilion, polling district HU5 or any adjoining polling districts.

IMMINGHAM WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
IM1	Habrough Village Hall, polling district IM1 or any adjoining polling districts	520 (116)	496 (103)	Habrough Village Hall, Station Road, Habrough	No proposed change
IM2	Stallingborough Village Hall, polling district IM2 or any adjoining polling districts	1,118 (141)	1,075 (145)	Stallingborough Village Hall, Station Road, Stallingborough	No proposed change
IM3	Bluestone Inn, polling district IM3 or any adjoining polling districts	2,303 (384)	2,357 (371)	Bluestone Inn Bluestone Lane, Immingham	A new polling station in IM3 or any adjoining districts is being considered as a result of concerns being raised over the suitability and accessibility of the current venue.
IM4	Civic Centre, polling district IM4 or any adjoining polling districts	937 (175)	890 (164)	Burton Room, Immingham Civic Centre, Pelham Road, Immingham	No proposed change
IM5	Trinity Methodist Church, polling district IM5 or any adjoining polling districts	1,174 (191)	1,206 (181)	Trinity Methodist Church, corner Margaret St/Pelham Road Immingham	No proposed change
IM6	Bert Boyden Centre, polling district IM6 or any adjoining polling districts	1,697 (179)	1,740 (152)	Bert Boyden Centre, Carver Road, Immingham	No proposed change
IM7	Immingham Christian Centre, polling district IM7 or any adjoining polling districts	1,192 (206)	1,164 (186)	Immingham Christian Centre, Pelham Road, Immingham	No proposed change

SCARTH O WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
SC1	Portacabin – Near Scartho Hall, polling district SC1 or any adjoining polling districts	2,006 (316)	2,177 (285)	Portacabin – near Scartho Hall, Matthew Telford Park, Grimsby	Portacabin's are costly to hire any suitable suggestions would be welcome.
SC2	Scartho Village Community Centre, polling district SC2 or any adjoining polling districts	947 (156)	890 (167)	Scartho Village Community Centre, Waltham Road, Grimsby	No proposed change
SC3	Springfield Primary School, polling district SC3 or any adjoining polling districts	1,914 (357)	1,935 (405)	Springfield Primary School, Springwood Crescent, Grimsby	No proposed change
SC4	Fairfield Primary School, polling district SC4 or any adjoining polling districts	1,542 (243)	1,485 (261)	Fairfield Primary School, Mendip Avenue, Grimsby	No proposed change
SC5	St Giles Parish Room, polling district SC5 or any adjoining polling districts	2,489 (397) Register spilt into 2 stations	2,504 (407)	St. Giles Parish Room, Church Lane, Scartho	No proposed change

WALTHAM WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
WA1	Church Hall, polling district WA1 or any adjoining polling districts	203 (28)	201 (30)	Church Hall, Main Road, Ashby cum Fenby	No proposed change

WA2	Brigsley Village Hall, polling district WA2 or any adjoining polling districts	313 (60)	309 (68)	Brigsley Village Hall, St. Helen's Crescent, Brigsley	No proposed change
WA3	All Saints Church Hall, polling district WA3 or any adjoining polling districts	1,310 (268)	1,347 (243)	All Saints Church Hall, Waltham	No proposed change
WA4	All Saints Church Hall, polling district WA4 or any adjoining polling districts	1,223 (196)	1,246 (219)	All Saints Church Hall, Waltham	No proposed change
WA5	Ross Hall, polling district WA5 or any adjoining polling districts	921 (161)	901 (165)	Ross Hall, Barnoldby Road, Waltham	No proposed change
WA6	Ross Hall, polling district WA6 or any adjoining polling districts	1,724 (295)	1,632 (283)	Ross Hall, Barnoldby Road, Waltham	No proposed change

WOLDS WARD

Polling District	Polling Place	Total Electors at 01.03.2019 (Postal Voters)	Total Electors at 01.09.23 (Postal Voters)	Current Polling Station	Acting Returning Officer's Comments
WO1	Meeting Room (The Stables), polling district WO1 or any adjoining polling districts	120 (8)	117 (9)	Stanford Centre, Cooper Lane, Laceby	To amend the Polling Place to Stanford Centre, polling district WO1 or any adjoining polling districts
WO2	St Helen's Church, polling district WO2 or any adjoining polling districts	294 (48)	333 (46)	St. Helen's Church, Church Lane, Barnoldby-le-Beck	No proposed change
WO3	Farm Office (Beelsby House Farm), polling	91 (13)	82 (9)	Farm Office, Beelsby House Farm, Beelsby	No proposed change

	district W03 or any adjoining polling districts				
WO4	Bradley Football Development Centre, polling district W04 or any adjoining polling districts	180 (26)	193 (25)	Bradley Football Development Centre, Bradley Road, Grimsby	No proposed change
WO5	East Ravendale CE Primary Academy, polling district W05 or any adjoining polling districts	75 (12)	98 (18)	East Ravendale CE Primary Academy, East Ravendale	No proposed change
WO6	The Orchards, polling district W06 or any adjoining polling districts	78 (9)	73 (19)	Wold Newton Village Hall, Main Road, Wold Newton	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As current polling station used is not in adjoining district it is suggested this becomes a double station at WO3 Farm Office (Beelsby House Farm) To amend the Polling Place to Farm Office (Beelsby House Farm), polling district WO6 or any adjoining polling districts
WO7	Healing Methodist Church, polling district W07 or any adjoining polling districts	2,368 (431)	2,522 (420)	Healing Methodist Church, Station Road, Healing	No proposed change, however Electoral Commission guidance is that there should be no more than 2,500 electors (after postal voters) per register. As we are approaching the limit the ARO could be designated powers to split the register if required.
WO8	Irby Church Hall, polling district W08 or any adjoining polling districts	114 (18)	101 (12)	Irby Church Hall, School Lane, Irby upon Humber	No proposed change
WO9	Laceby Stanford Centre polling district W09 or any adjoining polling districts	2,666 (369) Register spilt into 2 stations	2,690 (362)	Laceby Stanford Centre, Cooper Lane, Laceby	No proposed change

WO10	Wold Newton Village Hall, polling district W10 or any adjoining polling districts	64 (10)	61 (10)	Wold Newton Village Hall, Main Road, Wold Newton	No proposed change
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Remaining polling districts for this Parliamentary Constituency fall under Northern Lincolnshire's Polling District Review.