

Electoral Review Committee – Informal Meeting Notes 16 May 2022 – Appendix 1(b)

District/Parish	Notes	Actions
Halberton/Willand Uffculme	<p>It was noted that Halberton Parish Council were reluctant to accept any serious changes to the boundaries although it did agree that Lucombe Park would be better serviced by Uffculme.</p> <p>The Uffculme submission had focussed on the ‘bulge’ east of the M5 (from J27 down to the boundary of Willand) as those electors would have to go up to J27 or through Willand to get to Halberton.</p> <p>Considerations was given to S106 funding from development and where that funding was used.</p> <p>Members considered the natural boundaries which could be used to identify a change in the boundaries of the 3 parishes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whether the M5 was the natural boundary • Whether the watercourse to the side of the motorway was appropriate • Whether the roundabout and the old A38 could be used, with Hitchcocks going to Uffculme and the lane to the west of Hitchcocks, around Selgars Mill could split Uffculme and Willand then up B3181 to Leonards Moor Cross taking in Mount Stephen Farm. • Whether Bridwell Avenue could be used as a boundary • Whether Muxbeare Lane could be used as a boundary between Halberton and Willand 	<p>AGREED that 3 options be put to the formal meeting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The status quo - Cllr Radford’s offer of Lucombe Park to Uffculme – the boundary up to Bridwell Avenue to Mount Stephen up the B3181 turn right to Leonards Moor and re-joining the boundary here. - The suggestions within the Uffculme/Willand submissions

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It was suggested that Halberton Parish may accept a boundary from Old Bridwell, up the old A38 to Leonards Moor (triangle between the motorway - South of Braddons and along to Bridwell). <p>It was suggested that by slicing up the boundaries and by taking in J27 (part of which was in Canonsleigh) could end up with a parish isolated</p>	
Crediton Hamlets	<p>It was noted that Crediton Hamlets did not want any change to the boundary. Submissions had been received with regard to the creation of a Yeoford Parish (this would mean a change to the terms of reference of the committee with regard to creating new parishes).</p> <p>The Ward Member suggested that the request to form an additional parish council had come from new residents to the area – no plans had been submitted which identified a boundary</p> <p>Westernlea could not be moved as that was part of Crediton Town.</p> <p>Hookway was not big enough to be a separate parish.</p>	NO CHANGE at the current time – this could be considered further at the second stage consultation.

Members then revisited some of the changes suggested at the 5 May meeting

Parish	Notes
Morchard Bishop	Cllr Mrs Squires had been asked to provide some clarification
Sandford	The number of electors had been checked and would be set out in the formal report
Shobrooke	Cllr Mrs Squires had been asked to provide some clarification
Coplestone	Information had been requested with regard to the number of candidates who had stood at previous elections – 7 in 2019 and 5 in 2015 – none of these elections had been contested. It was suggested that people are waiting to be candidates for 2023 and that the number should be increased to 9
Bampton	Cllr Chesterton to speak to Bampton TC and Morebath PC
Hittisleigh	Crediton Hamlets had agreed to give away 6/7 properties to Hittisleigh Cheriton Bishop had agreed to give away 2 properties to Hittisleigh All were within the Yeo district ward.

