

ELECTORAL ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE

TUESDAY, 8 JULY 2008

DECISIONS

Set out below is a summary of the decisions taken at the meeting of the Electoral Arrangements Committee held on Tuesday, 8 July 2008. The wording used does not necessarily reflect the actual wording that will appear in the minutes.

If you have any queries about any matters referred to in this decision sheet please contact Joe Brown.

1. BOUNDARY REVIEW

The Electoral Arrangements Committee RECOMMENDED TO COUNCIL:

- 1) That the submission of a request for a review of the administrative boundary between Cambridge City Council and South Cambridgeshire District Council be agreed in principle, on the basis of the proposals outlined previously and shown on the attached plan, subject to definitive assurances from central government that the housing targets fixed in the Regional Spatial Strategy will be readjusted to take account of the numbers of planned new housing going to the City as a result of a boundary review.
- 2) That delegated authority be granted to the Leader and Cabinet to determine the adequacy of any assurances that may be forthcoming and consequently the decision as to whether or not to submit the request.

The report and appendices considered by the Committee are available to view using the following [link to the Council's website \(www.scambs.gov.uk\)](http://www.scambs.gov.uk) - Agenda item 6 refers. Appendix 1 to the report is attached to this decision as the proposal recommended by the Committee for agreement (see above).

2. ARBURY PARK PARISH REVIEW

Electoral Arrangements Committee RECOMMENDED TO COUNCIL that;

- i) A reorganisation order be made creating a new parish at Arbury Park with a Council thus amending the parish boundaries of Impington Parish and Milton Parish, by reference to the attached plan of the proposed changes;
- ii) The Parish created be called Orchard Park and the council created be styled Orchard Park Community Council;
- iii) Consultation take place on the following electoral arrangements for the new parish council for subsequent confirmation by South Cambridgeshire District Council:
 - The Parish created should not be warded.
 - The council created should consist of 9 councillors, to be elected as soon as is practicable.
 - No changes are required to the electoral arrangements of Impington Parish and Milton Parish.

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the following [link to the Council's website \(www.scamb.gov.uk\)](http://www.scamb.gov.uk) - Agenda item 7 refers. The document entitled 'Parish Review – Arbury leaflet' is attached to this decision as it contains the proposal recommended by the Committee for agreement (see above).

