

## **Appendix B: Consultation responses**

### **Camsight**

This is a general comment/observation on behalf of visually impaired clients of Cam Sight. We are aware, having had a number of very informative talks from the Electoral Department, that you are aware of a shortfall in making voting accessible for those with a visual impairment and are working towards rectifying this. It would be helpful to have voting slips in a variety of formats - large print, braille, even a screen reader would be helpful. In addition if each venue could ensure that there is adequate lighting around at least one of the voting booths that too would be helpful. There needs to be some sort of system whereby a visually impaired person who cannot read braille or read large print has the means to cast a vote in a confidential way. Candidates details could be recorded and an I pad used for the vote to be cast. Cam Sight would be pleased to give further advice and guidance if this would be helpful

### **Waterbeach Parish**

Not aware of any (issues) – although there isn't much parking at ours. OK for disabled access though...

Follow up: I don't think there are any other more convenient alternatives in Waterbeach but I'll check with the Clerk. The beauty of the Salvation Army Hall is it is pretty central so most people walk.