Polling District and Polling Places Review 2023

Acting Returning Officer's Representations for the Woking County Constituency on the Existing Polling District and Polling Place Arrangements as of 1 October 2023

WARD	POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	Comments	Proposal
BYFLEET AND WEST BYFLEET	A1	St Johns Cornerstone Centre, Camphill Road, West Byfleet, KT14 6EH	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day due to the entrance being located at the back of the building. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of the St Johns Cornerstone Centre as a polling place.
	A2	Byfleet Village Hall, 54 High Road, West Byfleet, KT14 7QL	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of the Byfleet Village Hall as a polling place.
CANALSIDE	B1 B2	Welcome Church, 1-5 Church Street West, Woking, GU21 6DJ	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of the Welcome Church as a polling place.
	B3 B5	The Maybury Centre, 27 Board School Road, Woking, GU21 5HD	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the	I support the continued use of The Maybury Centre as a polling place.

			Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	
	B4	Parkview Centre for the Community, Blackmore Crescent, Sheerwater, Woking, GU21 5NZ	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of Parkview Centre for the Community as a polling place.
	В6	Woodham Parish Hall, 564 Woodham Lane, Woking, GU21 5SH	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of Woodham Parish Hall as a polling place.
GOLDSWORTH PARK	C1	T S Dianthus, Wishbone Way, Woking, GU21 3RT	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of TS Dianthus as a polling place.
	C2 C4	The Generation Centre, Denton Way, Woking, GU21 3LG	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of The Generation Centre as a polling place.
	C3	Salvation Army Community Church, Sythwood, Woking, GU21 3BE	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No other venues in the polling district have been identified. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of the Salvation Army Community Church as a polling place.

HEATHLANDS	D1	Brookwood Memorial Hall, Connaught Road, Brookwood, Woking, GU24 0AL	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of Brookwood Memorial Hall as a polling place.
	D2 D3	Mayford Village Hall, Saunders Lane, Woking, GU22 0NN	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of the Mayford Village Hall as a polling place.
	D4	Woking Lawn Tennis & Croquet Club, Pine Road, Woking, GU22 0DX	Although there is limited onsite parking available, there is plenty of on street parking outside the venue. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. There is often difficulty with mobile phone reception, which can make contact with the polling station team difficult. No alternative venue in the polling district has been identified. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of the Woking Lawn Tennis & Croquet Club as a polling place.
	D5	The Lighthouse Barnsbury, 30 Ash Road, Woking, GU22 0BH	The polling place is centrally located within the polling district however it is not accessible to all electors. The main entrance/exit is not accessible by ramp and there is no level access available to the polling place, therefore making this venue inaccessible to disabled electors. A temporary ramp to the polling place was installed for the May 2023 Poll, however any future installation would be at a significant cost to the Council per election. The installation of a permanent ramp to the entrance/exit of the polling place has been identified as a suitable solution, subject to viability, costings and approval from	I support the proposal to investigate the viability for a permanent ramp to be installed at the polling place. Alternatively, I support the proposal for the change to the designated use of Woking Sportsbox Cafe as the polling place. These changes will ensure all electors in the D5 (Barnsbury) polling district have such reasonable facilities for voting and is

			Surrey County Council who are responsible for the land outside the polling place. Inadequate lighting within the venue during the evening was reported by the Presiding Officer on Polling Day. Therefore, additional lighting would need to be provided for future elections. The use of the Woking Sportsbox Café as a polling place has been identified as an alternative and suitable venue within the polling district.	accessible to electors who are disabled.
	D6	Sutton Green Village Hall, New Lane, Sutton Green, GU4 7QF	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of the Sutton Green Village Hall as a polling place.
HOE VALLEY	E1	Moorcroft Centre, Old School Place, Westfield, Woking, GU22 9LY	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of The Moorcroft Centre as a polling place.
	E2 E3	The Meadows Sports Pavilion, Loop Road, Woking, GU22 9BQ	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of The Meadows Sports Pavilion as a polling place.
	E4 E5	St Peters Church, Church Street, Old Woking, Woking, GU22 9JF	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No alternative venues have been identified within the polling district. No issues have been reported	I support the continued use of St Peters Church as a polling place.

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	F1	Horsell Evangelical Church, High Street, Horsell, Woking, GU21 3SZ	May 2023 election. There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. A temporary sign to direct electors to the polling station is used on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of Horsell Evangelical Church as a polling place.
HORSELL	F2 F3	Trinity Methodist Church Hall, Brewery Road, Woking, GU21 4LH	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. Although this venue is not in the polling district, no other suitable venues have been identified within the polling district. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of the Trinity Methodist Church as a polling place.
	G1 G2	The Vyne, The Broadway, Knaphill, Woking, GU21 2SP	Although there is parking facilities available on site, additional free parking is located opposite the venue in Redding Way car park. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of The Vyne as a polling place.
KNAPHILL	G3 G4	Knaphill Scouts Headquarters, Waterers Rise, Knaphill, Woking, GU21 2HU	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No other alternative venues have been identified within the polling district. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of Knaphill Scout Headquarters as a polling place.
MOUNT HERMON	H1	St Mary of Bethany Church Hall, York Road, Woking, GU22 7UH	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of St Mary of Bethany Church Hall as a polling place.

	H2	St Dunstan's Church, Shaftesbury Road, Woking, GU22 7DT	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of St Dunstan's Church as a polling place.
	H3 H4	Woking United Reformed Church, White Rose Lane, Woking, GU22 7HA	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of Woking United Reformed Church as a polling place.
	J1 J2	Alpha Road Community Hall, Alpha Road, Woking, GU22 8HE	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of the Alpha Road Community Hall as a polling place.
PYRFORD	J3	Pyrford Village War Memorial Hall, Coldharbour Road, Pyrford, Woking, GU22 8SP	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of Pyrford Village War Memorial Hall as a polling place.
	J4	St Johns Cornerstone Centre, Camphill Road, West Byfleet, KT14 6EH	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day due to the entrance being located at the back of the building. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of the St Johns Cornerstone Centre as a polling place.
ST JOHN'S	K1	Sutton Avenue Common Room, 1-25 Sutton Avenue, St	The polling place is centrally located within the polling district however it is not accessible to all electors. The main entrance/exit is not accessible by ramp and there is	I support the proposal for the changes to the polling district boundary and designated use of St John's Memorial Hall as

	John's, Woking, GU21 8UL	no level access available to the polling place, therefore making this venue inaccessible to disabled electors. A temporary ramp to the polling place was installed for the May 2023 Poll, however any future installation would be at a significant cost to the Council per election. Several issues regarding the use and suitability of the ramp by electors were reported by the Presiding Officer on Polling Day. No other alternative and suitable venues within the polling district have been identified. The use of the Oaktree Infant School as the previous designated polling place was ceased in 2022 due to the disruption caused to the school and/or closure of the school on polling day.	the polling place. These changes will ensure all electors in the K1 (St John's West) polling district have such reasonable facilities for voting and is accessible to electors who are disabled.
K2	St Johns Memorial Hall, St Johns Lye, St John's, Woking, GU21 7SQ	There are parking facilities available adjacent to the venue. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. Change to the polling district boundary to reflect the relocation of properties within St John's Lye (Festival Path) and Carolyn Close to K1 (St John's West) polling district. Change the designated polling place for the polling district to St John's Church, Church Road, St John's, Woking, GU21 7QN.	I support the proposal for the changes to the polling district boundary and designated use of the St John's Church as the polling place. These changes will ensure all electors in the K2 (St John's Central) polling district have such reasonable facilities for voting and is accessible to electors who are disabled.
КЗ	Surrey History Centre, 130 Goldsworth Road, Woking, GU21 6ND	There are parking facilities available on site. The premises and location are satisfactory. Temporary signs directing electors to the polling station are erected on polling day. No issues have been reported by the Presiding Officer or feedback received post the May 2023 election.	I support the continued use of the Surrey History Centre as a polling place.