

NOTICE OF REVIEW OF POLLING DISTRICTS & POLLING PLACES

Electoral Registration & Administration Act 2013

The Review of Polling Districts and Polling Places (Parliamentary Elections) Regulations 2006

Electoral Administration Act 2006

Representation of the People Act 1983

The above legislation now requires every local authority to carry out a review of its polling districts and polling places at least once every five years.

Copeland Borough Council's next review will commence on Monday 23 June 2014 and various individuals and groups will be consulted, including district and parish councillors, on the current arrangements and any proposals for change.

The (Acting) Returning Officer will also comment on the current arrangements and these will be made available shortly after the commencement of the Review on the Council's website and at The Copeland Centre, Catherine Street, Whitehaven.

Comments are invited from electors within the Copeland Borough Council area, other interested parties, including people or organisations with a particular interest or expertise in relation to access to premises or facilities for those with different forms of disability, on any aspect of polling districts and/or polling places currently used and on any representation made by the (Acting) Returning Officer.

Information on the existing arrangements is available from the Council's website at www.copeland.gov.uk or from the elections office at the address provided below.

The consultation period runs from **Monday 23 June 2014** until **Friday 1 August 2014** and any representations, including any alternative arrangements, should be sent by post or email to the addresses below by 1 August 2014. All correspondence, comments and proposals will be available for inspection at the elections office and will be published on completion of the review.

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