

**COMMUNITY GOVERNANCE REVIEW – DRIGG & CARLETON AND IRTON  
WITH SANTON**

**PORTFOLIO** Cllr Norman Williams

**HOLDER:**

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<b>Summary</b>	Report to the Parish Review Working Party the progress following the consultation period of the Community Governance review of parts of Drigg & Carleton and Irton with Santon and submits for approval final proposals for inclusion in the reorganisation order.
<b>Recommendation:</b>	That Council be recommended to approve the reorganisation order

## **1 INTRODUCTION**

- 1.1 The Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 introduced powers for a principal council to undertake community governance reviews of all or part of their area, and to make local reorganisation orders on completion of reviews. Community governance reviews (CGR's) can comprise creating, merging or abolishing parishes, naming or re-naming parishes, amending parish boundaries, and altering electoral arrangements in parishes. Electoral arrangements include the number councillors to be elected to a parish council, their terms of office, and warding arrangements within parishes. Powers to undertake CGR's replace the powers under earlier legislation for the Secretary of State to make parish review orders on the recommendations of principal councils.

## **2 PRESENT POSITION**

- 2.1 The Working Party is aware from previous reports that a request was received from Drigg & Carleton Parish Council to undertake a Community Governance Reviews of the boundaries between Drigg & Carleton and Irton with Santon. Drigg & Carleton Parish Council have asked for the review to consider changing the boundary between Drigg and Carleton and Irton with Santon as shown on the plan attached to the Order.
- 2.2 The Council has consulted with the local government electors in the two parishes during the formal consultation period, through an advertisement in the Whitehaven News and Drigg and Carlton's Parish Magazine.

- 2.3 The proposed change will affect a total of 26 properties and 44 electors and will take effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2011.

### **3. PROPOSALS**

- 3.1 No representations or objections have been received during the consultation period, and the Working Party is therefore asked to recommend Council to agree to a reorganisation order which will change the boundary as shown.

### **4 CONCLUSION**

- 4.1 The Working Party is asked to:

- (i) Consider and recommend Council to approve reorganisation order.

**List of Background Documents      Guidance on CGR's**

**List of Consultees:                      Chief Executive; S 151 Officer; portfolio holder**

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**COPELAND BOROUGH COUNCIL (Drigg & Carleton and Irton with Santon)**

**COMMUNITY GOVERNANCE REORGANISATION ORDER 2010**

The Copeland Borough Council, in exercise of the powers contained in Section 86 of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007, hereby makes the following order:

- (1) This Order may be cited as the Copeland Borough Council (Drigg & Carleton and Irton with Santon) Community Governance Reorganisation Order 2010.
- (2) This Order shall come into force on 1 April 2011.
- (3) By virtue of the Order the land shown hatched in red on the attached plan shall cease to be a part of Irton with Santon Parish and shall be a part of Drigg and Carleton Parish.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2010

Martin Jepson  
Head of Legal and Democratic Services





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