



South Northamptonshire Council

Representation of the People Act 1983 – Section 18C

Review of Parliamentary Polling Districts and Polling Places

Notice is hereby given the South Northamptonshire Council is to review the Polling Districts and Places within the District of South Northamptonshire, to include the location of polling stations. The Acting Returning Officer has been requested to make representations to include

The review will seek to establish how suitably placed the polling stations are within each electoral area making specific reference to both disability and accessibility issues. We welcome representations or comments on the authority’s proposals from any person or body with expertise in access for persons with any type of disability.

Electors within the authority or within a UK Parliamentary constituency which has any part in the authority may make a representation. All (Acting) Returning Officers whose Parliamentary constituencies are wholly or partly within the South Northamptonshire district area are invited to submit observations on any representations made and also to make comments relating to existing polling places. Persons or bodies making representations should, if possible, give alternative places that may be used as polling places.

The Acting Returning Officer will then comment on the suitability of polling stations within each polling district and electors will be able to make comments on the proposals.

Information about the review and the Acting Returning Officer’s representations will be available for viewing on the council’s website www.southnorthants.gov.uk/elections and at the council offices, The Forum, Moat Lane, Towcester, Northamptonshire, NN12 6AD.

Submissions can be made:

Via the online survey: https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Polling_stations_review_SNC

Email: elections@cherwellandsouthnorthants.gov.uk

In writing: Polling Place Review, Democratic & Elections Team, South Northamptonshire Council, The Forum, Moat Lane, Towcester, Northamptonshire, NN12 6AD

The final date for the submission of representations is: 1 November 2019

Timetable for review:

Publication of Notice of Review	31 July 2019
Consultation and Analysis period	31 July 2019 – 5pm 6 September 2019
Review of results of consultation and Acting Returning Officers’ proposals	9 September 2019 – 29 September 2019
Consultation of Returning Officers’ proposals	30 September 2019 – 5pm 1 November 2019
Council’s final decision	18 December 2019
Publication of amended register	February 2020

Richard Ellis
Acting Returning Officer