

Draft Electoral Review Timetable

These timetables outline the key dates and activities for both the Council (shown in bold) and the Commission during the review process.

Preliminary Period

Briefings	Attendees		Key Dates
Initial Meeting	Council Leader Chief Executive	Chair Chief Executive	December 2023
Officer Briefing	Electoral services, Planning, GIS, Comms	Review Manager Review Officer	January 2024
Group Leader Briefing	Council Group Leaders	Lead Commissioner Review Manager Review Officer	January 2024
Full Council Briefing	All Councillors	Lead Commissioner Review Manager Review Officer	January 2024
Parish/Town Council & Local Groups Briefing	Officer to facilitate	Review Manager Review Officer	August 2024

Council Size

Activity	Involvement		Key Dates
	Council	LGBCE	
Develop council size proposal	Council Political Groups	Officers will be available to answer any technical queries on making a submission.	January 2024 until July 2024 (6 months)

Submission of council size proposals	Council Political Groups	Officers will acknowledge receipt of submissions.	July 2024
Commission Meeting: Council Size	Not required	Commission	August 2024

Warding Patterns

Activity	Involvement		Key Dates
	Council	LGBCE	
Consultation on warding patterns	Council Political Groups General Public	Run consultation, collate & analyse responses.	10 weeks August – October 2024
Commission Meeting: Draft Recommendations	Not required	Commission	January 2025
Consultation on Draft Recommendations	Council Political Groups General Public	Publish draft recommendations. Run consultation, collate & analyse responses.	10 weeks February – April 2025
Commission Meeting: Final Recommendations	Not required	Commission	June 2025
Final Recommendations published	Not required	Commission	July 2025

Order

Activity	Involvement		Key Dates
	Council	LGBCE	
Order laid	Not required	Commission	Autumn 2025
Order made	Not required	Commission	Winter 2025
Implementation	Council	Not required	May 2026