The District of Harborough (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2016

Made on the 25th day of October 2016

Coming into force in accordance with article 1(2)

The District Council of Harborough ("the council") in accordance with section 83 of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 ("the 2007 Act") has undertaken a community governance review and made recommendations dated April 2016.

The council has decided to give effect to those recommendations and, in accordance with section 93 of the 2007 Act, has consulted with the local government electors and other interested persons and has had regard to the need to secure that community governance reflects the identities and interests of the community and is effective and convenient.

The council, in accordance with section 100 of the 2007 Act, has had regard to guidance issued under that section.

The council makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 86, 98(3), 98(4) and 240(10) of the 2007 Act.

CITATION AND COMMENCEMENT

1. (1) This Order may be cited as the District of Harborough (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2016.

(2) This Order shall come into force on 1 April 2019.

(3) For the purposes of proceedings preliminary to or relating to the election of parish councillors for the parishes of Hungarton and Houghton on the Hill, to be held on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2019, this Order shall come into force on the day after that on which it is made.

INTERPRETATION

2. In this Order-

- "district" means the District of Harborough;
- "existing" means existing on the date this Order is made;
• “map 1” means the map marked “Map 1 referred to in the District of Harborough (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2016” and deposited in accordance with section 96(4) of the 2007 Act and attached to this Order;

• “map 2” means the map marked “Map 2 referred to in the District of Harborough (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2016” and deposited in accordance with section 96(4) of the 2007 Act and attached to this Order;

• “ordinary day of election of councillors” has the meaning given by section 37 of the Representation of the People Act 1983;

• “registration officer” means an officer appointed for the purpose of, and in accordance with section 8 of the Representation of the People Act 1983;

• “order date” means the date (being 1st April in any year) which is specified as such in the reorganisation order;

• “transferor authority” means a parish council, which in consequence of a reorganisation order, ceases to exercise functions in relation to an area (“transferred area”) on the order date; and

• “transferee authority” means a parish council by which, in consequence or a reorganisation order, functions in relation to a transferred area are exercisable on or after the order date.

**EFFECT OF ORDER**

3. This Order has effect subject to any agreement under section 99 (agreements about incidental matters) of the 2007 Act relevant to any provision of this Order.

**AMENDMENT TO PARISH BOUNDARY BETWEEN HUNGARTON AND HOUGHTON ON THE HILL**

4. The area of land hatched blue on map 1 attached to and forming part of this Order shall be transferred from the Parish of Hungarton (the transferor authority) to the Parish of Houghton on the Hill (the transferee authority).

5. The boundaries of the parishes of Hungarton and Houghton on the Hill shall be as outlined with a red line on map 2 attached to and forming part of this Order.

**ELECTORAL REGISTER**

6. The registration officer for the district shall make such rearrangement of, or adaptation of, the register of local government electors as may be necessary for the purposes of, and in consequence of, this Order for it to take effect at the elections to be held on the next ordinary date for parish elections in 2019.
TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS

7. Until the changes set out in this Order come into effect as required by article 1 of this Order the existing arrangements shall continue to apply.

ORDER DATE

8. 1st April 2019 is the order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) (England) Regulations 2008.

THE COMMON SEAL of

THE DISTRICT COUNCIL OF

HARBOROUGH was hereunto affixed

on the 25th October 2016

Chairman

Authorised Signatory
EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order makes a change to the boundary between the parishes of Hungarton and Houghton on the Hill by transferring the area of land hatched blue on the plan attached to this Order from the parish of Hungarton (the transferor authority) to the parish of Houghton on the Hill (the transferee authority).
Map 1 referred to in the District of Harborough (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2016