

Winchester City

Division name	Number of Cllrs	Variance 2021	Description	Detail
Bishops Waltham	1	0%	This division comprises of parishes of Beauworth, Bishops Sutton, Bishops Waltham, Brandean & Hinton Ampner, Cheriton, Colden Common, Durley, Kilmiston, Owslebury, Tichborne, Twyford and Upham.	We received three submissions relating to this division. Two parish councils commented that Durley, Upham and Bishops Waltham are grouped together in the same division. Our division is based on the county-wide proposals received for Winchester City and groups these three parishes together. We consider this division reflects communities and provides for good electoral equality.
Itchen Valley	1	6%	This division comprises of parishes of Bighton, Chilcomb, Headbourne Worthy, Itchen Stoke & Ovington, Itchen Valley, Kings Worthy, Micheldever, New Alresford, Northington, Old Alresford and Wonston.	This division is based on county-wide proposals received for Winchester City. We consider this division reflects communities and provides for good electoral equality.
Meon Valley	1	5%	This division comprises of parishes of Corhampton & Meonstoke, Curdrige, Droxford, Exton, Hambledon, Shedfield, Swanmore, Warnford, West Meon, Whiteley and part of Soberton parish.	This division is based on county-wide proposals received for Winchester City. We received a submission from a parish council requesting that we take account of district ward boundaries. Where this meets our three statutory criteria, we have sought to do this. We are satisfied that our proposed Meon Valley division provides a good reflection of the statutory criteria and adopt it as part of our draft recommendations.

Winchester Downlands	1	6%	This division comprises of parishes of Badger Farm, Compton & Shawford, Crawley, Hursley, Littleton & Harestock, Olivers Battery, Otterbourne, South Wonston, Sparsholt and part of Winchester.	We received a submission from a parish council commenting that it should be represented by one councillor and that the division should reflect local district ward boundaries in Winchester. We have sought to reduce the high electoral variances proposed in the county-wide scheme in this part of the district. We have transferred an area between Andover Road, Stoney Lane and Stockbridge Road in Winchester to this division to improve electoral equality here and in Winchester Westgate division. We consider our modifications better reflect the statutory criteria and they therefore form part of our draft recommendations.
Winchester Eastgate	1	5%	This division comprises the Royal Hampshire County Hospital, University of Winchester and parts of Winchester to the east and west of the railway line.	The county-wide scheme proposed a Winchester Eastgate division with 14% more electors per councillor. To improve electoral equality, we have transferred an area between Andover Road and Worthy Road to Winchester Westgate division. We consider our modifications provide a good reflection of the statutory criteria and they therefore form part of our draft recommendations.
Winchester Southern Parishes	1	4%	This division comprises of parishes of Boarhunt, Denmead, Southwick & Widley, Wickham and part of Soberton parish.	We received two submissions relating to this division. One of the submissions commented that a new housing development being built west of Waterlooville should not be split between divisions. The second submission was the county-wide proposals received for Winchester City. We have based this division on the county-wide proposals. A part of the new housing development is also contained within this division. We consider this division reflects communities and provides for good electoral equality.
Winchester Westgate	1	6%	This division comprises parts of Winchester that straddle the east and west of the railway line.	We received a county-wide scheme that proposed a Winchester Westgate division with 14% more electors than the average for the county. As mentioned above, we have transferred an area between Andover Road, Stoney Lane
				and Stockbridge Road to Winchester Downlands division. We have also included an area between Andover Road and Worthy Road to improve electoral equality in Winchester Eastgate division.