CRAVEN DISTRICT COUNCIL

REVIEW OF POLLING DISTRICTS AND POLLING PLACES 2018/19

RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE (ACTING) RETURNING OFFICER

This document contains a schedule of the current/proposed polling places.

Aire Valley with Lothersdale Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
AVL 1	Village Hall, Lidget Road, Bradley, BD20 9DS	No Change	Approve for continued use
AVL 2	Village Institute, Cononley, BD20 8NT	No Change	Approve for continued use
AVL 3	The Institute, Main Street, Farnhill, BD20 9BJ	No Change	Approve for continued use
AVL 4	Parish Rooms, Kirkgate, Kildwick, BD20 9BB	No Change	Approve for continued use
AVL 5	Village Hall, Lothersdale, BD20 8EL	No Change	Approve for continued use

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Barden Fell Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	No. OF POLLING STATION VOTERS	TO BE APPROVED
BAF 1	The Institute, Appletreewick, BD23 6DA	No Change		Approve for continued use
BAF 2 (Barden)	Bolton Abbey Village Hall, Bolton Abbey, BD23 6EX	Change	65	Approve for future use
BAF 3, BAF 4, BAF 9	Bolton Abbey Village Hall, Bolton Abbey, BD23 6EX	No Change		Approve for continued use
BAF 5, BAF 12	Burnsall Village Hall, Burnsall, BD23 6BP	No Change		Approve for continued use
BAF 6, BAF 11	Cracoe and District Community Village Hall, Cracoe, BD23 6LQ	No Change		Approve for continued use
BAF 7	Village Hall, Draughton, BD23 6EG	No Change		Approve for continued use
BAF 8 (Halton East)	Bolton Abbey Village Hall, Bolton Abbey, BD23 6EX	Change	66	Approve for future use
BAF 10	Methodist Church Sunday School, Hetton, BD23 6LT	No Change		Approve for continued use

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In 2016, the polling place for the BAF 2 (Barden) polling district became unavailable. A replacement was found for the 2017 County Council elections, but this was then unavailable for the 2017 General Election, requiring electors to vote in Bolton Abbey instead. The replacement used in 2017 is primarily a wedding venue, and as such it cannot be guaranteed to be available for use as a polling station every year. The proposal is to move the polling place for BAF 2 to Bolton Abbey Village Hall permanently.

Similarly, since the last polling place review, the polling station for BAF 8 (Halton East) became unavailable and was replaced with a mobile polling station. While this has worked well, the mobile home used previously is no longer available. The proposal is to move the polling place for BAF 2 to Bolton Abbey Village Hall permanently.

Bentham Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
BEN 1	Village Hall, High Street, Burton-	No Change	Approve for continued use
	in-Lonsdale		
BEN 2	Town Hall, Bentham, Lancaster,	No Change	Approve for continued use
	LA2 7LH		
BEN 3	Low Bentham Victoria Institute,	No Change	Approve for continued use
	Low Bentham, LA2 7BX		

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Cowling Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
COW 1	Cowling Village Hall, Acre Road,	No Change	Approve for continued use
	Cowling, BD22 0FN		

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Embsay-with-Eastby Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
EWE 1	Embsay-with-Eastby Village Hall,	No Change	Approve for continued use
	Main Street, Embsay, BD23 6RE		

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Gargrave and Malhamdale Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
GAM 1, GAM 3, GAM 12, GAM 13	Quaker Meeting House, Airton, BD23 4AE	No Change	Approve for continued use
GAM 2, GAM 5, GAM 6, GAM 7	Village Hall, West Street, Gargrave, BD23 3RD	No Change	Approve for continued use
GAM 4	Richard Tottie Memorial Hall, Coniston Cold, BD23 4AE	No Change	Approve for continued use
GAM 8, GAM 9, GAM 10, GAM 11	Village Hall, Malham, BD23 4DH	No Change	Approve for continued use
GAM 14	Mobile Station, Car Park, White Hills Golf Range, Stirton, BD23 3LH	No Change	Approve for continued use

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Glusburn Ward

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Grassington Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
GRA 1	Church House, Main Street, Grassington,	No Change	Approve for continued use
	BD23 5BD		
GRA 2, GRA 3	The Ibbotson Institute, Hebden, BD23 5DP	No Change	Approve for continued use
GRA 4	Anderton Institute, Linton, BD23 5HQ	No Change	Approve for continued use

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Hellifield and Long Preston Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
HLP 1	The Institute, Hellifield, BD23 4HT	No Change	Approve for continued use
HLP 2	Village Hall, Long Preston, BD23 4NU	No Change	Approve for continued use

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Ingleton and Clapham Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
IAC 1, IAC 4	Parish Hall, Austwick, LA2 8BN	No Change	Approve for continued use
IAC 2	Clapham Village Hall, Clapham, LA2 8DZ	No Change	Approve for continued use
IAC 3	Ingleborough Community Centre, Ingleton, LA6 3HG	No Change	Approve for continued use
IAC 5	Westhouse Village Hall, Westhouse, LA6 3PB	No Change	Approve for continued use

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Penyghent Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
PEN 1	Parish Rooms, Bankwell Road, Giggleswick,	No Change	Approve for continued use
	BD24 0AP		
PEN 2	The Village Hall, Chapel Lane, Horton-in-	No Change	Approve for continued use
	Ribblesdale, BD24 0HH		
PEN 3	Stainforth Village Hall, Stainforth, BD24 9PE	No Change	Approve for continued use

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Settle and Ribblebanks Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
SAR 1, SAR 5	Wigglesworth Community Centre,	No Change	Approve for continued use
	Wigglesworth, BD23 4RD		
SAR 2	Village Institute, Langcliffe, BD24 9RD	No Change	Approve for continued use
SAR 3	Victoria Hall, 24 Kirkgate, Settle, BD24 9DZ	No Change	Approve for continued use
SAR 4	Rathmell Reading Room, Rathmell, BD24	No Change	Approve for continued use
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(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Skipton East Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	No. OF POLLING STATION VOTERS	TO BE APPROVED
SKE1	Skipton Baptist Church, Otley Road, Skipton	New Polling Station	1091	Approve for future use
SKE2	Skipton Baptist Church, Otley Road, Skipton	New Polling Station	1227	Approve for future use

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

The polling place for SKE2 (St John Hall) has recently been sold and is no longer available. The Prevention Service Hub on Otley Street, has also recently closed down. Skipton Baptist Church, also on Otley Street could serve as a replacement for both. It is a large space with level access to the side of the building.

Skipton North Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	No. OF POLLING STATION VOTERS	TO BE APPROVED
SKN 1	Town Hall, High Street, Skipton, BD23 1AH	Change	1,016	Approve for future use
SKN 2	Town Hall, High Street, Skipton, BD23 1AH	No Change		Approve for continued use
SKN 3	Site Office, Overdale Park, Harrogate Road, Skipton, BD23 6AA	No Change		Approve for continued use

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

The polling place for SKN 1 has been Craven Swimming Pool. When the polling place first moved to this location, it served the purpose well, however since then, parking charges have been introduced, the polling station location was moved from the café area to the dance studio and new internal barriers have been erected creating obstacles for voters. The Town Hall is an existing polling station with free parking spaces available, good access and being located a similar distance away for most voters within the polling district. The proposal is to move the polling place from the Swimming Pool to the Town Hall.

Skipton South Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
SKS 1	Skipton Children's Centre, Brougham	No Change	Approve for continued use
	Street, Skipton, BD23 2ES		
SKS 2	Greatwood/Horse Close Community	No Change	Approve for continued use
	Centre, North Parade, Skipton, BD23 2SR		

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Skipton West Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	No. OF POLLING STATION VOTERS	TO BE APPROVED
SKW 1	Broughton Road Community Centre, Broughton Road, Skipton BD23 1TT	No Change		Approve for continued use
SKW 2 (a)	Champions Church, Carleton Road, Skipton, BD23 2AU	Change	800	Approve for future use
SKW 2 (b)	Champions Church, Carleton Road, Skipton, BD23 2AU	No Change		Approve for continued use

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

In SKW 2 previously, two different polling places have been used for one polling district. There should only be one polling place per polling district. The proposal is to stop using Christ Church as a polling place and have all voters in the polling district vote at Champions Church.

Sutton-in-Craven Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	TO BE APPROVED
SIC 1, SIC 2	South Craven Baptist Church, Holme Lane, Sutton-in-Craven, BD20 7LL	No Change	Approve for continued use

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Upper Wharfedale Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	No. OF POLLING STATION VOTERS	TO BE APPROVED
UWH1, UWH4, UWH5, UWH6	Amerdale Hall, Arncliffe, BD23 5QD	No Change		Approve for continued use
UWH2	Village Institute, Buckden, BD23 5JA	No Change		Approve for continued use
UWH3 (Conistone-with- Kilnsey)	Threshfield Village Institute	Change	91	Approve for future use
UWH7	Village Hall, Kettlewell, BD23 5QZ	No Change		Approve for continued use
UWH8	Threshfield Village Institute, Threshfield, BD23 5HQ	No Change		Approve for continued use

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Residents of Polling District UWH3 (Conistone-with-Kilnsey) have previously voted at Kilnsey Village Hall. There are however only 91 registered polling station voters in that polling district. The recommendation is to change the location of the polling station to Threshfield Village Institute.

West Craven Ward

POLLING DISTRICT	POLLING PLACE	PROPOSAL	No. OF POLLING	TO BE APPROVED
			STATION VOTERS	
WCR 1 (Broughton)	Village Institute, West Marton, BD23 3UD	Change	64	Approve for future use
WCR 2	Village Hall, Carleton, BD23 3HN	No Change		Approve for continued use
WCR 3 (Elslack), WCR 5		Change	352	Find alternative venue
(Thornton-in-Craven)				
WCR 4	Village Institute, West Marton,	No Change		Approve for continued use
	BD23 3UD			

(Acting) Returning Officer's Proposal

Residents of Polling District WCR1 (Broughton) have previously voted at Utopia, Broughton Hall. There are however only 64 registered polling station voters in that polling district. The recommendation is to change the location of the polling station to Village Institute, West Marton. Since the last polling district review, residents of Polling Districts WRC3 (Elslack) and WCR5 (Thornton-in-Craven) have voted at St Marys Church, Thornton-in-Craven. The church committee no longer wish the church to be used as a polling station, so an alternative venue needs to be found. Possibilities include the Village Hall, or the local primary school.