

East Suffolk Council

Review of Polling District, Polling Places and Polling Stations

APPENDIX B - Consultation Responses

Date	Respondee	Polling District / Area	Polling Station	Consultation Response	(A)RO Response
05/10/2023	Resident (Lowestoft)	St Margarets Centre / Oulton East	Benjamin Britten Academy	Not on public transport route for someone disabled its too far from a bus stop. Access via my wheelchair is difficult because paths where tree is as you approach school are uneven and broken. I didn't vote last time because I fell there the time before, too long a walk from bus stop ok if you drive.	Visit completed, polling station accessible, paths suitable for wheelchairs. Bus stops are situated 2 minutes, 5 minutes and 8 minutes away for the following services; 101, 1, 1A, X1, 981, BM12 and TS12. Elector previously requested postal vote but has made application, replacement postal vote application form sent. No viable alternative polling station within area.
19/10/2023	Woodbridge Town Council	Woodbridge	All Woodbridge Polling Stations	The Council agree to make No Comment on t he local review of polling stations (noting that there were no proposed changes for Woodbridge)	Noted - no changes recommended
19/10/2023	Kesgrave Town Council	Kesgrave	All Kesgrave Polling Stations	The 'East Suffolk - Polling District & Polling Places Review 2023' was discussed at our full Town Council meeting on Monday 16 October 2023. Council are in agreement with the proposals, however would just like to ensure when polling cards are issued that if the polling station has changed then this is highlighted to avoid any confusion on voting day.	Noted - no changes recommended
24/11/2023	Little Bealings Parish Council	Little Bealings	Bealings Village Hall	The PC considered the consultation at a recent meeting and supports the retention of the current arrangements.	Noted - no changes recommended