

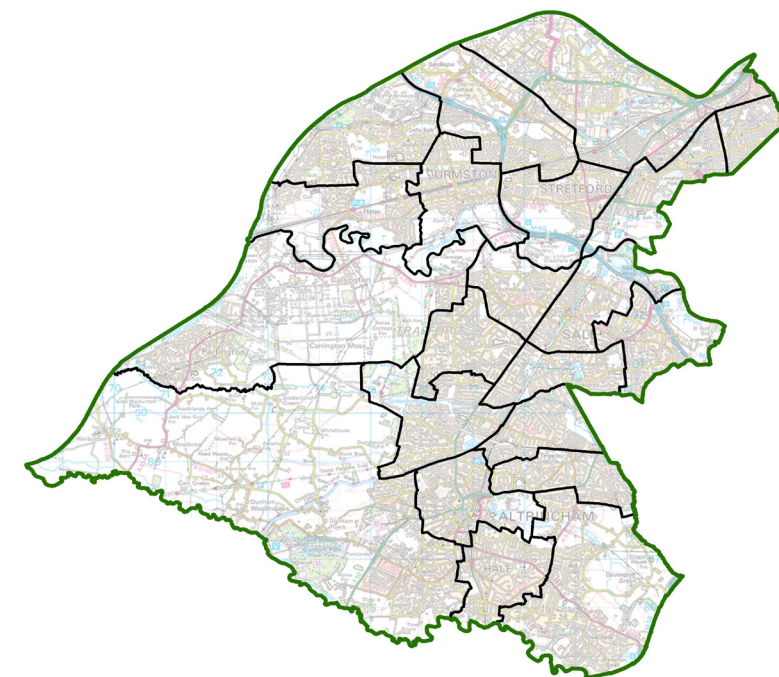
Our Recommendations

The table lists all the wards we are proposing as part of our final recommendations along with the number of electors in each ward. The table also shows the electoral variances for each of the proposed wards which tells you how we have delivered electoral equality. Finally, the table includes electorate projections for 2027 so you can see the impact of the recommendations for the future.

Trafford Council

Final Recommendations on the new electoral arrangements

Ward Name	Number of councillors	Electorate (2021)	Number of electors per councillor	Variance from average (%)	Electorate (2027)	Number of electors per councillor	Variance from average (%)
Altrincham	3	7,804	2601	-5%	8,414	2805	-4%
Ashton upon Mersey	3	7,698	2566	-6%	8,085	2695	-7%
Bowdon	3	8,575	2858	4%	8,882	2961	2%
Broadheath	3	8,873	2958	8%	9,111	3037	4%
Brooklands	3	7,855	2618	-4%	8,067	2689	-7%
Bucklow-St Martins	3	7,208	2403	12%	8,454	2818	-3%
Davyhulme	3	8,961	2987	9%	9,247	3082	6%
Flixton	3	8,719	2906	6%	8,967	2989	3%
Gorse Hill & Cornbrook	3	7,648	2549	-7%	9,519	3173	9%
Hale	3	7,859	2620	-4%	8,100	2700	-7%
Hale Barns & Timperley South	3	7,609	2536	-7%	7,821	2607	-10%
Longford	3	7,881	2627	-4%	8,844	2948	1%
Lostock & Barton	3	8,304	2768	1%	9,108	3036	4%
Manor	3	8,552	2851	4%	8,928	2976	2%
Old Trafford	3	8,498	2833	3%	8,734	2911	0%
Sale Central	3	7,544	2515	-8%	8,253	2751	-5%
Sale Moor	3	8,266	2755	1%	8,549	2850	-2%
Stretford & Humphrey Park	3	8,794	2931	7%	9,002	3001	3%
Timperley Central	3	8,572	2857	4%	8,918	2973	2%
Timperley North	3	8,766	2922	7%	9,071	3024	4%
Urmston	3	8,723	2908	6%	9,062	3021	4%
Totals	-	172,709	-	-	183,136	-	-
Averages	-	-	2,741	-	-	2,907	-



Who we are

- The Local Government Boundary Commission for England is an independent body set up by Parliament.
- We are not part of government or any political party.
- We are accountable to Parliament through a committee of MPs chaired by the Speaker of the House of Commons.
- Our main role is to carry out electoral reviews of local authorities throughout England.

Electoral review

An electoral review examines and proposes new electoral arrangements for a local authority, including:

- The total number of councillors representing the council's electors ('council size').
- The names, number and boundaries of wards or electoral divisions.
- The number of councillors for each ward or division.

Why Trafford?

- The Commission has a legal duty to carry out an electoral review of each council in England 'from time to time'.
- Trafford Council has not been reviewed since 2003 and the Commission has therefore decided that it should review Trafford in advance of the elections in 2023.

Our proposals

- Trafford Council currently has 63 councillors. Based on the evidence we received, we recommend that 63 councillors should serve the council in the future.
- We believe our final recommendations meet our statutory criteria to:
 1. Deliver electoral equality for electors
 2. Reflect community interests and identities
 3. Promote effective and convenient local government

Summary of our recommendations

We have considered all the submissions we received during our consultation on the draft recommendations.

The final recommendations propose that Trafford Council should have 63 councillors, the same as there are now. These councillors should represent 21 three-councillor wards.

The boundaries of 18 wards will change; three will stay the same.

An outline of the proposals is shown in the map to the right. A detailed report on the recommendations and interactive mapping is available on our website at: www.lgbce.org.uk.

Find out more at consultation.lgbce.org.uk:

- view the map of our recommendations down to street level.
- zoom into the areas that interest you most.
- read the full report of our recommendations.
- find more guidance on the review process

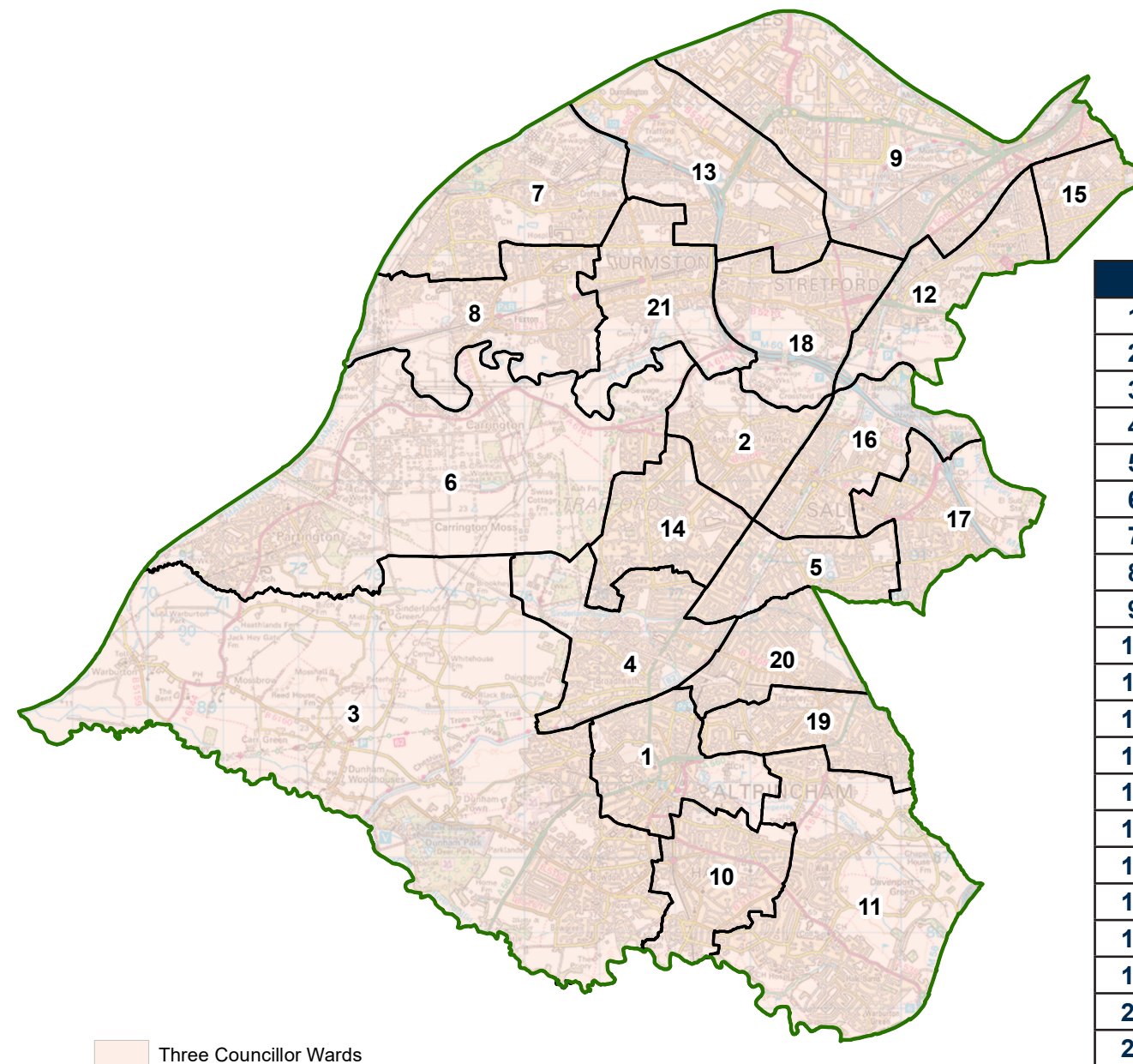
Stage of Review	Description
15 June 2021 - 23 August 2021	Public consultation on warding arrangements
30 November 2021- 7 February 2022	Public consultation on draft recommendations
31 May 2022	Publication of final recommendations
May 2023	Subject to parliamentary approval - implementation of new arrangements at local elections

Overview of final recommendations for Trafford Council

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Ward	
1	Altrincham
2	Ashton Upon Mersey
3	Bowdon
4	Broadheath
5	Brooklands
6	Bucklow-St Martins
7	Davyhulme
8	Flixton
9	Gorse Hill & Cornbrook
10	Hale
11	Hale Barns & Timperley South
12	Longford
13	Lostock & Barton
14	Manor
15	Old Trafford
16	Sale Central
17	Sale Moor
18	Stretford & Humphrey Park
19	Timperley Central
20	Timperley North
21	Urmston