The
Local Government
Boundary Commission
for England

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**Summary Report** 

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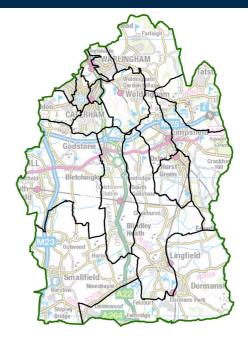
### **Our Recommendations**

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 2028 so you can see the impact of the recommendations for the future.

Ward Name	Number of councillors	Electorate (2023)	Number of electors per councillor	Variance from average (%)	Electorate (2028)	Number of electors per councillor	Variance from average (%)
Bletchingley & Nutfield	3	4,496	1,499	-2%	4,859	1,620	-2%
Burstow, Horne & Outwood	3	4,855	1,618	6%	5,236	1,745	6%
Chaldon	1	1,421	1,421	-7%	1,549	1,549	-6%
Dormansland & Felbridge	3	4,416	1,472	-3%	4,817	1,606	-3%
Godstone	3	4,536	1,512	-1%	4,924	1,641	-1%
Harestone	2	3,229	1,615	6%	3,482	1,741	5%
Limpsfield	2	2,878	1,439	-5%	3,122	1,561	-6%
Lingfield & Crowhurst	3	4,318	1,439	-5%	4,687	1,562	-5%
Oxted North	3	4,320	1,440	-5%	4,676	1,559	-6%
Oxted South	3	4,429	1,476	-3%	4,860	1,620	-2%
Portley & Queens Park	3	4,711	1,570	3%	5,248	1,749	6%
Tatsfield & Titsey	1	1,566	1,566	3%	1,695	1,695	3%
Valley	2	3,222	1,611	6%	3,508	1,754	6%
Warlingham East & Chelsham & Farleigh	3	4,356	1,452	-5%	4,732	1,577	-5%
Warlingham West	2	3,153	1,577	4%	3,432	1,716	4%
Westway	3	5,041	1,680	10%	5,377	1,792	8%
Whyteleafe	2	2,924	1,462	-4%	3,160	1,580	-4%
Woldingham	1	1,590	1,590	4%	1,710	1,710	3%
Totals	43	65,461	-	-	71,076	-	-
Averages	-	-	1,522	•	-	1,653	-

# Tandridge District Council

Final Recommendations on the new electoral arrangements



### 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 Tandridge?

- The Commission has a legal duty to carry out an electoral review of each council in England 'from time to time'
- Tandridge Council has not been reviewed since 1998 and the Commission has therefore decided that it should review Tandridge in advance of the elections in 2024.

### Our proposals

- Tandridge Council currently has 42 councillors. Based on the evidence we received, we recommend that 43 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 our draft recommendations.

The final recommendations propose that Tandridge should have 43 councillors, an increase of one.

Tandridge should have 18 wards, a decrease of two. The boundaries of 10 of the existing wards should change.

The 43 councillors should represent 10 three-councillor, five two-councillor and three single-councillor wards across the district.

An outline of the proposals is shown in the map to the right.

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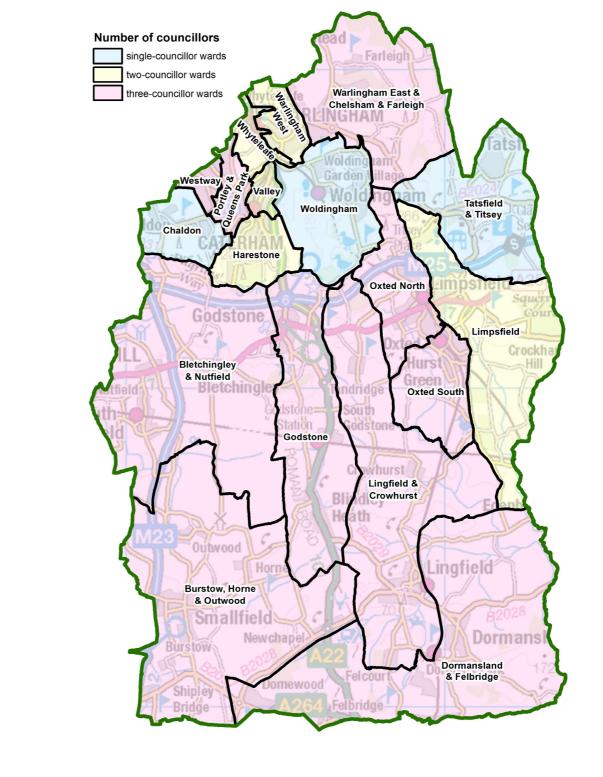
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- view the map of our recommendations down to street level.
- zoom into the areas that interest you most.
- read the full report of our recommendations.
- find more guidance on the review process

# Overview of final recommendations for Tandridge District Council

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Stage of Review	Description			
10 January 2023 -	Public consultation on warding			
20 March 2023	arrangments			
30 May 2023 -	Public consultation on draft			
7 August 2023	recommendations			
31 October 2023	Publication of final			
	recommendations			
	Subject to parliamentary			
May 2024	approval - implementation of			
	new arrangements at local			
	elections			