

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH  
ACT 2007**

The Hinckley and Bosworth (Reorganisation of Community Governance)  
Order 2026

*Made*        10 June 2026

*Coming into force in accordance with article 1(2)*

Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council (“the council”), in accordance with section 83 of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 (“the 2007 Act”), has undertaken a community governance review and made recommendations dated 12 May 2026:

The council has decided to give effect to those recommendations and, in accordance with section 93 of the 2007 Act, has consulted with the local government electors and other interested persons and has had regard to the need to secure that community governance reflects the identities and interests of the community and is effective and convenient:

The council, in accordance with section 100 of the 2007 Act, has had regard to guidance issued under that section:

The council makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 86, 98(3), 98(4), 98(6) and 240(10) of the 2007 Act.

**Citation and commencement**

1.— (1) This Order may be cited as the Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2026.

(2) Subject to paragraphs (3) and (4) below this order shall come into force on 10 June 2026.

## Interpretation

### 2. In this Order—

“district” means the district of Hinckley and Bosworth;

“map” means the map marked “Map referred to in the Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2026” and deposited in accordance with section 96(4) of the 2007 Act;

“ordinary day of election of councillors” has the meaning given by section 37 of the Representation of the People Act 1983; and

“registration officer” means an officer appointed for the purpose of, and in accordance with, section 8 of the Representation of the People Act 1983.

## Effect of Order

3. This Order has effect subject to any agreement under section 99 (agreements about incidental matters) of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 relevant to any provision of this Order.

## Constitution of a new parish

4. (1) A new parish, comprising the shaded (pink, green, purple and blue) area on the map, shall be constituted within the district.
- (2) The name of the new parish shall be Hinckley.

## Parish council for the parish of Hinckley

5. (1) There shall be a parish council for the parish of Hinckley.
- (2) The name of that council shall be “Hinckley Town Council”.

## Elections for the parish of Hinckley

6. (1) The election of all parish councillors for the parish of Hinckley shall be held on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2027.

(2) The term of office of every parish councillor elected on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2027 for the parish of Hinckley shall be four years.

#### Number of parish councillors for the parish of Hinckley

7. The number of councillors to be elected for the parish of Hinckley shall be 20.

#### Wards of the parish of Hinckley and numbers of parish councillors

8. (1) The parish of Hinckley shall be divided into four wards which shall be named as set out in column (1) of Schedule 1.

(2) Each ward shall comprise the area of the district specified in respect of the ward in column (2) of that Schedule.

(3) The number of councillors to be elected for each ward shall be as specified in respect of the ward in column (3) of that Schedule.

#### 9. Electoral register

10. The registration officer for the district shall make such rearrangement of, or adaptation of, the register of local government electors as may be necessary for the purposes of, and in consequence of, this Order.

#### Transfer of property, rights and liabilities

11. Any land, property, rights and liabilities to be transferred to Hinckley Parish Council shall be arranged by separate agreement between Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council and Hinckley Parish Council.

#### Transitional provision

12. (1) Until the councillors elected to the council of the new parish of Hinckley at the elections to be held on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2027 come into office, an interim parish council will be created (with all the statutory powers of a parish council).

(2) The interim parish council shall consist of councillors appointed by Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council.

Order date

14. 10 June 2026 is the order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) (England) Regulations 2008.

Sealed with the seal of the council on the 10th day of June 2026

Authorised Officer

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## SCHEDULE 1

### WARDS OF THE PARISH OF HINCKLEY

<b>NAMES AND AREAS OF WARDS AND NUMBERS OF COUNCILLORS</b> <i>Column (1)</i>	<i>Column (2)</i>	<i>Column (3)</i>
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<i>Name of Ward</i>	<i>Area of Ward</i>	<i>Number of Councillors</i>
Castle	Whole of the ward as shown on the map	4
Clarendon	Whole of the ward as shown on the map	6
De Monfort	Whole of the ward as shown on the map	6
Trinity	Whole of the ward as shown on the map	4





