
DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2024 No.

The Worcester (Electoral Changes) Order 2024

Citation, commencement, extent and application

- 1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Worcester (Electoral Changes) Order 2024.
- (2) This article and article 2 come into force on the day after the day on which this Order is made.
- (3) Articles 3 and 4 comes into force—
 - (a) for the purpose of proceedings preliminary or relating to the election of councillors, on the day after the day on which this Order is made;
 - (b) for all other purposes, on the ordinary day of election of councillors in England⁽¹⁾ in 2024.
- (4) This Order extends to England and Wales but applies in relation to England only.

Interpretation

- 2.—(1) In this Order, “the map” means the map marked “Map referred to in the Worcester (Electoral Changes) Order 2024”, held by the Local Government Boundary Commission for England⁽²⁾.
- (2) Where a boundary is shown on the map as running along a road, railway line, footway, watercourse or similar geographical feature, it is to be treated as running along the centre line of the feature.

Wards of the city of Worcester and number of councillors

- 3.—(1) The existing wards of the city of Worcester are abolished.
- (2) The city of Worcester is divided into the 16 wards listed in the first column of the table in Schedule 1.
- (3) Each ward comprises the area identified on the map by reference to the name of the ward.
- (4) The number of councillors to be elected for each ward is the number specified in relation to that ward in the second column of the table in Schedule 1.

Parish wards of the parish of Warndon

- 4.—(1) The existing wards of the parish of Warndon are abolished.
- (2) The parish of Warndon is divided into the two parish wards listed in Schedule 2.
- (3) Each parish ward comprises the area identified on the map by reference to the name of the parish ward.

(1) The ordinary day of election of councillors in England is prescribed by section 37(1) of the Representation of the People Act 1983 (c. 2), as amended by section 18(2) of the Representation of the People Act 1985 (c. 50), renumbered by paragraph 5 of Schedule 3 to the Greater London Authority Act 1999 (c. 29), and further amended by section 6(16) of the Wales Act 2017 (c. 4).

(2) Prints of the map are available for inspection at reasonable times at the principal office of the Local Government Boundary Commission for England, 1st Floor, Windsor House, 50 Victoria Street, London SW1H 0TL. It is also accessible online at <https://www.worcester.gov.uk>.

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(4) The number of councillors to be elected for each parish ward is 4.

Sealed with the seal of the Local Government Boundary Commission for England

Date

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