

Polling District and Polling Place Review 2019
Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council

Responses to the Consultation

Polling District	Polling Station	Consultation Responses
Abbey Ward		
ABA	St Hilda`s Church Hall	Councillor Piper proposes no changes
ABB	Abbey Infant School	Councillor Piper proposes no changes
ABC	Thimblemill Library	Councillor Bob Piper: Might be better to switch to St Gregory's School as this will help avoid uphill roads.
ABD	Bearwood Primary School	Councillor Bob Piper: There is a church at the back of the primary schools which might be a better alternative.
ABE	St Mary's Hall	Councillor Piper proposes no changes
ABF	St Gregory's R.C. Primary School	Councillor Piper proposes no changes
ABG	The Pavilion, Warley Woods Community Trust	Councillor Piper proposes no changes
Blackheath Ward		
BLA	Blackheath Central Methodist Church	
BLB	Rowley Regis Disability Centre	
BLC	Community Lounge, St. Giles Court	
BLD	The Parish of The English Martyrs	
BLE	Blackheath Primary School, (Assembly Hall)	

BLF, BLG	Highfields Primary School	
BLH	Blackheath Central Methodist Church	
Bristnall Ward		
BRA	Langley Swimming Centre	Councillor Elaine Giles proposes no changes apart from moving Moat Farm School polling station to here.
BRB, BRC	Moat Farm Infant School	Councillor Elaine Giles supports the proposal to move from Moat Farm Infant School to Langley Swimming Centre. The school does not have adequate disabled access and Langley Swimming centre would be more convenient for electors and does have disabled access.
BRD, BRH	Our Lady & St Hubert's R C Primary School	Councillor Elaine Giles proposes no changes
BRE	Community Hall, Hurst Road	Councillor Elaine Giles proposes no changes
BRF	George Road Community Church	Councillor Elaine Giles proposes no changes
BRG	Barlow Homes Community Centre	Councillor Elaine Giles proposes no changes
Charlemont with Grove Vale Ward		
CHA	Connor Education Centre	
CHA, CHF	Connor Education Centre	
CHB, CHC	Church of St. Mary Magdalene	

CHD	Great Barr Hotel	
CHE	Grove Vale Primary School	
CHG	West Bromwich Community Centre	
Cradley Heath and Old Hill Ward		
CRA	Temporary Hut, Mary MacArthur Memorial Gardens	
CRB, CRC	Corngreaves Primary School	
CRD, CRE	Holy Trinity Church	
CRF	Temple Meadow Primary School	
CRG	Haden Hill Leisure Centre	
CRH	Timbertree Academy	
Friar Park Ward		
FPA	Woods Methodist Church	
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FPB	Priory Primary School	Councillor Hackett suggested enquiring whether the children's centre part of the school could be used as the polling station so that the school could remain open on polling day. If not, then a new potential building could be the Millennium Centre.
FPB	Priory Primary School	

FPC	Tameside Primary School	Councillor Hackett suggested an alternative building could be Price Road Gospel Hall.
FPD	Mesty Croft Academy	Councillor Hackett suggested an alternative building could be St Lukes Church and Centre
Great Barr with Yew Tree Ward		
GYA	Yew Tree & Tame Bridge Community Centre	
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GYB	Q3 Academy, Community Entrance	
GYC	Great Barr War Memorial Hall	
GYD, GYE	Great Barr Library, (car park entrance Readers Walk)	
GYF	Holy Name R.C. Parish Centre	
GYG	Temporary Hut 1, Woodruff Way	
GYG	Temporary Hut 2, Woodruff Way	
Great Bridge Ward		
GBA	Jubilee Park Community Centre	Councillor Allen proposes no changes

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GBB	Great Bridge Primary School	Councillor Allen proposes no changes
GBC	Great Bridge Library & Children's Centre	Councillor Allen proposes no changes
GBD	New Testament Church of God	Councillor Allen proposes no changes
Greets Green & Lyng Ward		
GGA	Ryders Green Primary School	Councillor Edwards proposes no changes
GGB	Hanbury Primary School, (Former Guns Village Primary)	Councillor Edwards proposes no changes
GGC	Lodge Road Community Centre	Councillor Edwards proposes no changes
GGD, GGE	Lyng Primary School	Councillor Edwards proposes no changes
GGF	Hanbury Primary School, (Former Guns Village Primary)	Councillor Edwards proposes no changes
GGG	Farley Park Lodge Community Centre	Councillor John Edwards: Supports the move to Ryders Green Road Church and agrees that the polling station must be within the polling district. There are not many other alternatives and whilst portable huts are not usually ideal, it may be better to have one here if it means the polling station remains in the district.
Hateley Heath Ward		

HHA	St John Bosco School	Councillor Moore, Millar and Sandars propose no changes
HHB	Moorlands Methodist Church Hall, (Cornerstone Fellowship)	Councillor Moore is happy to move from here to either Hall Green Primary or Holy Cross RC Church
HHC	Temporary Hut, Car Park, Holy Cross R.C.	Councillor Millar and Councillor Moore strongly object to moving from here. Councillor Millar stated that it will need to be retained to accommodate a large housing development on Hall Green Road
HHD	Hall Green Primary School	Councillor Moore, Millar and Sandars propose no changes apart from moving electors from Moorlands Methodist Church to here if necessary
HHE	Sandwell Community School, Temporary Hut on Car Park	Councillor Sandars objects to moving from here as this will disenfranchise elderly and vulnerable electors. Councillor Moore agreed that moving to Hope Church is an option but that we had previously moved from there because they wouldn't have us anymore.
HHF	West Bromwich Community Centre	No comments received
HHG	Hargate Primary School	No comments received
HHH	Hateley Heath Primary School	No comments received
Langley Ward		
LAA	St James' C E Primary School	Councillor Davies proposes no changes
LAB, LAG	Temporary Hut, York Road Social Club	Martin Prestidge objects to the suggestion of relocating to the Ramada Hotel and Brandhall Conservative Club. The hotel is not suitable due to its location within the

		<p>polling district. Brandhall Conservative Club is not suitable because of the direct link with a political party and the access is via a long path at the side of the building. Martin Prestidge suggested possible alternatives of The Ashes, Oldbury Road, Foyer of Lancaster House, Oldbury Road and York Road Social Club.</p> <p>Councillor Davies suggested remaining in the temporary hut on York Road but positioning it more centrally on the road. Also suggested placing a dome hawk and signage to deter vandals.</p>
LAC	Langley Lodge Community Centre	Councillor Davies proposes no changes
LAD	Zion United Reformed Church Hall	Councillor Davies proposes no changes
LAE	Brandhall Golf Club (Coffee Shop)	Councillor Davies proposes no changes
LAF	Causeway Green Primary School	Councillor Davies proposes no changes
Newton Ward		
NEA	St Bernard's Church	Councillor McVittie proposes no changes
NEB	Temporary Hut, Meadowside Close	Councillor Davies and Councillor McVittie propose to make no change to the position of this temporary hut. The car park behind Scott Arms Social Club is too secluded and there would be concerns as to the security of the temporary hut.
NEC	Ferndale Primary School	Councillor McVittie proposes no changes
NED	Community Room Hamstead House,	Councillor McVittie proposes no changes

NEE	Tanhouse Community Centre	Councillor McVittie proposes no changes
Oldbury Ward		
OLA	Methodist Centre Dudley Port	
OLB	Tipton Road Methodist Church	
OLC	The Meadows Sports College	
OLD	Christchurch C of E Church	
OLE	Rounds Green Primary School	
OLF	Tividale Community Primary School	
Old Warley Ward		
OWA	Brandhall Primary School	
OWB, OWC	Lightwoods Primary School, (Peter Wells Community Hall)	
OWD	Warley Baptist Church	
OWE, OWF	Brandhall Library	
OWG, OWH	Temporary Hut, On School Car Park, Perryfields Maths & Computing College	

Princes End Ward		
PEA	William Perry Boxing Club	Councillor Allen suggested using the neighbourhood office next door to the boxing club as an alternative.
PEB	Wednesbury Oak Academy	
PEC	St Mark's Church Hall	
PED	Glebefields Primary School	
PEE	Glebefields Library	
PEF, PEG	St John the Evangelist Church Hall	
Rowley Ward		
ROA	Rowley Regis Sure Start Centre	
ROB	Rowley Regis Sure Start Centre	
ROC	Rowley Hall Primary School	
ROD	Temporary Hut, Blue Stone Walk/, Portway Hill	
ROE	Rowley Regis Disability Centre	
ROF	Brickhouse Primary School	
ROG	St James' W.R. Church, Wesleyan Centre	
Smethwick Ward		

SMA, SMB	Temporary Hut, Car Park at, Londonderry Lane Playing Fields	Councillor Wasim Ali supports the move to the car park of Your Vets, Londonderry Lane
SMC	Smethwick Fire Station	Councillor Wasim Ali proposes no changes
SMD	Holy Trinity Church	Councillor Wasim Ali proposes no changes
SME, SMG	Akrill Memorial Methodist Church	Councillor Wasim Ali proposes no changes
SMF	Dorothy Parkes Centre	Councillor Wasim Ali proposes no changes
SMH	St Mark's Church	Councillor Wasim Ali: St Mark's Church is due to close down soon – we will need to look for an alternative for this. There is a nursery nearby the church which could be explored as a potential alternative.
Soho & Victoria Ward		
SVA	Smethwick Baptist Church	
SVB	Windmill Community Centre	
SVC	Community Action Project	
SVD	Ron Davis Family Educ., & Training Centre	
SVE	Cape Primary School, Durban Road	
SVF	Shireland Hall Primary Academy	
SVG	Hadley Park Stadium	

SVH	Smethwick Heritage Centre	
St Paul's Ward		
SPA	St Johns Community Centre	Councillor Babu Singh Bawa proposes no changes
SPB	Rood End Primary School	Councillor Babu Singh Bawa proposes no changes
SPC	Galton Village Play Centre	Councillor Babu Singh Bawa supports the move to New Hope Christian Centre
SPD	North Smethwick Resource Centre	Councillor Babu Singh Bawa proposes no changes
SPE	Galton Valley Primary School	Councillor Babu Singh Bawa proposes no changes
SPF	West Smethwick Methodist Church Parlour	Councillor Babu Singh Bawa proposes no changes
SPG	St Alban's Community Centre	Councillor Babu Singh Bawa proposes no changes
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Tipton Green Ward		
TGA	Grace Community Church	
TGB	The Nursery, St Paul's Academy	
TGC	Multi Agency Centre, St. Martin`s Primary School	

TGD	Church of Sacred Heart & Holy Souls	
TGE	Silvertrees Academy	
TGF	Church Hall Rear of St. Matthew`s Church	
Tividale Ward		Councillor Maria Crompton: Not received much feedback from electors regarding the polling stations in this ward. Also, there are not many alternatives around.
TIA	Oakham Primary School	Councillor Maria Crompton proposes no changes
TIB	Tividale Hall Primary School	Councillor Maria Crompton proposes no changes
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TIC	Oakham Library	Councillor Maria Crompton proposes no changes
TID	Grace Mary Primary School	Councillor Maria Crompton proposes no changes
TIE	Residents Lounge Darley House	Councillor Maria Crompton proposes no changes
Wednesbury North Ward		
WNA	Temporary Hut , Cemetery, Beebee Road	
WNB	Albert Pritchard Infant School	
WNC	St Bartholomew's Church Hall	

WND	Wood Green Junior School	
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WNE	Holyhead Primary Academy	
Wednesbury South Ward		
WSA, WSB	Leabrook Methodist Church Hall	
WSC	Wesley Centre, Central Methodist Church	Councillor McVittie suggested moving the polling station from here to Wednesbury Town Hall. The Wesley Centre is outside of the ward whereas the Town Hall is within the polling district and more suitably located for all electors.
WSD	Moorlands Primary School	
WSE	Hill Top Methodist Church	
WSE, WSF	Hill Top Methodist Church	
WSG	Harvills Hawthorn Primary School	
West Bromwich Central Ward		
WBA	Hallam Street Methodist Church	
WBB	The West Bromwich Hotel and Spa	

WBC	Holy Trinity Church Hall	
WBD	Kenrick Park Community Centre	
WBE	West Bromwich African Caribbean Resource Centre	
WBF	St Philips Church Hall	
WBG	West Bromwich Town Hall	
WBH	Greets Green Access Centre	