

REVIEW OF POLLING DISTRICTS, POLLING PLACES AND POLLING STATIONS IN THE CEREDIGION COUNTY COUNCIL AREA

Form for submission of comments for proposals

Whilst we cannot receive anonymous submissions, personal details of members of the public will not be made public. Submissions from representative bodies and persons such as Councils, Councillors and Senedd Members/Member of Parliament etc. will be named within the report.

Personal Details

(this information will not be made public)

Full Name	
Organisation (if relevant)	
Address (including postcode)	
Telephone number	
E-mail address	

Comments do not have to be restricted to alternative proposals; support for the current arrangements is also welcome.

Please clearly state which polling district, place or station you are referring to in your response.

Please provide as much relevant information as you can about your current polling district, place or station, including how convenient (or not) the location is in relation to where you live.

Comments to include:

- whether there is adequate parking,
- what access is available for disabled and/or wheelchair users and
- how suitable overall it is for voting.

Please also indicate whether there are any other suitable premises that could be used as an alternative.

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Comments

Please inform us the name of the Polling Station you are referring to:

Please add any comments (no more than 2,000 words) in support of your view(s) for either a change or for no changes to be made. If you propose a change, specify the nature of that change and which polling district, place or station you are referring to. Provide reasons and/or supporting evidence.

Please continue on additional sheets of paper if necessary

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Equality & Diversity Information (optional)

Answering the following questions will help us ensure we have collected the views of a variety of people and given everyone from all backgrounds a chance to take part.

You do not have to answer them. The information will only be used for statistical analysis.

1. How old are you?

- 0-15
- 16-24
- 25-44
- 45-64
- 65+
- I prefer not to say

2. What is your gender?

- Male
- Female
- Non-binary
- I prefer to use another term
- I prefer not to say

3. Is your gender the same now as when assigned at birth?

- Yes
- No
- I prefer not to say

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4. Which of the following best describes how you think of yourself?

- Heterosexual/straight
- Gay, Lesbian or Queer
- Bisexual
- Another sexual orientation
- I prefer not to say

5. How would you describe your national identity?

- British
- Cornish
- English
- Northern Irish
- Scottish
- Welsh
- Another national identity
- I prefer not to say

6. How would you describe your ethnic group?

- Asian, Asian British or Asian Welsh
- Black, Black British, Black Welsh
- Caribbean or African
- Mixed or Multiple ethnic
- White
- Another ethnic group
- I prefer not to say

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7. What is your religion or belief?

- Christian
- Buddhist
- Hindu
- Jewish
- Muslim
- Sikh
- No religion
- Other religion or belief
- I prefer not to say

8. Have you previously served in the UK Armed Forces (current serving members should tick 'no')

- Yes, in the Regular Armed Forces
- Yes, in the Reserve Armed Forces
- No
- I prefer not to say

9. Do have a long term physical or mental health condition or illness that reduces your ability to carry out day-to-day activities?

- Yes, my day-to-day activities are limited a lot
- Yes, my day-to-day activities are limited a little
- No
- I prefer not to say

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10. What is your preferred language?

- Welsh
- English
- I prefer not to say

11. Can you understand, speak, read or write Welsh?

- Understand spoken Welsh
- Speak Welsh
- Read Welsh
- Write Welsh
- None of the above
- I prefer not to say

Thank you for completing this survey.

Please return it to a Ceredigion Library or post it to:

Electoral Services Office

Ceredigion County Council

Canolfan Rheidol

Rhodfa Padarn

Llanbadarn Fawr

Aberystwyth

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ERO Consultations Privacy Notice

Ceredigion Electoral Registrations Officer is occasionally required to conduct consultations with the public. When we undertake consultations, in many cases we are required to process personal data. This privacy notice sets out how and under what circumstances such processing occurs.

The Representation of the People Act 1983 and the Review of Polling Districts and Polling Places (Parliamentary Elections) Regulations 2006 Compulsory review every 5 years – next in the 16-month period commencing 1 October 2023.

Requirement of the review: In conducting the statutory review, local authorities must follow the rules set out in Section 18C and Schedule A, RPA 1983 and Regulation 3, Review of Polling Districts and Polling Places (Parliamentary Elections) Regulations 2006.

The purposes for which we use your personal data

In many cases, the ERO is required by law to undertake consultations, so that we can be certain that we have taken a wide range of viewpoints into consideration when making decisions that will affect the public.

Where we are required to consult by law the lawful basis for the processing of your information is to comply with our statutory obligations as laid out in the Equalities Act 2010

Where we are required to consult by law and special category data is processed, the lawful basis shall be GDPR Article 9 2 (g) processing is necessary for reasons of substantial public interest

The substantial public interest processing conditions shall be:

Statutory and government purposes, and equality of opportunity or treatment.

The enactments or rules of law relied upon are:

Equalities Act 2010.

Where we are **not** required to consult by law, the lawful basis for processing shall be consent, and where special category data is processed the lawful basis shall be explicit consent. Where we rely upon consent for processing, you can withdraw your consent at any time.

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What if you do not provide personal data?

If you do not give us the information we need when we ask for it, this may result in our being unable to take your views into consideration in our decision making processes.

What type of information do we use?

We may collect the following types of personal data about you to deliver this service, depending on your circumstances:

Basic personal identifiers

Address

Email address

IP address (if completing online)

Personal data you disclose to us in free-text answers to consultation questions

Equalities information

Do we use information received from other sources?

To deliver this service, we only collect personal data directly from you and do not obtain information about you from any other source.

Transferring your information abroad

Your information will not be transferred outside the United Kingdom

Who your information may be shared with (internally and externally)?

There are specific situations where we may be required to disclose information about you, such as:

- Where the Council is required to provide the information by law:
- Where disclosing the information is required to prevent or detect a crime
- Where disclosure is in the vital interests of the person concerned

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