

## Notice of Review of Polling Districts and Polling Places

Representation of the Peoples Act 2003 (as amended). The Review of Polling Districts and Polling Places (Parliamentary Elections) Regulations 2006 (as amended)

The above regulations require Colchester Borough Council to carry out a review of its Polling Districts and Polling Places on a regular four-yearly cycle.

We are looking for feedback on any aspect of polling districts and/or polling places currently used and invite representation and comments from interested persons.

Local political parties and Councillors will be consulted and views are invited from electors within the Parliamentary Constituencies of Colchester, Harwich and North Essex and Witham as well as such persons as may have particular expertise in relation to access to premises or facilities for persons who have different forms of disability.

Local community groups will also be consulted.

The consultation period for the review will commence on the 4 March 2019 and end on 15 April 2019.

Although the review is of polling districts and polling places it is accepted that polling stations are inexorably linked to the review and comments are invited regarding those stations currently used and/or any suggested alternatives.

At the close of the consultation all representations will be evaluated and considered. The council will publish it findings and invite comments.

Information regarding the current polling districts and places can be found on the Council's web site or from Electoral Services at the address below

www.colchester.gov.uk/pollingreview

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