# LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH ACT 2007

# The Leeds (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Rawdon Parish Council) Order 2012

Made - - - - 10<sup>th</sup> October 2012

Coming into force in accordance with article 1(2)

Leeds City Council ("the Council"), in accordance with section 83(2) of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 ("the 2007 Act"), has undertaken a community governance review and made recommendations dated 30 August 2012:

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 of the 2007 Act.

- 1. Citation and commencement
- 1. This Order may be cited as the Leeds (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Rawdon Parish Council) Order 2012.
- (1) Subject to paragraphs (2) and (3) below, this Order comes into force on 10 October 2012.
  - (2) Articles 8 and 9 shall come into force on 15 November 2012.
  - (3) For the purposes of:
    - (a) this article,
    - (b) article 5; and
    - (c) proceedings preliminary or relating to the election of parish councillors for the parish of Rawdon, to be held on 15 November 2012

this Order shall come into force on 15th October 2012.

## Interpretation

2. In this Order—

"district" means the metropolitan district of Leeds;

"map" means the map marked "Map referred to in the Leeds (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Rawdon Parish Council) Order 2012" attached to this Order in accordance with section 86(4) of the 2007 Act: and any reference to a numbered sheet is a reference to the sheet of the map which bears that number;

"new parish" means the parish constituted by article 4;

"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 2007 Act relevant to any provision of this Order.

## Constitution of a new parish

- 4.—(1) A new parish, comprising the area outlined on the map, shall be constituted within the district.
  - (2) The name of the new parish shall be Rawdon.

### Calculation of budget requirement

5. For the purposes of regulation 3 of the Local Government Finance (New Parishes) (England) Regulations 2008 there is specified in relation to the parish of Rawdon the sum of £40,000.

## Parish council for the parish of Rawdon

- **6.** (1) There shall be a parish council for the parish of Rawdon.
- (2) The name of that council shall be "The Rawdon Parish Council".

## Elections for the parish of Rawdon Parish

- 7. (1) The election of all parish councillors for the parish of Rawdon shall be held on 15 November 2012, and thereafter on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2015. The term of office of every parish councillor elected on 15 November 2012 for the parish of Rawdon shall be from 15 November 2012, until the ordinary day of election of councilors in 2015.
- (2) The term of office of every parish councillor elected on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2015 for the parish of Rawdon, shall be four years.

## Number of parish councillors for the parish of Rawdon

8. The number of councillors to be elected for the parish of Rawdon shall be nine.

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

9.—(1) The parish of Rawdon shall be divided into four wards which shall be named Cragg Wood ward, Greenacre ward, Layton ward and Larkfield ward.

- (2) Each ward shall comprise the area designated on the map by reference to the name of the ward.
- (3) The number of councillors to be elected for Cragg Wood ward shall be one, and for Greenacre ward shall be two, and for Layton ward shall be three, and for Larkfield ward shall be three.

## Annual meeting of parish council

**10.** The annual meeting of the new parish council shall be held on such day in May 2013 as the parish council may determine.

## Electoral register

11. 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.

## Transitional provision

12. Until the councillors elected to the council of the new parish of Rawdon at the elections to be held on 15 November 2012 come into office, the new parish shall be represented by those persons who immediately before 15 November 2012 are the elected councillors for the district wards of Guiseley&Rawdon and Horsforth.

#### Order date

13. 1st April 2013 is the order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) (England) Regulations 2008.

THE COMMON SEAL of LEEDS CITY COUNCIL was hereunto affixed on the 10th day of October 2012 in the presence of;







