

Our Recommendations

The table lists all the divisions we are proposing as part of our final recommendations along with the number of electors in each division. The table also shows the projected electoral variances for 2029 for each of the proposed divisions which tells you how we have delivered electoral equality. All divisions are single-councillor.

Division name	Electorate (2029)	Variance from average %	Division name	Electorate (2029)	Variance from average %
AMBER VALLEY			Ilkeston Central	10,957	3%
Alfreton & Somercotes	10,967	3%	Ilkeston North	11,168	5%
Alport & Duffield	11,461	8%	Ilkeston South & Kirk Hallam	9,701	-9%
Codnor, Aldercar, Langley Mill & Loscoe	11,046	4%	Long Eaton North	9,778	-8%
Heanor	11,220	6%	Long Eaton South	9,586	-10%
Horsley	11,157	5%	Sandiacre	9,270	-13%
North Belper	10,221	-4%	Sawley	11,409	7%
Ripley East	11,379	7%	HIGH PEAK		
Ripley West & Crich	11,352	7%	Buxton North & East	9,643	-9%
South Belper & Holbrook	10,219	-4%	Buxton South & West	9,607	-10%
Swanwick & Riddings	10,963	3%	Chapel & Hope Valley	10,995	4%
BOLSOVER			Etherow	9,833	-7%
Barlborough & Clowne	11,170	5%	Glossop North	8,578	-19%
Bolsover	10,939	3%	Glossop South	9,653	-9%
Elmton with Creswell & Whitwell	10,431	-2%	New Mills & Hayfield	10,401	-2%
Hardwick	11,430	8%	Whaley Bridge	9,392	-12%
Shirebrook & Pleasley	11,799	11%	NORTH EAST DERBYSHIRE		
South Normanton & Pinxton	10,969	3%	Clay Cross & Tupton	11,631	10%
CHESTERFIELD			Dronfield & Unstone	11,521	9%
Brimington	9,627	-9%	Dronfield Woodhouse & Walton	10,762	1%
Dunston	10,145	-4%	Eckington & Coal Aston	10,729	1%
Hasland & Rother	10,991	4%	Killamarsh & Renishaw	9,550	-10%
Linacre & Loundsley Green	10,472	-1%	North Wingfield, Pilsley & Morton	10,443	-2%
Spire	10,192	-4%	Shirland & Wingerworth South	11,575	9%
Staveley	10,411	-2%	Sutton	11,116	5%
Staveley North & Whittington	10,902	3%	SOUTH DERBYSHIRE		
Walton, Brampton & Boythorpe	10,498	-1%	Aston	10,773	1%
DERBYSHIRE			Etwell & Findern	10,738	1%
Ashbourne South	9,674	-9%	Hilton	11,115	5%
Bakewell	11,621	9%	Linton	10,992	4%
Derwent Valley	9,685	-9%	Melbourne & Woodville	11,779	11%
Dovedale & Ashbourne North	9,848	-7%	Repton & Stenson	11,972	13%
Matlock	10,085	-5%	Swadlincote East	10,454	-2%
Wirksworth	9,991	-6%	Swadlincote South	11,139	5%
EREWASH			Swadlincote West	11,209	6%
Breadsall & West Hallam	10,515	-1%	Total	679,510	-
Breaston	10,661	0%	Average	10,617	-

Derbyshire County Council

Final Recommendations on the new electoral arrangements



Who we are

- The Local Government Boundary Commission for England is an independent body set up by Parliament.
- We are not part of government or any political party.
- We are accountable to Parliament through a committee of MPs chaired by the Speaker of the House of Commons.
- Our main role is to carry out electoral reviews of local authorities throughout England.

Electoral review

An electoral review examines and proposes new electoral arrangements for a local authority, including:

- The total number of councillors representing the council's electors ('council size').
- The names, number and boundaries of wards or electoral divisions.
- The number of councillors for each ward or division.

Why Derbyshire?

- The Commission has a legal duty to carry out an electoral review of each council in England 'from time to time'.
- Derbyshire County Council has not been reviewed since 2012 and the Commission has therefore decided that it should review Derbyshire in advance of the elections in 2025.

Our proposals

- Derbyshire County Council currently has 64 councillors. Based on the evidence we received, we recommend that 64 councillors should serve the council in the future.
- We believe our final recommendations meet our statutory criteria to:
 1. Deliver electoral equality for electors
 2. Reflect community interests and identities
 3. Promote effective and convenient local government

Summary of our recommendations

We have considered all the submissions we received during our consultation on our draft recommendations.

The final recommendations propose that Derbyshire should have 64 councillors, the same as there are now.

The 64 councillors should represent 64 single-councillor divisions across the county.

An outline of the proposals is shown in the map to the right.

Find out more at

<https://www.lgbce.org.uk/all-reviews/derbyshire>

- view the map of our recommendations down to street level.
- zoom into the areas that interest you most.
- read the full report of our recommendations.
- find more guidance on the review process

Stage of Review	Description
9 May - 17 July 2023	Public consultation on division arrangements
23 January - 1 April 2024	Public consultation on draft recommendations
30 July 2024	Publication of final recommendations
May 2025	Subject to parliamentary approval - implementation of new arrangements at local elections

Overview of final recommendations for Derbyshire County Council

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