

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH ACT 2007

The Buckinghamshire Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2024)

Made ... 2024

Coming into force in accordance with article 1 (2)

Buckinghamshire Council ("the council"), in accordance with section 82 of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 ("the 2007 Act"), has undertaken a community governance review and made recommendations dated 10 September 2024.

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 and 240 of the 2007 Act.

Citation and commencement

1. (1) This Order may be cited as the Buckinghamshire Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2024.
 - (2) It shall come into force on 1st March 2025.
 - (3) Articles 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 shall come into force on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2025.
 - (4) For the purpose of:
 - (a) this article, and
 - (b) Proceedings preliminary or relating to the elections of parish councillors for the parishes of Buckingham, Burnham, Dorney, Hazlemere, Longwick cum Ilmer and Newton Longville to be held on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2025, this Order shall come into force on 1st March 2025.

Interpretation

2. In this Order

“district” means the district of Buckinghamshire

“existing” means existing on the date this order is made.

“map” means the map marked “Map referred to in the Buckinghamshire (Reorganisation of Community Governance) Order 2024”; and deposited in accordance with section 96(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.

“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.

Wards of the parish of Buckingham and number of parish councillors

3. (1) The parish of Buckingham shall be divided into two wards which shall be named Buckingham North and Buckingham South.
- (2) Each ward shall comprise the area designated on the map by reference to the name of the ward and demarcated by black lines.
- (3) The number of councillors to be elected for Buckingham North ward shall be eight councillors, and for Buckingham South shall be nine councillors.

Alteration of Burnham and Dorney parish areas

4. (1) The area designated by the letter “A” on the map shall cease to be part of the parish of Burnham and Burnham Lent Rise ward of that parish and shall become part of the parish of Dorney.
- (2) The area designated by the letter “B” on the map shall cease to be part of the parish of Dorney and shall become part of the parish of Burnham and Burnham Lent Rise ward of that parish.

Number of parish councillors for the parish of Hazlemere

5. The number of councillors to be elected for Hazlemere North ward shall be eight councillors, and for Hazlemere South shall be eight councillors.

Number of parish councillors for the parish of Longwick cum Ilmer

6. The number of councillors to be elected for the parish of Longwick cum Ilmer shall be nine councillors.

Number of parish councillors for the parish of Newton Longville

7. The number of councillors to be elected for the parish of Newton Longville shall be ten councillors.

Electoral register

8. The registration officer for the district of Buckinghamshire 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.

Order date

9. 1st March 2025 is the order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) (England) Regulations 2008.

Sealed with the seal of the council on the ...

Sarah Ashmead

Deputy Chief Executive

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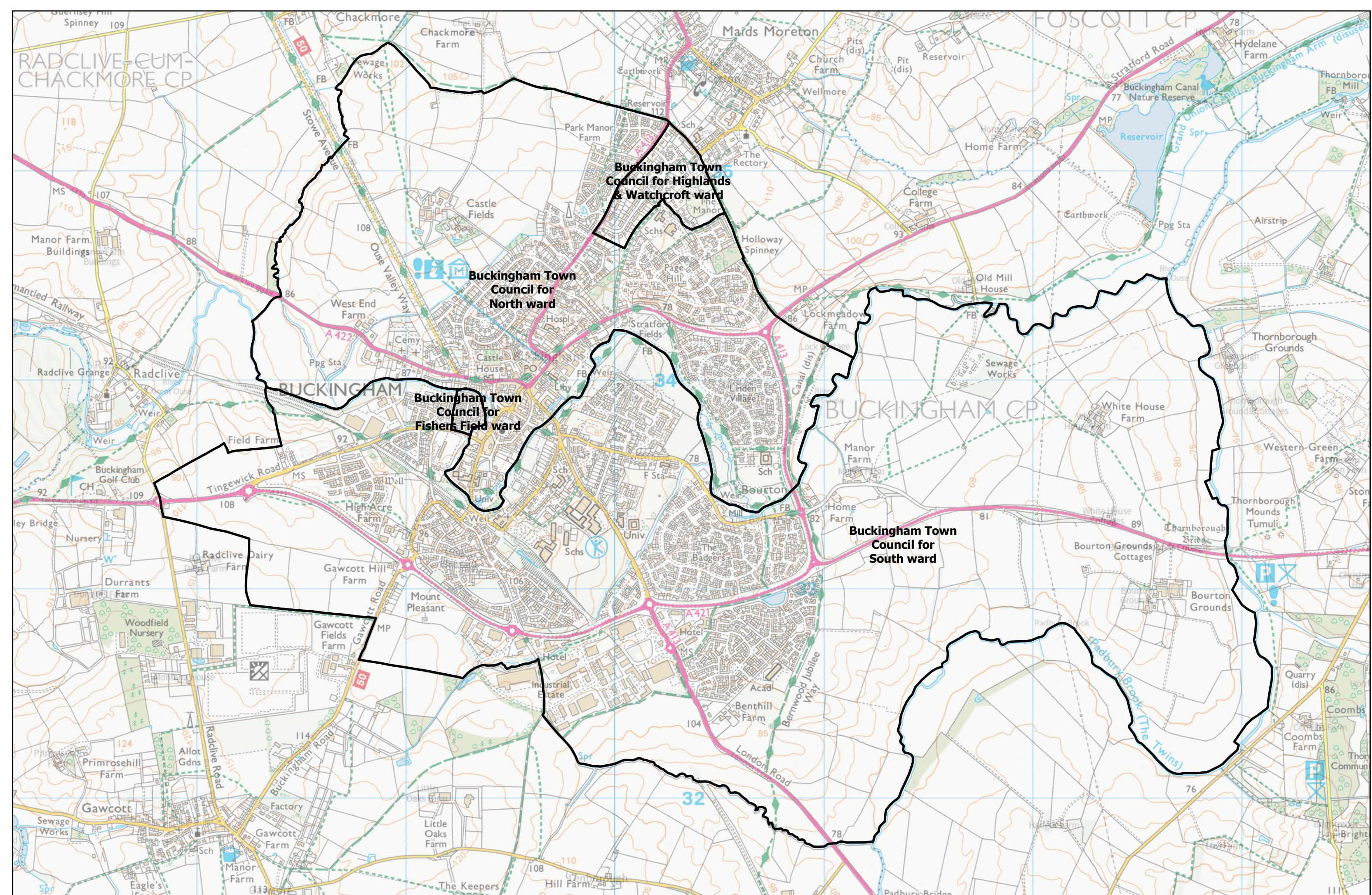
EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order gives effect to recommendations made by Buckinghamshire Council for the parishes of Buckingham, Burnham, Dorney, Hazlemere, Longwick cum Ilmer and Newton Longville.

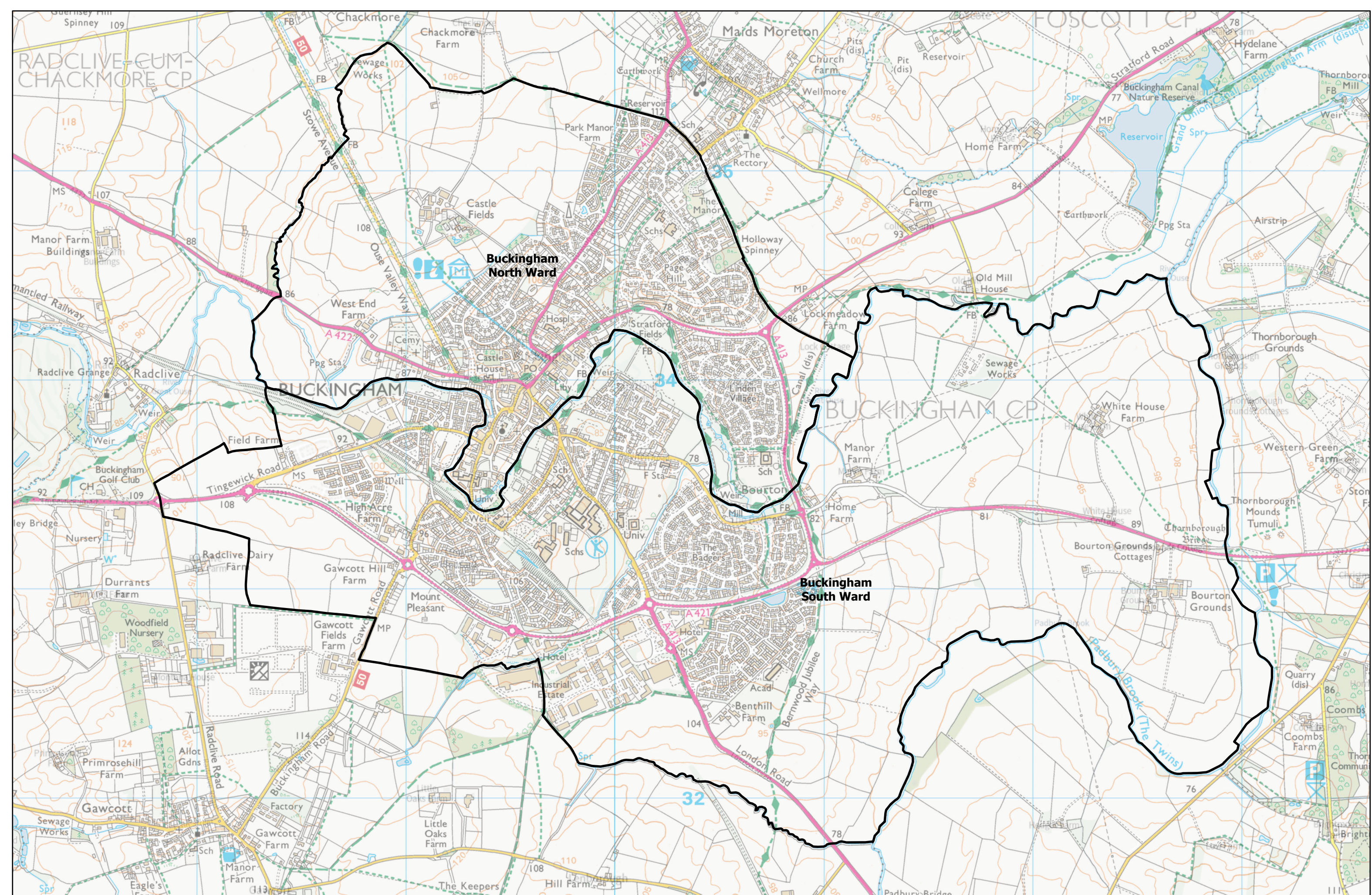
Article 8 obliges the Electoral Registration Officer to make any necessary amendments to the electoral register to reflect the new electoral arrangements.

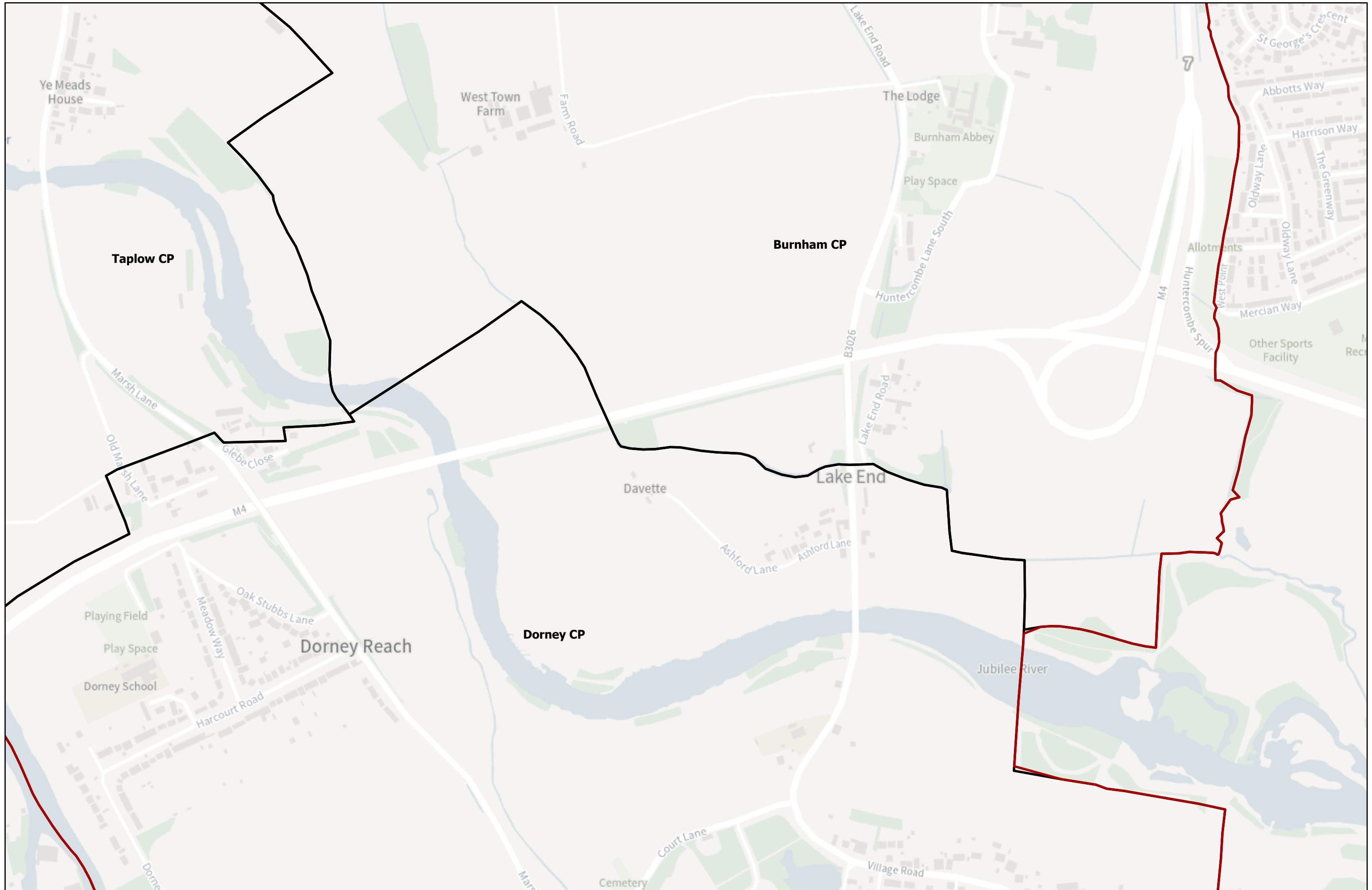
The maps defined in articles 3 (2) and 4 show the new wards of the parishes of Buckingham and parish areas of Burnham and Dorney. Maps are available, at all reasonable times, at the offices of Buckinghamshire Council (The Gateway, Gatehouse Road, Aylesbury, HP19 8FF).



Buckingham Town Council - Current Wards







Burnham CP & Dorney CP - Current Boundary

