Yeovilton and Limington Community Governance Review

SOUTH SOMERSET DISTRICT COUNCIL

Notice of Draft Proposal for the Community Governance Review of Yeovilton Parish Council and Limington Parish Meeting

Local Governance and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007

South Somerset District Council has commenced a Community Governance Review in response to a request from Yeovilton Parish Council and Limington Parish Meeting, requesting that the review should consider:

- to propose that the two parishes should be grouped to form a single parish council
- If the merger is agreed, it is proposed to amend the name of the new Parish Council to Yeovilton and District Parish Council. This will encompass all the villages in the new parish.

During September and October 2021, we asked for your views. 13.5% of the electorate responded to the consultation and the majority of responses are in favour of the proposal.

Having taken into account all consultation responses made during the first stage of consultation, and having regard to the need to ensure that Community Governance within the area reflects the identities and interests of the Community, and is effective and convenient, the draft recommendation of officers is:

"To accept the majority vote from the people of Yeovilton and Limington and to agree tthat the two parishes be grouped to form a single parish council, and, to amend the name of of the new council to Yeovilton and District Parish Council".

Should you wish to comment on this draft recommendation, please submit your views in writing by 14th January 2021 to:

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Or alternatively by email to: democracy@southsomerset.gov.uk