



## **AGENDA ITEM NO: 15**

**DUNDRY VIEW NEIGHBOURHOOD PARTNERSHIP** 

21<sup>st</sup> March 2016

Title:

NP Name Discussion

Officer presenting report: Emily Smith

Recommendation:

To note the report

To keep Dundry View as the Partnership name

#### 1. Background

- The Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) has completed a review of the ward boundaries in Bristol and as a result has made some changes to the ward boundaries in Bristol. The new boundaries will be implemented for the May 2016 elections.
- This has resulted in a change to Neighbourhood Partnership boundaries this is because the NP boundaries are based on wards and some ward boundaries have changed.
- A number of council and other public services use current NP (x14) and/or area (x3) boundaries. NPs have recently undertaken a lot of work on their NP plans using the current ward and NP boundaries. It will be important to communicate the changes to relevant stakeholders.

### 2. Amended NP boundaries

- See attached map for the new NP boundaries green lines show new NP boundaries, blue lines are where NP boundaries previously were.
- The changes to the NP boundaries are mostly minor, with some areas staying exactly the same and other areas gaining or losing a small geographical area.
- The main changes are:
  - Some NPs now have different numbers of councillors on the

neighbourhood committee – numbers of councillors range from 3 to 7.

- A limited number of projects / s106 funds may change NP all previous formal decisions must be honoured.
- There may be some people who now live within a different NP.
- The things that haven't changed are:
  - The NP plans (fundamentally these will stay the same, there may be some local tweaks if required and conversations are being held with the Neighbourhood Coordinator for Hengrove and Stockwood about projects and work in our plan which need to be transferred to their NP)
  - o The NP budget
  - All decisions that have already been made by NPs will be honoured even if the project comes within an area that has moved to another NP.

## 3. Breakdown of changes within our NP

NP	Change in # Cllrs?	Change to NP geographical area
Dundry View	6 down to 5	A reduction in overall size of the partnership with the loss of approximately half of Whitchurch Park Ward to the new larger Hengrove and Whitchurch Park Ward. The boundary will run along the back path from Maceys Road to Chelvey Close, will incorporate the block of 5 at Bishport and run along Hawkfield Road to the Hartcliffe Roundabout. At the Bedminster end of the Partnership area, Bishopsworth ward will be taking part of Bedminster ward, including Aylesbury, Willanda and Bedminster Road.

• The NP is requested to discuss if they wish to have a name change for the Neighbourhood Partnership or defer to after the May elections.



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