

Borough of Telford and Wrekin

Boundary Review Committee Thursday 3 July 2025

Terms of Reference 2025/26

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Key Decision:

Details:

Wards Affected: All Wards

Not Key Decision **Forward Plan:** Not Applicable

Report considered by: Boundary Review Committee – 3 July 2025

Recommendations for decision/noting: 1.0

It is recommended that the Boundary Review Committee:

1.1 Agree and reconfirm the Terms of Reference set out at Appendix A.

2.0 **Purpose of Report**

2.1 To set out the Terms of Reference for the Boundary Review Committee as outlined at Appendix A of the report.

3.0 **Background**

The Constitution requires that Full Council should agree at its Annual Meeting the 3.1 Terms of Reference for each of its Committees to enable the Council to efficiently conduct its business.

- 3.2 At the Annual Meeting of the Council on 15 May 2025, Full Council delegated authority to each Committee to review its own Terms of Reference.
- 3.3 The Terms of Reference forms part of the Consitution and approved by Full Council in that context on 15 May 2025.

4.0 Summary of main proposals

4.1 For the Boundary Review Committee to review and reconfirm its Terms of Reference as set out at Appendix A.

5.0 Alternative Options

5.1 There are no alternative options arising from this report.

6.0 Key Risks

6.1 There are no key risks arising from this report.

7.0 Council Priorities

7.1 A community-focused, innovative council providing efficient, effective and quality services.

8.0 Financial Implications

8.1 Support for the Boundary Review Committee is managed within existing resources with no financial implications arising from this report.

9.0 Legal and HR Implications

9.1 The Constitution requires that the Committee's Terms of Reference should be reviewed annually. This report provides the basis for that review. There are no HR implications arising from this report.

10.0 Ward Implications

10.1 There are no direct ward implications arising from this report.

11.0 Health, Social and Economic Implications

11.1 There are no health, social and economic implications arising from this report.

12.0 Equality and Diversity Implications

12.1 There are no equality and diversity implications arising from this report.

13.0 Climate Change, Biodiversity and Environmental Implications

13.1 There are no climate change, Biodiversity and environmental implications arising from this report.

14.0 Background Papers

1 <u>Council Constitution</u>

15.0 Appendices

A Appendix 1 Boundary Review Committee Terms of Reference 2025/26

16.0 Report Sign Off

Signed off by	Date sent	Date signed off	Initials
Legal Services	16/06/2025	25/06/2025	EH
Finance	16/06/2025	17/06/2025	ER