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**Submission to Local Government  
Boundary Commission for England**

**Boundary Review for  
West Northamptonshire  
Council**

from  
**Cllr Ian McCord**  
Independent member for Deanshanger Ward  
November 2022

## Introduction

This submission is made by Ian McCord as the Independent Member for Deanshanger Ward.

I was previously the Leader of South Northamptonshire Council, Leader of the West Northamptonshire Shadow Authority and the Leader of West Northamptonshire Council during the interim period.

I have a good knowledge of the district but will freely admit that my knowledge is deeper on the former South Northants Council area than the other parts of the WNC district area.

## Background

The discussion on the submission from the full council meeting is available on YouTube with this link <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IGZuUYw8Xac> the relevant item commences at 2 hrs 55 mins 20 seconds. My contribution starts at 3 hrs 7 mins.

I would urge you to listen to this debate as members from all parties set out their concerns as to the process.

WNC has an established Democracy and Standards Committee. This Committee established a Working Group. The reporting lines were to be that the Working Group would consider evidence and make recommendation(s) to the Democracy and Standards Committee who in turn would make a recommendation to full council.

For the first part of the review, the establishing of the relevant numbers of members this did work.

For the second part of the review a warding plan, this structure was by passed completely. The council report which was agreed by the administration was not one recommended by any council committee or working group.

How this was put together is a little of a mystery. It is clear that there were back channels to the officers and these had more influence and weight than the open transparent council committees that were established for this purpose.

Whilst it is not possible to say definitively what was going on behind the scenes, it was clear to all members were influencing the outcomes. The working group met on 13 Oct and there was broad consensus about a set of ideas in terms of we prefer this approach and do not like that approach. No one, from any party, myself included, had a full 77 ward map at this point.

The 20 Oct meeting of the Democracy and Standards committee looked at a plan which bore no relation to the discussion earlier and was met with universal disapproval from virtually every member present from every party.

It was agreed that the Working Group would meet again on 25<sup>th</sup> October, this resulted in a very poor presentation that had numerous wards with variances greater than 10% Officers advised that in their experience there were too many out of spec wards that LGBCE would not accept it as a valid submission.

The Conservative Group met Monday 31 October in which it would appear a proposal for 78 sets was presented and made the preferred option. It was stated that this proposal was done after a telephone conversation with the Commission seeking agreement it was acceptable to do so.

All members were made aware of this proposal on 1 Nov lunch time when the appendices to the council report were published. At no stage did the working group or the committee consider any number other than 77 for the council size.

The final reports were re-circulated again at 5.45pm on Thurs 3 Nov, 15 minutes before the start of the meeting. It was not possible to read these and note the changes before the meeting and the maps did not marry up with the narrative.

All of this appears to have happened through the back channels that were clearly operational and not through the established council structures for this exercise. Whilst it is not possible to know what was discussed or said in these behind-the-scenes meetings we did get a small glimpse at the council meeting.

Cllr Phil Larratt enquired if his request to the Monitoring Officer had been actioned, namely that the ward which was initially called Grange Park and Wootton would be changed to Nene Valley. I asked if this was an amendment to be told that it had been changed. It was clear that the chat between Cllr Larratt and the Monitoring Officer had produced a change to the document. The 5.45pm report did have the ward changed to Nene Valley. There was no formal council amendment, no recommendation from the working group or the committee to this change. All it took was a 'quiet word' to the relevant officer.

I attempted to put a formal amendment to correct the inaccuracies of the report which set out the process envisaged but not followed, and this was not accepted. The Monitoring Officer has given me no explanation as to why she is content to allow inaccurate and misleading information to be accepted by council.

Furthermore, Cllr David James, gave a response to some criticism of the proposed wards for the Daventry area. His argument was that the proposed wards were to return these to ward patterns that had existed many years in the past. Had Cllr James been a member of the Working Group or Democracy and Standards Committee, he would have had the training that we all had prior to commencing this exercise.

We were reminded what constituted strong and weak evidence. Historical boundaries were considered to be weak evidence. Arguments such as, return this how it was 20 years ago were also deemed weak reasons. However it would appear from Cllr James comments such weak arguments were the ones used by the Conservative Group to arrive at their proposal for 78 seats.



Not having been at the Conservative Group meeting I can only speculate but I the contributions of Cllr Larratt and Cllr James did give some illumination as to the process and thinking employed.

I am sure that the Boundary Commission are well versed in political parties attempting to draw lines where they think will give them maximum electoral advantage. All political parties, will submit a plan that will have an element of electoral advantage as they see it contained within, such is the nature of these reviews. There was no publicly available submission from any party or grouping other than the Conservatives and it is not possible at this stage to make comments other than on Conservative proposals. We have two, a 77 seat proposal from the Conservative Administration of the council and a 78 seat proposal from the Conservative Group on the council!

The proposals for much of what is the Daventry Parliamentary Constituency area was presented to the working group and was seen by many as a naked attempt to carve up Daventry for the perceived political self-interest of the Conservative party. It seems clear to me that Daventry town can support 5 members, how that is split can be open to debate. The proposal from WNC to mix town and country smacks more of electoral self-interest than keeping communities together or meeting the criteria.

I would ask the Commission to look very closely at the proposals for the Daventry area especially how they apply to the criteria as set out.

### Support from WNC

The support provided by WNC to members for this task has been inadequate. Data was supposedly made available in a shared drive. Although I requested the link to this data it was not provided until 28 October. All I have had to work with is a spreadsheet that has the polling districts and an indicative map which using my own resources had printed at large scale.

WNC provided no mapping software for members to use. They did had an officer plug the ideas from differing political groups into this package but it seemed clunky and not very user friendly or quick to refresh and redraw. No street-by-street electoral data was provided as it apparently does not exist, an assertion I would contest.

This proposal has been put together by me with the limited tools I have at my disposal. WNC have mapped these in their software and I am grateful for this limited assistance.

### Approach Taken

The West Northamptonshire Council area is a mix of urban and rural communities. Created from the merger of Northampton Borough Council, Daventry District Council and South Northamptonshire Council along with half of Northamptonshire County Council. Over half the population lives in the Northampton town area with the other 45% occupying many villages and parishes across approx. 500 square miles.

The village sizes vary from a few dozen to a few thousand with Daventry, Brackley and Towcester being the other towns. All of this is adequately set out in the various council submissions and I see no value in repeating it. Many of the communities that are identified in the council submission are the same and similar criteria used to identify them, I will not repeat that and would ask that this submission is read in conjunction to the WNC one.

A ward size of approx. 4227 electors will mean communities need to be aggregated into larger blocks. For the rural areas there is a need to balance the ward geography with the need to add another village / parish to make up the target numbers.

In general I have tried get a balance. I have a personal preference for single member wards as I believe that gives a good relationship between the member and the residents. However, at the working group there was a lot more agreement that two or three member wards were preferable. My submission does have the ability to be split easily into a greater number of single member wards if there is consensus around that.

Being a relatively new authority and given its genesis there is still a strong connection to the old constituent parts of Daventry, Northampton and South Northants. This proposal does take advantage of the lack of these internal boundaries to create wards that hitherto would have been impossible because of being in alternative districts in the past.

For example Grange Park adjoins with Collingtree and Wootton, the former having been in South Northants and the later two in Northampton this comes together to form a new ward. On the former Daventry and South Northants boundary the communities of Upper Boddington have been merged with former Daventry area. The old Hackleton parish has a small part of the Wootton development that straddled the old SNC / NBC boundary these naturally sit together and have been combined.

Parishes are identified and where possible not split up. The relationship between the Parish Council or Parish Meeting and the local ward member is an important one and the proposal tries to ensure these can be straightforward. Inevitably because of the need to hit the numbers, there may be a few unnatural groupings in the eyes of some, unfortunately that is by product of this exercise.

### **Councillor Concerns at 3 Nov Meeting**

During the council debate on this item several members spoke in the debate to air their concerns as to which communities were included or excluded from the ward pattern proposals. Whilst it was not my intention to fix all the complaints raised as an objective, it would appear through happenstance that the concerns of Cllr Sheppard (Con), Cllr Randal (Lab), Cllr Herring (Con) are addressed. I would argue that the approach I have taken reflects the criteria of the Commission more closely and I trust will find acceptance.

## Ward Naming

The ward names have been chosen reflect both communities and geography. I believe that at present the ward names poorly reflect the geography we server.

As a simple example my own ward of Deanshanger has many villages. Those 7 miles away from Deanshanger feel no association to the village of Deanshanger whose name is used simply because it is the biggest settlement in the ward. I have tried to get an east and west or north and south anchor for the ward, for example Walgrave & East Farndon sets the southern limit in Walgrave and the northern limit at East Farndon but still being the slightly larger communities in that area.

For example the area of Wootton and Grange Park the council submission, at the request of Cllr Larratt is Nene Valley. This may have a historic or nostalgic appeal, but I would argue that if you ask a resident they will say that they live in Wootton, or Grange Park. Therefore my proposal for this area, which includes Collingtree is Collingtree, Grange Park and Wootton which describes the three communities being represented.

I am aware how sensitive this can be and am always open to suggestions to improve and reflect better the area.

## Summary of Proposal

- 34 wards
- 5 Single member wards
- 15 Two member wards
- 14 Three member wards
- Highest variance above the 4227 average – 9.13%
- Highest variance below the 4227 average – 10.63%
- Number of wards above 10% variance – 1
- Number of wards +/- 5% variance – 18
- Number of wards with > -5% variance – 9 of which 3 are targeted for significant growth

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## Boothville & Parklands Ward

- 3 members
- 13,839 electors
- Variance +9.13%

These are all in Northampton Town Council  
All sit side by side sharing local facilities

## Daventry Town

Daventry should have 5 members sitting within the area broadly covered by the town council. This is an identifiable town community. The proposed split is North / South as a 2 member to the north and a 3 member ward to the south. It may be possible to split on an east / west axis.

Cllr Randal, Daventry member of longstanding, expressed her concerns at the council meeting that the WNC proposals were written by people whose knowledge of the town was lacking. Setting aside that assertion, this proposal does address her concerns in that there is a tighter grouping of Daventry town seats.

## Daventry North

- 2 members
- 9,092 electors
- Variance +7.54%

Growth is planned to the north of the town

## Daventry South

- 3 members
- 13,764 electors
- Variance +8.54%

## Kings Heath

- 1 member
- 4552 electors
- Variance +6.97%

This is characterised by the Kings Heath area of Northampton  
The Lodge Road industrial area is included giving geography but not electors.

## Deanshanger & Paulerspury

- 2 member
- 9,007 electors
- Variance +6.54%

Constrained by the boundaries of Buckinghamshire and Milton Keynes this ward starts at the southern end and collects parishes as set out. The majority of secondary age students are served by the Elizabeth Woodville school in Deanshanger. This area is heavily in the draw of Milton Keynes either for work or to commute to London.

## The Hunsburys

- 3 member
- 13,500 electors
- Variance +6.46%

East Hunsbury and West Hunsbury are established and identifiable communities to the south of Northampton.

## Briar Hill

- 2 member
- 8,986 electors
- Variance +6.29%

Without a detailed street level set of data this proposal does have some assumptions that the LGBCE are asked to validate.

The proposal is to draw the boundary along the Towcester Road. Some of the existing polling areas straddle this road and estimate as to what percentage has been made but it is no more than an estimate from the map, however it should be within tolerance even if these estimate need some correction.

## Flore & Weedon

- 1 member ward
- 4,423 electors
- Variance +4.63

These two communities sit beside each other and are natural to put together without splitting them up.

## Abington

- 2 member ward
- 8,835 electors
- Variance +4.51%

This is currently the Abington Ward on the Northampton Town Council a community that has been identified by NTC and should remain so for WNC.

## Brixworth

- 1 member ward
- 4,363 electors
- Variance +3.19%

Brixworth is a large village of 4362 electors. Almost perfect within the range set. It is an identifiable community which serves many of the smaller villages around it.

## Middleton Cheney & Croughton

- 2 member ward
- 8,712 electors
- Variance +3.05%

Middleton Cheney and Kings Sutton are the largest two settlements in this ward. It runs to the Oxfordshire boundary.

During the council debate Cllr Herring referred to the need for Marston St Lawrence to be associated with Middleton Cheney, this proposal does that.

## Woodford & Byfield

- 2 member ward
- 8695 electors
- Variance +2.86%

The Parliamentary Boundary review has proposed that the Boddington areas be in the newly proposed Daventry constituency moved out of the South Northamptonshire constituency. Whilst not a criteria in itself more effective local government is achieved when these things are aligned. It makes geographic sense to link these communities that are closer rather than the existing arrangements that run from Silverstone many miles away.

## Billing & Rectory Farm

- 3 member ward
- 12,920 electors
- Variance +1.89%

One the eastern edge of the district these areas fit together being mostly comprised of the Billing and Rectory Farm wards on Northampton Town Council.

## Castle Ward

- 3 member ward
- 12,909 electors
- Variance +1.8%

Largely unchanged to encompass that which is currently the Castle Ward on the Northampton town council

## Houghton & Roade

- 3 member ward
- 12,893 electors
- Variance +1.67%

Comprising of the parishes to the south of Northampton on the Wellingborough and Bedfordshire boundaries and taking the communities that lie along the northern part of the A508. The M1 is a significant issue and in particular distribution and logistics that comprise a large part of the local economy.

## Bugbrooke & The Heyfords

- 2 member ward
- 8583 electors
- Variance 1.53%

Bugbrooke is a large village which has close association to the Heyford villages. They have been represented successfully as a group in the past and share many facilities locally.

## Braunston & Crick

- 2 member ward
- 8,575 electors
- Variance 1.44%

Two neighbouring communities that naturally fit and have been successfully represented in the past

## Duston

- 3 member ward
- 12,853 electors
- Variance 1.36%

This reflects the Duston parish and is a natural 3 member ward. As a clear identifiable community they should be taken as one

## Talavera

- 2 member ward
- 8,427 electors
- Variance -0.32%

This comprises of the Talavera ward area of Northampton Town Council.

## Silverstone & Rural South Northants

- 2 member ward
- 8363 electors
- Variance -1.07%

Silverstone and Whittlebury should be represented together as they share the globally iconic Silverstone Circuit. These are a collection of parishes which are sparsely populated. There is a balance between rural sparsity and geography. It still comprises of 22 parishes which will be a challenge for the district member to attend the necessary parish meetings.

My personal preference would be for two single member wards but having taken on board comments from local ward members this proposal is for two.

## Brackley

- 3 member ward
- 12,445 electors
- Variance -1.86%

The third largest town in the West Northants district it is a natural 3 member ward on the town council footprint. Most of the growth is now complete in the town and still has a small margin of growth until any proposed allocation in the next plan cycle arrive.

## Rural Area North of Brixworth

This area is not dissimilar to the rural South Northants area being a collection of small discrete communities. They could be combined to a two member ward if the Commission was so minded. This proposal suggests two which reflects the preference indicated when speaking with local ward members.

A Walgrave & East Farndon ward and a Nasby Ward.

## Walgrave & East Farndon

- 1 member ward
- 4,040 electors
- Variance -4.65%

This forms the north eastern edge of the district. Much of the boundary is with North Northants council where many of the residents look toward and out from the district for services.

## Nasby

- 1 member ward
- 4,087 electors
- Variance -3.31%

A collection of rural communities to the north west of Brixworth leading to the Leicestershire boundary. The famous battle site is within the ward lending its name.



## Kingsthorpe

The Kingsthorpe area of Northampton is a separate parish with sufficient population and electors for 5 members. The proposal is North (2 member) and South (3 member), which has been the split on many bodies for a long time

## Kingsthorpe South

- 2 member ward
- 8137 electors
- Variance -3.75%

## Kingsthorpe North

- 3 member ward
- 12,006 electors
- Variance – 5.32%

## Harlestone & Long Buckby

- 2 member ward
- 8,039 electors
- Variance -4.91%

Long Buckby is one of the larger villages within the district it is surrounded by numerous smaller settlements and includes the historic Althorpe home of the Spencer family and Lady Diana the late Princess of Wales. The Haddons and the Bramptons are not split with this proposal.

## Delapre & Hardingstone

- 2 member ward
- 7,912 electors
- Variance -6.41%

As was stated for Briar Hill ward, this takes the other side of the Towcester Road and numbers have been estimated accordingly. The Delapre and Hardingstone communities, while distinct are capable of representation in this way.

## Riverside

- 3 member ward
- 11,846 electors
- Variance -6.58%

Comprising of Billing and Rushmills area these are all to the north of the River Nene and run its length

## Dallington Spencer

- 3 member ward
- 11,753 electors
- Variance -7.32%

Comprising of the existing communities in the Semilong area of Northampton. The ward takes up much of the Semilong and Spence wards on the town council.

## Collingtree, Grange Park & Wootton

- 3 member ward
- 11,690
- Variance -7.81%

These are three communities that have had and will continue to have significant housing growth. This review allows for tidying up of anomalies around the Poppyfields area of former SNC to move it into Wootton area.

## Upton

- 2 member ward
- 7767 electors
- Variance -8.12%

Upton is one of the newer areas in Northampton having had a lot of growth in the past years and continued growth due in the next decade. Whilst the numbers are a little down this does reflect the growth area and would be better to have this come toward the average over time as housing is delivered.

## Towcester

- 3 member ward
- 11,562 electors
- Variance -8.82%

The Towcester ward has the town and the immediate villages that it serves to the north. There is significant growth underway to the south of the town. I remain unconvinced that the council has taken this properly into account with their figures. For example the part I represent is stated to move from 10 to 13 electors. However this part has a permission for an additional 220 homes replacing employment land in the original plan for the southern extension. It is my believe that the 13 should be more like 400 – 600. However the small under representation will allow for this to drift toward the average as the housing is built out.

## Headlands

- 2 member ward
- 7706 Electors
- Variance -8.85%

Comprising mainly of the Headlands and Westone wards on the town council these are identifiable communities within Northampton

## Moulton

- 3 member ward
- 11,333 electors
- Variance -10.63%

The ward with the biggest variation but also the most growth planned in the district will be this one. WNC boundaries allow for the Moulton Lays community to be brought into a wider Moulton ward now that the NBC / DDC split is removed.

During the council debate Cllr Shepard argued that the Boughton area should not be with Kingsthorpe and this proposal reflects those arguments to have this community in the Moulton ward.

## APPENDIX

### Ward and Polling districts from WNC Data supplied

#### Web Links

##### WNC Council Meeting 3 November 2023

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IGZuUYw8Xac>

Item 11 Boundary Commission Submission begins 2hrs 55 mins in

##### WNC Agenda and meeting papers 3 November 2023

<https://westnorthants.moderngov.co.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?MId=700&x=1>

##### Council Report -

<https://westnorthants.moderngov.co.uk/documents/s8545/Item%2011%20Boundary%20Review%20Ward%20Patterns%20Submission%204.pdf>

##### Addendum to report

<https://westnorthants.moderngov.co.uk/documents/s8627/Item%2011%20-%20Addendum.pdf>

##### WNC Submission for 78 Members

<https://westnorthants.moderngov.co.uk/documents/s8628/Item%2011%20-%20Appendix%201%20WNC%20Ward%20Patterns%20Proposal%20-%2078%20Cllrs%20FINAL.pdf>

##### map for 78 Members

<https://westnorthants.moderngov.co.uk/documents/s8630/Item%2011%20-%20Appendix%201%20-%20Annex%201%20-%20Map%2078%20Councillor%20submission-compressed.pdf>

##### WNC Submission for 77 Members

<https://westnorthants.moderngov.co.uk/documents/s8629/Item%2011%20-%20Appendix%202%20WNC%20Ward%20Patterns%20Proposal%20-%2077%20Cllrs%20FINAL.pdf>

##### Map for 77 Members

<https://westnorthants.moderngov.co.uk/documents/s8631/Item%2011%20-%20Appendix%202%20-%20Annex%201%20-%20Map%2077%20Councillor%20submission-compressed.pdf>

##### Ian McCord Map for 77 Members

[Ian McCord 77 member ward submission.pdf](#)

## APPENDIX

### Ward Names and polling Districts

Ward Names	Electorate 20208	No of Members	Var
<b>Boothville &amp; Parklands</b>	<b>13,839</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9.13%</b>
BBP2 - Northampton - Boothville Ward	1,528	3	9.13%
BBP3 - Northampton - Eastfield Ward	1,094		
BBP4 - Northampton - Parklands Ward	1,656		
BBP5 - Northampton - Parklands Ward	1,904		
BBP7 - Northampton - Westone Ward	732		
BHD1 - Northampton - Eastfield Ward	1,410		
BHD2 - Northampton - Eastfield Ward	1,350		
BSG1 - Northampton - Kingsley Ward	819		
BSG2 - Northampton - Kingsley Ward	1,675		
BSG3 - Northampton - Kingsley Ward	1,671		
<b>Daventry South</b>	<b>13,764</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8.54%</b>
ADE2 - Daventry	2,719	3	8.54%
ADE3 - Daventry	2,475		
ADW1 - Daventry	1,976		
ADW3 - Daventry	1,427		
ADW6 - Daventry	3,609		
ADW7 - Daventry	1,558		
<b>Daventry North</b>	<b>9,092</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7.54%</b>
ABC12 - Daventry	2,130	2	7.54%
ABC13 - Daventry	1,300		
ADE4 - Daventry	2,202		
ADE5 - Daventry	2,218		
ADW2 - Daventry	438		
ADW4 - Daventry	565		
ADW5 - Daventry	239		
<b>Kings Heath</b>	<b>4,522</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6.97%</b>
CDS1 - Northampton - Kings Heath Ward	1,602	1	6.97%
CDS2 - Northampton - Kings Heath Ward	2,906		
CDS3 - Northampton - Kings Heath Ward	14		
<b>Deanshanger &amp; Paulerspury</b>	<b>9,007</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6.54%</b>
DDH10 - Wicken	279	2	6.54%
DDH11 - Yardley Gobion	1,013		
DDH2 - Alderton	105		
DDH3 - Cosgrove	475		
DDH4 - Deanshanger	3,000		
DDH5 - Grafton Regis	100		
DDH6 - Old Stratford	1,810		
DDH7 - Paulerspury	987		
DDH8 - Potterspury	1,237		
<b>The Hunsburys</b>	<b>13,500</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6.46%</b>
DES2 - East Hunsbury	1,345	3	6.46%
DES3 - East Hunsbury	2,146		
DES4 - East Hunsbury	2,373		
DES5 - East Hunsbury	1,477		
DES6 - East Hunsbury	1,223		
DES7 - West Hunsbury	1,936		
DSF5 - Hunsbury Meadows	957		
DSF8 - West Hunsbury	2,043		
<b>Briar Hill</b>	<b>8,986</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6.29%</b>
CDE7 - Northampton - St James Ward	1,410	2	6.29%
CDR1 - Far Cotton & Delapre	722		
CDR3 - Far Cotton & Delapre	733		
CDR5 - Far Cotton & Delapre	628		
CSF1 - Northampton - Briar Hill Ward	1,551		
CSF2 - Northampton - Briar Hill Ward	1,545		
CSF3 - Northampton - St James Ward	2,395		
CSF4 - Northampton - St James Ward	2		
<b>Flore &amp; Weedon</b>	<b>4,423</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4.63%</b>
ADE1 - Norton	330	1	4.63%
ALB17 - Whilton	181		
ALB18 - Whilton Locks	68		
ALB3 - Little Brington	247		
ALB4 - Brockhall	41		
ALB6 - Flore	1,187		
AWW15 - Weedon Bec	2,224		
AWW6 - Dodford	144		



Ward Names	Electorate 20208	No of Members	Var
<b>Abington</b>	<b>8,835</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4.51%</b>
BAP1 - Northampton - Abington Ward	1,741	2	4.51%
BAP2 - Northampton - Abington Ward	1,188		
BAP3 - Northampton - Abington Ward	1,455		
BAP4 - Northampton - Abington Ward	932		
BAP5 - Northampton - Abington Ward	1,282		
BAP6 - Northampton - Abington Ward	2,237		
<b>Brixworth</b>	<b>4,362</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3.19%</b>
ABX2 - Brixworth	4,362	1	3.19%
<b>Middleton Cheney &amp; Croughton</b>	<b>8,712</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3.05%</b>
DMC1 - Aynho	528	2	3.05%
DMC10 - Kings Sutton	1,800		
DMC11 - Marston Saint Lawrence	164		
DMC12 - Middleton Cheney	3,164		
DMC13 - Newbottle	411		
DMC14 - Thenford	71		
DMC15 - Warkworth	33		
DMC16 - Overthorpe	165		
DMC2 - Chacombe	548		
DMC3 - Croughton	577		
DMC4 - Evenley	468		
DMC5 - Farthinghoe - Farthinghoe Ward	300		
DMC6 - Farthinghoe - Steane Ward	57		
DMC8 - Greatworth and Halse - Halse Ward	113		
DMC9 - Hinton In the Hedges	169		
DSV22 - Thorpe Mandeville	143		
<b>Woodford &amp; Byfield</b>	<b>8,695</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2.86%</b>
AWW1 - Badby	534	2	2.86%
AWW10 - Hellidon	172		
AWW11 - Newnham	538		
AWW12 - Preston Capes	171		
AWW13 - Staverton	419		
AWW16 - Woodford Cum Membris	2,471		
AWW17 - Woodford Cum Membris	746		
AWW2 - Byfield	1,038		
AWW4 - Catesby	81		
AWW5 - Charwelton	185		
AWW7 - Everdon	301		
AWW9 - Fawsley	29		
DSV10 - Culworth	318		
DSV11 - Eydon	387		
DSV3 - Aston Le Walls	248		
DSV5 - Boddington - Lower Ward	220		
DSV6 - Boddington - Upper Ward	341		
DSV8 - Chipping Warden and Edgcote	496		
<b>Billing &amp; Rectory Farm</b>	<b>12,920</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1.89%</b>
BBR1 - Northampton - Brookside Ward	629	3	1.89%
BBR2 - Northampton - Rectory Farm Ward	556		
BBR3 - Northampton - Talavera Ward	1,050		
BTW6 - Northampton - Talavera Ward	1,640		
CBR4 - Billing	2,055		
CBR5 - Billing	1,095		
CBR6 - Billing	2,247		
CBR7 - Northampton - Rectory Farm Ward	1,675		
CBR8 - Northampton - Rectory Farm Ward	1,643		
CBR9 - Northampton - Talavera Ward	330		
<b>Castle</b>	<b>12,909</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1.80%</b>
CAP7 - Northampton - Abington Ward	844		
CCT1 - Northampton - Castle Ward	2,123	3	1.80%
CCT2 - Northampton - Castle Ward	1,886		
CCT3 - Northampton - Castle Ward	878		
CCT4 - Northampton - Castle Ward	1,418		
CCT5 - Northampton - Castle Ward	1,241		
CCT6 - Northampton - Castle Ward	1,652		
CCT7 - Northampton - Castle Ward	1,412		
CDS4 - Northampton - St James Ward	1,455		
<b>Houghton &amp; Roade</b>	<b>12,893</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1.67%</b>
ABG7 - Milton Malsor	614	3	1.67%
DBG10 - Courteenhall	76		
DBG9 - Blisworth	1,458		
DDH1 - Ashton	330		

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DHG1 - Brafield on the Green	550		
DHG10 - Quinton	169		
DHG11 - Yardley Hastings	625		
DHG2 - Castle Ashby	111		
DHG3 - Cogenhoe - Cogenhoe Ward	1,142		
DHG4 - Cogenhoe - Whiston Ward	47		
DHG5 - Denton	611		
DHG6 - Hackleton - Hackleton Ward	1,046		
DHG7 - Hackleton - Piddington Ward	361		
DHG8 - Hartwell	1,502		
DHG9 - Houghton Little	347		
DNV7 - Great Houghton	619		
DTR2 - Roade	2,684		
DTR3 - Shutlanger	255		
DTR4 - Stoke Bruerne	346		
<b>Bugbrooke &amp; The Heyfords</b>	<b>8,583</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1.53%</b>
ABG1 - Bugbrooke	2,290	2	1.53%
ABG2 - Gayton	424		
ABG3 - Harpole	1,858		
ABG4 - Heyford Nether	1,287		
ABG5 - Heyford Upper	65		
ABG6 - Kislingbury	1,088		
ABG8 - Rothersthorpe	401		
DBG11 - Pattishall	1,170		
<b>Braunstone &amp; Crick</b>	<b>8,575</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1.44%</b>
ABC1 - Ashby St Ledgers	121	2	1.44%
ABC10 - Welton	504		
ABC11 - Yelvertoft	656		
ABC2 - Barby & Onley (Barby)	871		
ABC3 - Barby & Onley (Onley)	200		
ABC4 - Braunston	1,462		
ABC5 - Clay Coton	47		
ABC6 - Crick	1,825		
ABC7 - Kilsby	1,173		
ABC8 - Lilbourne	340		
ABC9 - Stanford	52		
ABX21 - Welford	938		
ABX22 - Winwick	88		
ABX4 - Cold Ashby	248		
ABX9 - Elkington	51		
<b>Duston</b>	<b>12,853</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1.36%</b>
CDE1 - Duston - New Duston East	1,921	3	1.36%
CDE2 - Duston - New Duston East	771		
CDE3 - Duston - Old Duston	1,345		
CDE4 - Duston - Old Duston	1,421		
CDE5 - Duston - Old Duston	1,178		
CDE6 - Duston - Old Duston	1,261		
CDW1 - Duston - New Duston West	2,087		
CDW2 - Duston - New Duston West	576		
CDW3 - Duston - New Duston West	1,566		
CDW4 - Duston - New Duston West	727		
<b>Talavera</b>	<b>8,427</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-0.32%</b>
BTV1 - Northampton - Brookside Ward	1,337	2	-0.32%
BTV2 - Northampton - Brookside Ward	2,108		
BTV3 - Northampton - Talavera Ward	2,056		
BTV4 - Northampton - Talavera Ward	1,943		
BTV5 - Northampton - Talavera Ward	983		
<b>Silverstone &amp; Rural South Northants</b>	<b>8,363</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-1.07%</b>
AWW14 - Stowe-Nine-Churches	234	2	-1.07%
AWW3 - Canons Ashby	46		
AWW8 - Farthingstone	166		
DDH9 - Whittlebury	476		
DMC7 - Greatworth and Halse - Greatworth Ward	618		
DSV1 - Abthorpe	289		
DSV13 - Helmdon	737		
DSV14 - Litchborough	280		
DSV15 - Maidford	166		
DSV16 - Moreton Pinkney	346		
DSV17 - Radstone	47		
DSV18 - Silverstone	2,173		
DSV19 - Slapton	78		

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DSV2 - Adstone	90		
DSV20 - Sulgrave	344		
DSV21 - Syresham	726		
DSV23 - Wappenham	273		
DSV24 - Weston and Weedon	286		
DSV25 - Whitfield	178		
DSV26 - Woodend	143		
DSV4 - Blakesley	412		
DSV9 - Cold Higham	257		
<b>Brackley</b>	<b>12,445</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-1.86%</b>
DBK1 - Brackley East Ward No 1	3,896	3	-1.86%
DBK2 - Brackley East Ward No 2	2,026		
DBK3 - Brackley West Ward	3,369		
DBK4 - Brackley South Ward	3,154		
<b>Nasby</b>	<b>4,087</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-3.31%</b>
ABX10 - Haselbech	91	1	-3.31%
ABX15 - Naseby	637		
ABX18 - Sibbertoft	294		
ABX19 - Sulby	85		
ABX20 - Thornby	149		
ABX5 - Cottesbrooke	114		
ABX6 - Creton	413		
ALB10 - Hollowell	45		
ALB13 - Ravensthorpe	55		
ALB14 - Ravensthorpe	428		
ALB7 - Guilsborough	564		
ALB9 - Hollowell	241		
AML12 - Spratton	971		
<b>Kingsthorpe South</b>	<b>8,137</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-3.75%</b>
BKS1 - Kingsthorpe	2,242	2	-3.75%
BKS2 - Kingsthorpe	1,304		
BKS3 - Kingsthorpe	1,412		
BKS4 - Kingsthorpe	1,213		
BKS5 - Kingsthorpe	896		
BKS7 - Kingsthorpe	1,070		
<b>Walgrave &amp; East Farndon</b>	<b>4,030</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-4.65%</b>
ABX1 - Arthingworth	212	1	-4.65%
ABX11 - Kelmarsh	67		
ABX12 - Lamport	216		
ABX13 - Maidwell	229		
ABX14 - Marston Trussell	147		
ABX16 - Great Oxendon	253		
ABX17 - Scaldwell	260		
ABX3 - Clipston	551		
ABX7 - Draughton	60		
ABX8 - East Farndon	282		
AML13 - Walgrave	760		
AML4 - Hannington	238		
AML7 - Holcot	365		
AML9 - Old	391		
<b>Harlestone &amp; Long Buckby</b>	<b>8,039</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-4.91%</b>
ALB1 - Althorp	11	2	-4.91%
ALB11 - Long Buckby Wharf	91		
ALB12 - Long Buckby	3,461		
ALB15 - Watford	252		
ALB16 - West Haddon	1,481		
ALB2 - Great Brington	189		
ALB5 - East Haddon	562		
ALB8 - Holdenby	79		
AML2 - Chapel Brampton	368		
AML3 - Church Brampton	301		
AML5 - Harlestone	381		
AML6 - Harlestone Manor	864		
<b>Kingsthorpe North</b>	<b>12,006</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-5.32%</b>
BKN1 - Kingsthorpe	1,425	3	-5.32%
BKN2 - Kingsthorpe	2,155		
BKN3 - Kingsthorpe	1,144		
BKN4 - Kingsthorpe	1,402		
BKN5 - Kingsthorpe	3,460		
BKN6 - Kingsthorpe	865		
BKN7 - Kingsthorpe	1,555		

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<b>Delapre &amp; Hardingstone</b>	<b>7,912</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-6.41%</b>
CDR1 - Far Cotton & Delapre	99		
CDR2 - Far Cotton & Delapre	1,949	2	-6.41%
CDR3 - Far Cotton & Delapre	39		
CDR4 - Far Cotton & Delapre	1,833		
CDR5 - Far Cotton & Delapre	20		
CDR6 - Far Cotton & Delapre	1,200		
DNV1 - Hardingstone	2,772		
<b>Riverside</b>	<b>11,846</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-6.58%</b>
CDR7 - Northampton - Rushmills Ward	772	3	-6.58%
CDR8 - Northampton - Rushmills Ward	817		
CRP1 - Billing	1,549		
CRP2 - Northampton - Park Ward	1,872		
CRP3 - Northampton - Park Ward	1,936		
CRP4 - Northampton - Rushmills Ward	1,271		
CRP5 - Northampton - Riverside Ward	1,061		
CRP6 - Northampton - Riverside Ward	1,138		
CRP7 - Northampton - Riverside Ward	1,430		
<b>Dallington Spencer</b>	<b>11,753</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-7.32%</b>
BKS6 - Northampton - Semilong Ward	777	3	-7.32%
BKS8 - Northampton - Trinity Ward	1,582		
BSG4 - Northampton - Semilong Ward	188		
BSG5 - Northampton - Trinity Ward	2,105		
CDS5 - Northampton - Spencer Ward	1,252		
CDS6 - Northampton - Spencer Ward	943		
CDS7 - Northampton - Spencer Ward	1,831		
CSG6 - Northampton - Semilong Ward	1,296		
CSG7 - Northampton - Semilong Ward	1,779		
<b>Collingtree, Grange Park &amp; Wootton</b>	<b>11,690</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-7.81%</b>
DES1 - Collingtree	547	3	-7.81%
DHG12 - Grange Park	3,044		
DNV2 - Wootton	2,250		
DNV3 - Wootton	1,145		
DNV4 - Wootton	2,780		
DNV5 - Wootton	1,143		
DNV6 - Collingtree	781		
<b>Upton</b>	<b>7,767</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-8.12%</b>
DDW5 - Upton	2,012		
DDW6 - Upton	829		
DSF6 - Hunsbury Meadows	898	2	-8.12%
DSF7 - Upton	4,028		
<b>Towcester</b>	<b>11,562</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-8.82%</b>
DSV12 - Greens Norton	1,316	3	-8.82%
DSV7 - Bradden	139		
DTR1 - Easton Neston	63		
DTR5 - Tiffield	282		
DTR6 - Towcester Brook Ward No 1	3,052		
DTR7 - Towcester Brook Ward No 2	3,780		
DTR7B - Towcester Brook Ward No 2	13		
DTR8 - Towcester Mill Ward No 1	2,078		
DTR9 - Towcester Mill Ward No 2	839		
<b>Headlands</b>	<b>7,706</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-8.85%</b>
BHD3 - Northampton - Headlands Ward	2,000	2	-8.85%
BHD4 - Northampton - Headlands Ward	1,948		
BHD5 - Northampton - Phippsville Ward	915		
BHD6 - Northampton - Westone Ward	1,137		
BHD7 - Northampton - Westone Ward	1,706		
<b>Moulton</b>	<b>11,333</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-10.63%</b>
AML1 - Boughton	600	3	-10.63%
AML10 - Overstone	3,853		
AML11 - Pitsford	553		
AML8 - Moulton	4,048		
BBP1 - Northampton - Boothville Ward	1,959		
BBP6 - Northampton - Parklands Ward	320		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>323,574</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>-10.36%</b>



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