

Date of despatch: 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 2009

#### To the Members of Slough Borough Council

Dear Councillor,

You are summoned to attend a Meeting of the Council of this Borough which will be held in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Bath Road, Slough on **Tuesday, 3rd February, 2009 at 7.00 p.m.,** when the business in the agenda below is proposed to be transacted.

Yours faithfully

RUTH BAGLEY
Chief Executive

**AGENDA** 

#### **PRAYERS**

#### Apologies for Absence

#### **PART I**

- 1. Declarations of Interest Members are reminded of their duty to declare personal and personal prejudicial interests in the items coming before this meeting as set out in the Local Code of Conduct.
- 2. To Approve as a Correct Record the Minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on 16th December, 2008.
- 3. To Receive the Mayor's Communications.

#### **Public Questions**

4. Questions from Electors under Procedure Rule 9 (as tabled).



5. Questions from Members re the Thames Valley Police Authority under Procedure Rule 10 (if any).

#### **Recommendations of Cabinet and Committees**

[Notification of Amendments required by 10 a.m. on Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> February]

6. Recommendations of the Licensing Committee of 21st January, 2009 re Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places. (Pages 1 - 48)

#### **Motions**

7. To Consider Motions Submitted under Procedure Rule 14. (Pages 49 - 52)

#### **Member Questions**

8. To Consider Questions from Members under Procedure Rule 10 (as tabled).

#### **Minutes Book**

9. To Receive the Following Minutes of the Cabinet and Committees (circulated in Minutes Book enclosed) -

Cabinet of 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2008 Cabinet of 4<sup>th</sup> December, 2008 Planning Committee of 22<sup>nd</sup> December, 2008 Overview & Scrutiny Committee of 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2009

Minutes circulated herewith.



#### **SLOUGH BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**REPORT TO:** Council **DATE:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2009

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WARD(S): All

#### PART I FOR DECISION

# RECOMMENDATION OF THE LICENSING COMMITTEE FROM ITS MEETING HELD ON 21<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY, 2009 – ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION IN DESIGNATED PUBLIC PLACES

#### 1. Purpose of Report

To consider the recommendation of the Licensing Committee that Alcohol Designation Orders be made under Section 13 of the Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001.

#### 2. Recommendation(s)/Proposed Action

The Council -

- being satisfied that public nuisance or annoyance to members of the public, or a section of the public, and disorder has been associated with public drinking in the areas identified;
- being satisfied that the problem will continue unless Orders are made;
- having considered the consultation responses received;

is recommended to make Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places Orders under Sections 12 -16 of the Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001 (as amended) in respect of the areas detailed in the plans and descriptions attached to this report as follows:

- 1. Town Centre
- 2. Chalvey
- 3. Baylis
- 4. Colnbrook
- 5. Langley 1
- 6. Langley 2
- 7. Langley 3
- 8. Britwell
- 9. Farnham Road
- 10. Wexham Central
- 11. Haymill
- 12. Cippenham Green and Cippenham Meadows

# 3. <u>Community Strategy Priorities – Taking Pride in Slough and Making a</u> <u>Difference to Communities and our Environment</u>

# Priority 1 – Creating safe, environmentally friendly and sustainable neighbourhoods.

By providing police officers with the powers to address anti-social public drinking of alcohol, alcohol designation orders directly contribute to the aims of:

- 1.1 Delivering cleaner and safer neighbourhoods
- 1.3 Protecting and enhancing public health and well being.

## Priority 2 – Improving lives for those in need and creating thriving communities.

2.5 The provision of the alcohol designation orders supports the Stronger Communities theme in the Safer Slough Partnership Crime, Disorder and Drugs Strategy action plan 2006-2007. In particular objective one of the Stronger Communities theme looks to see an "increase in local participation in governance". This also reflects the priority to strengthen community activity through collaborative working in the most disadvantaged neighbourhoods.

#### Priority 4 – Ensuring excellence in customer services

4.2 The alcohol designation orders contribute to the aim of engaging, listening and empowering communities by providing a response to problem areas identified through reports made to Council officers and Thames Valley Police by members of the public.

#### 4. Other Implications

#### (a) Financial

In addition to officer time, the costs of making the orders are the costs of advertisements, consultation letters and notices. The cost of proceeding with the areas referred to in this report is approximately £5,440 for advertisements and £4,000 for signage, leaflets and consultation. These funds will be committed from sources to be agreed, including the Community Safety project funding and Safer Slough Partnership.

Once designation orders are made, enforcement is entirely in the hands of the police. Therefore once the initial costs of making the orders have been paid, the Council would bear no costs of enforcement.

#### (b) Human Rights Act and other Legal Implications

Article 1 of the Human Rights Act applies – Every person is entitled to peaceful enjoyment of his possessions. No one shall be deprived of his possessions except in the public interest and subject to conditions provided for by law. Making a Designation Order would provide the legal framework for removal of alcohol from persons in designated public places.

#### 5. Supporting Information

#### **Background**

- 5.1 On 1<sup>st</sup> September 2001, Sections 12 16 of the Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001 came into force. These provide local authorities with powers to restrict antisocial public drinking in designated public places and provide the police with power to enforce this restriction. The Local Authorities (Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places) Regulations 2001 came into force on the same date these have now been replaced by the Local Authorities (Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places) Regulations 2007. These set out the procedures to be followed by local authorities in designating public places for this purpose.
- 5.2 Section 12 of the Act provides police powers to deal with anti-social drinking in areas that have been designated for this purpose by the local authority. The police have the power where the officer reasonably believes that a person is/has been/intends to consume alcohol in a designated place and the officer may require the person concerned:
  - (a) Not to consume the alcohol.
  - (b) To surrender any alcohol or alcohol containers (other than sealed containers).

It is an arrestable offence to fail to comply with such a requirement of a police officer. A police officer may dispose of anything so surrendered to him in such a manner as he considers appropriate in the person's possession.

- 5.3 It is not an offence to drink alcohol in a designated public place and there is no intention that the provisions of the 2001 Act should lead to a comprehensive ban on drinking/consumption of alcohol in open public places. Accordingly, Section 13 of the Act allows local authorities to designate areas for this purpose only where they are satisfied that nuisance or annoyance to members of the public, or a section of the public, or disorder has been associated with public drinking in that place. The Home Office advises that where there have been no such problems, a Designation Order under Section 13 will not be appropriate.
- 5.4 The Regulations do not place on the local authority a requirement to conduct a formal assessment, over a given period, of the nature of the problem. The local authority must be satisfied that public nuisance, annoyance or disorder has been associated with public drinking in the area concerned and that a Designation Order under section 13 is appropriate. Whether or not a Designation Order is appropriate will be a matter for local judgement, based on the circumstances and evidence available.
- 5.5 The Council needs to satisfy itself that these powers are not being used disproportionately or in an arbitrary fashion, which could be the case if one isolated incident led to a Designation Order. There should be evidence of an existing problem, with an assessment as to the likelihood of the problem continuing unless these powers are adopted.
- 5.6 Officers have been worked closely with Thames Valley Police to establish the areas where the police believe that nuisance or annoyance to the public or

disorder have been associated with public drinking in that place, in order that clearly defined areas, to be included in the formal statutory consultation process, can be considered by Members. The plans for the proposed designated areas are detailed in **APPENDICES 1 – 12**. The descriptions of the areas have been detailed for consideration in **APPENDICES 13 - 24**.

- 5.7 The Regulations require local authorities to consult prior to making a Designation Order and to consider any representations made.
- 5.8 In accordance with Regulation 7, after making an Order and before it takes effect the local authority must publish another notice in a local newspaper that identifies the place designated in the Order, the effect of the Order and the date it will take effect.
- 5.9 Regulation 8 sets out the requirement to erect signs to ensure that the public (including visitors to the area) are made aware of the restrictions on public may apply. The signs must indicate the effect of a Designation Order, must be clear and unambiguous and not conflict with or obscure traffic signs. They should be placed at the approaches to designated areas and be repeated within them, and the local authority Highway Authority should be consulted.
- 5.10 The Licensing Committee on 5<sup>th</sup> November, 2008 resolved that officers be authorised to commence the necessary consultation and advertisements and that the outcome of the consultation exercise to be reported back through the Licensing Committee before being submitted to Council.
- 5.11 A full consultation exercise commenced on 19<sup>th</sup> December 2008 and the responses received are set out in **APPENDIX 25** to this report. All are generally supportive of the proposals although the letter from South Bucks District Council does raise concerns at possible displacement of the current problems into their area and a consequent increase in anti-social behaviour in areas such as Burnham, Iver, Farnham and Stoke Poges/Wexham. They suggest close working between the two authorities to ensure that action such as is currently proposed is mutually beneficial to the residents of both areas.
- 5.12 By virtue of Regulation 4, Members are under duty to consider any representations received as a result of the consultation and publicity.
- 5.13 Having considered all representations received, if Members are satisfied that Orders should be made and that the problems will continue unless the Orders are made, the Council may approve the recommendation set out in paragraph 2 above.
- 5.14 If Council approve the recommendation, an Order will be made and in accordance with Regulation 7, the authority must publish another notice in a local newspaper that identifies the places designated in the Order, the effect of the Order and date it will take effect.
- 5.15 In accordance with Regulation 8, appropriate signage will be erected.
- 5.16 In accordance with Regulation 9 a copy of the Order will be sent to the Secretary of State (Home Office) as soon as reasonably practicable after it has been made.

#### 6. Conclusion and Recommendation of the Licensing Committee

The Licensing Committee has considered the results of the consultation exercise undertaken and is satisfied that public nuisance or annoyance to members of the public, or a section of the public, and disorder has been associated with public drinking in the areas identified. It is satisfied that the problem will continue unless Orders are made and accordingly recommends to Council that Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places Orders be made under Sections 12 -16 of the Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001 (as amended) in respect of the areas detailed in the plans and descriptions attached to this report.

#### 7. **Appendices Attached**

APPENDIX 1 — Plans of proposed 'Town Centre' Designation APPENDIX 2 — Plans of proposed 'Chalvey' Designation APPENDIX 3 — Plans of proposed 'Baylis' Designation APPENDIX 4 — Plans of proposed 'Colnbrook' Designation APPENDIX 5 — Plans of proposed 'Langley 1' Designation APPENDIX 6 — Plans of proposed 'Langley 2' Designation APPENDIX 7 — Plans of proposed 'Langley 3' Designation APPENDIX 8 — Plans of proposed 'Britwell' Designation APPENDIX 9 — Plans of proposed 'Farnham Road' Designation APPENDIX 10 — Plans of proposed 'Wexham Central' Designation APPENDIX 11 — Plans of proposed 'Haymill' Designation APPENDIX 12 — Plans of proposed 'Cippenham Green & Cippenham Meadows
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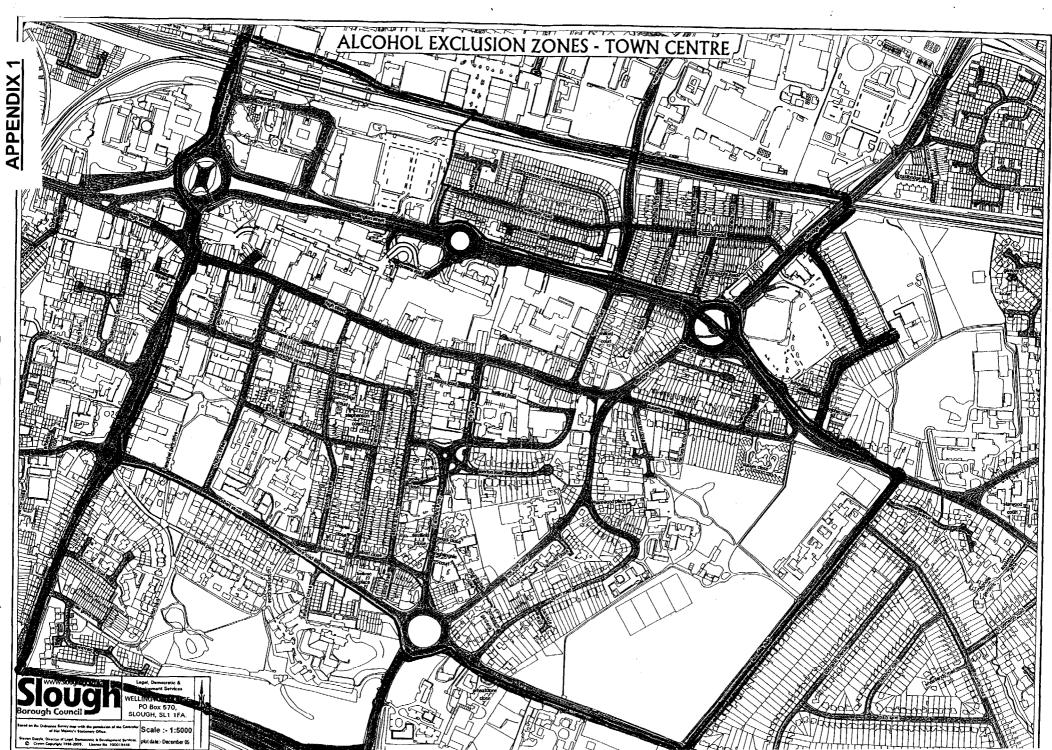
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APPENDIX 25 – Responses to the consultation exercise.

#### 8. Background Papers

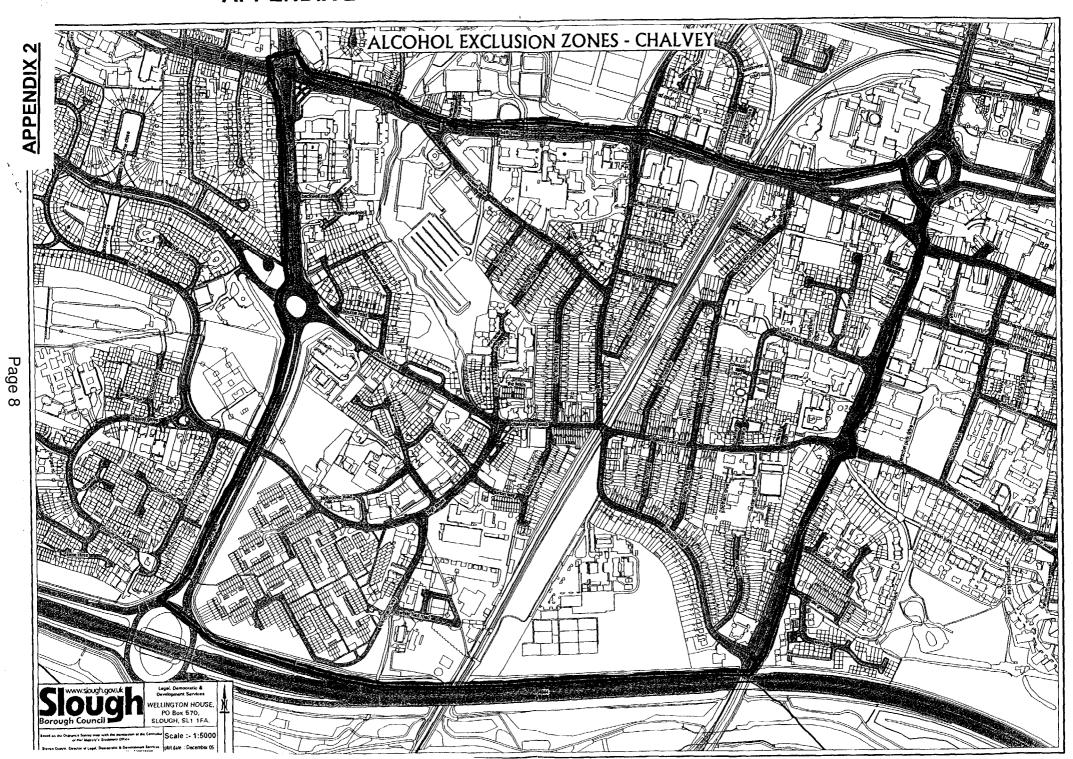
- 1. The Local Authorities (Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places) Regulations 2007.
- 2. Sections 12-16 of the Police and Criminal Justice Act 2001 (as amended), Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places.
- 3. Report to the Licensing Committee, 5<sup>th</sup> November 2008.
- 4. Minutes of the Licensing Committee of 5<sup>th</sup> November 2008.
- 5. Agenda of the Licensing Committee of 21st January, 2009.

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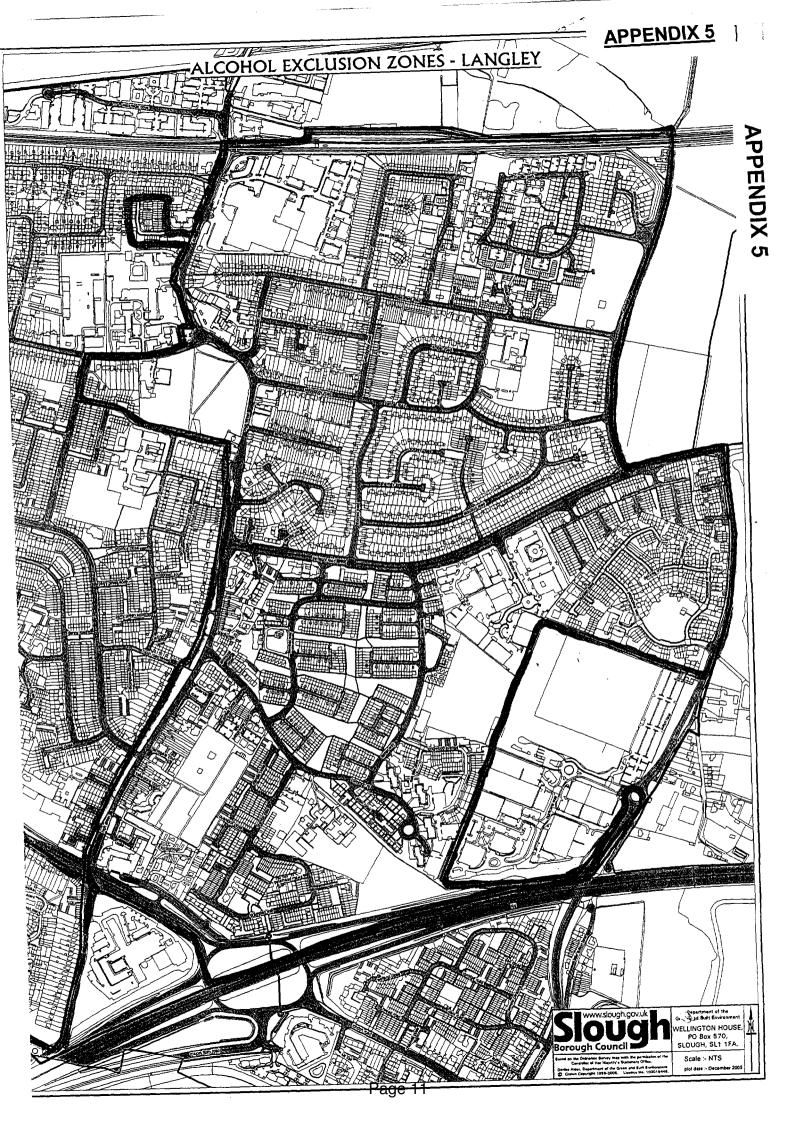
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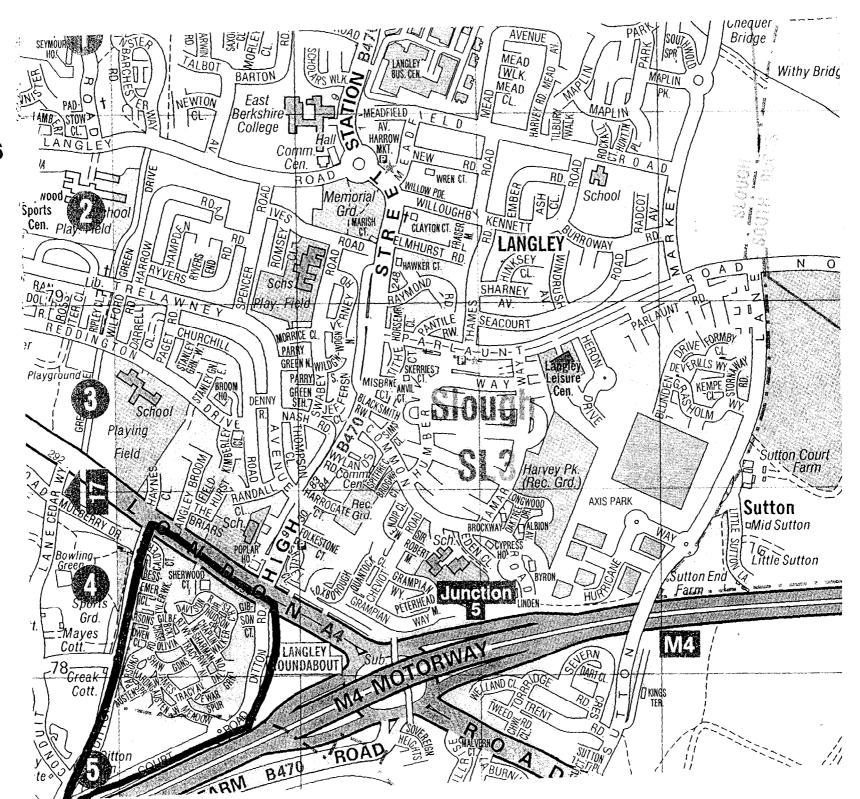
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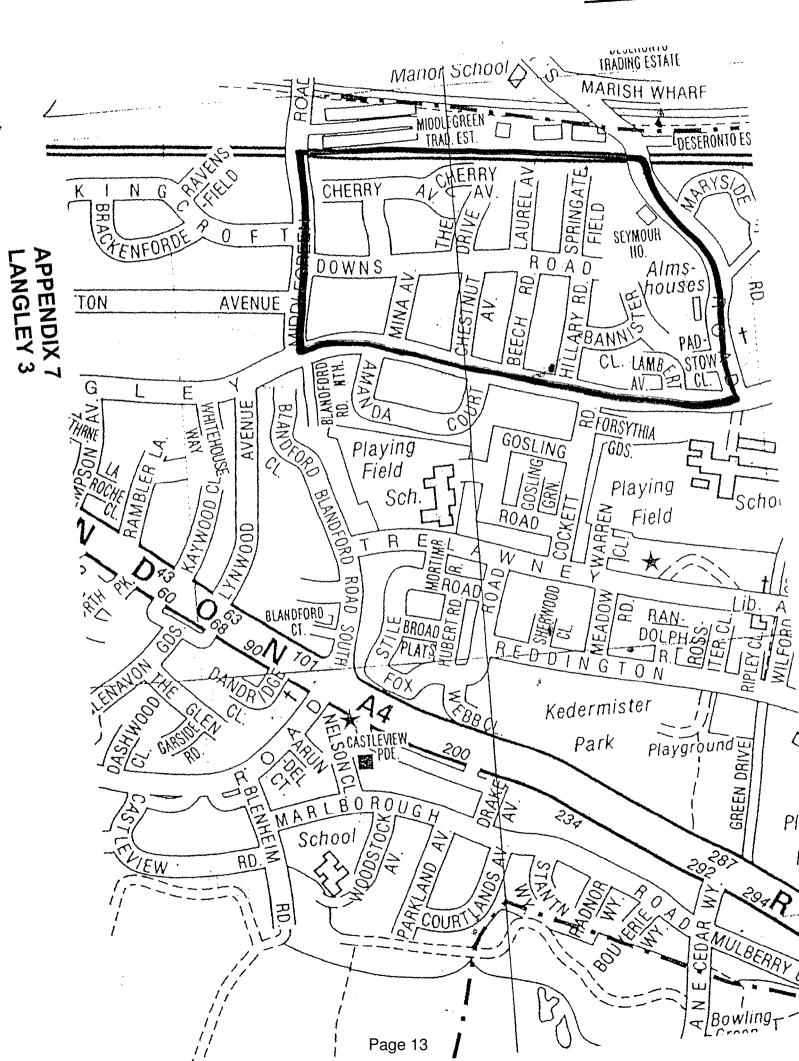


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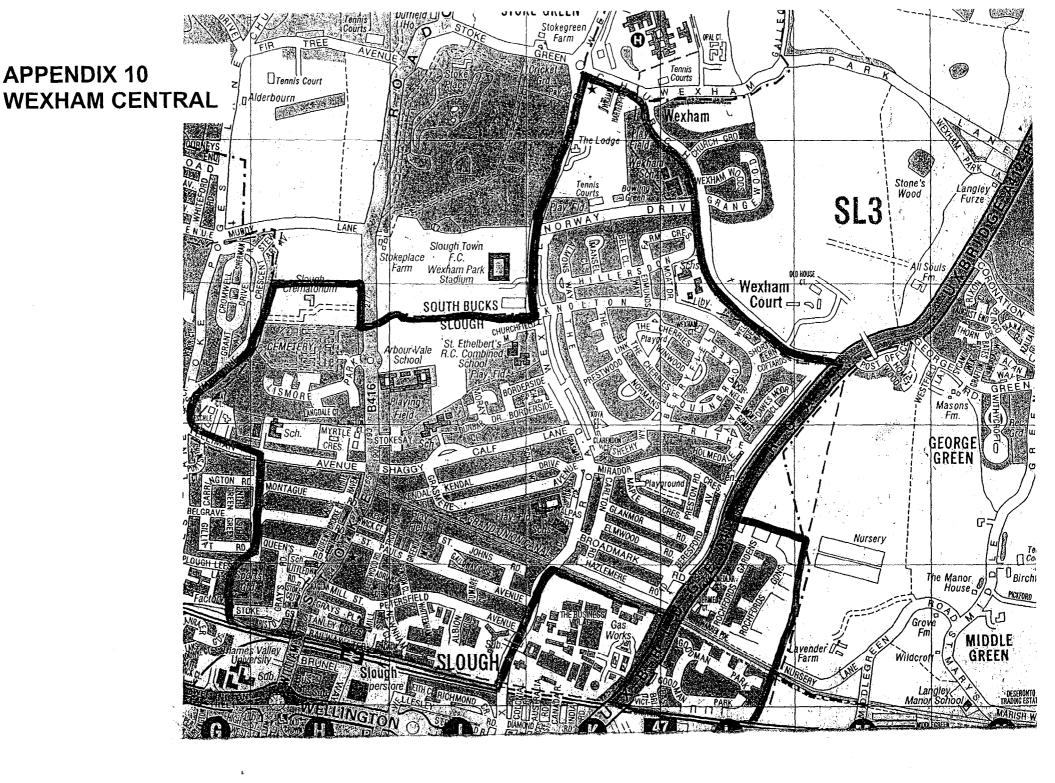
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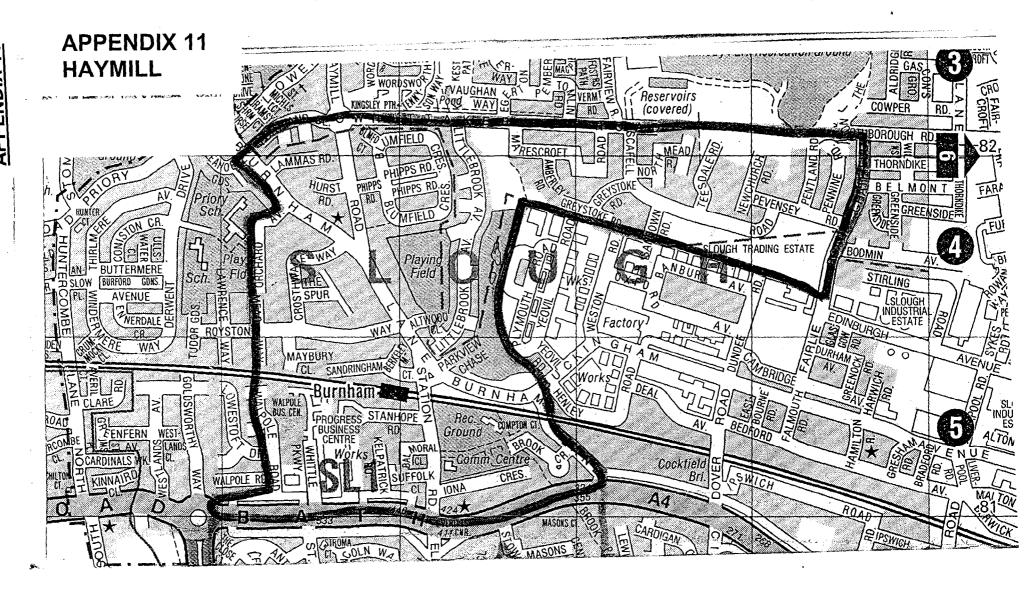


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#### **TOWN CENTRE**

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The boundary starts at the south end of Lascelles Road and travels north along Lascelles Road to the junction with Sussex place, then travelling west along Sussex Place to the junction with Hawtrey Road, continuing north along Hawtrey Road then north-west along Dolphin Road to the junction with Uxbridge Road. At the junction with Uxbridge Road the boundary continues north along the Uxbridge Road to the railway line then follows the railway line west to the western end of Railway Terrace. The boundary then follows the northern side of Railway Terrace west to the junction with William Street then turns to travel south along William Street, along the western side of the roundabout then south along Windsor Road to the point at which the motorway bridge crosses Windsor Road. At this point the boundary continues east along the M4 to the bridge where the motorway crosses the Datchet Road, then continues north along the Datchet Road to the roundabout with Upton Court Road, then east along Upton Court Road to the junction with Lascelles Road.

#### Roads

**Albert Street** 

Aldin Avenue North

Aldin Avenue South

Alpha Street South

Arborfield Close

Australia Road

Belgrave Place

Bishops Road

**Brunel Way** 

**Buckingham Gardens** 

Canada Road

**Castle Street** 

**Chapel Street** 

**Charter Close** 

**Chichester Court** 

**Church Street** 

Clements Close

**Clements Court** 

Clifton Road

Colonial Road

Connaught Road

**Datchet Road** 

Diamond Road

Dolphin Road

**Eastfield Close** 

Fishguard Spur

**Grove Close** 

Hanover Close

Harewood Place

Hatfield Road

**Hawtrey Close** 

Hencroft Street North

Hencroft Street South

Herschels Street

**High Street** 

Hornbeam Gardens

India Road

Kenilworth Close

Lascelles Road

Leith Close

Mackenzie Street

Mere Road

Merton Road

Mountbatten Close

Nightingale Court

Nixley Close

Osborne Street

Park Street

Parkside Walk

**Princes Street** 

**Priors Close** 

Queensmere Road

Railway Terrace

**Richmond Crescent** 

ST. Laurence Way

Stratfield Road

Sussex Close

Sussex Place

The Grove

**Upton Court Road** 

Upton Park

**Upton Road** 

**Uxbridge Road** 

Vale Grove

Victoria Street

Wellesley Close

Wellesley Road

Wellesley Path

Wellington Street

Wexham Road

William Street

Windsford Parade

Windsor Road

Winvale

Yew Tree Road

#### **CHALVEY**

All open areas to which the public have access including but not limited to all or any highways, footpaths, alleyways, car parks, service roads, forecourts, verges, parks, recreation grounds, playing fields, church grounds and any other open area to which the public have access within the bounded area as follows-

The boundary commences at the junction of Tuns Lane and Bath Road and travels west along Bath Road to the Brunel roundabout, then south to the Windsor Road. It then continues south along Windsor Road to the M4 motorway over-bridge and follows a line west along M4 to Tuns Lane slip road at junction 6 of the M4. The boundary then travels north along Tuns Lane to the junction with Bath Road.

#### **Roads**

Aldephi Gardens

Alexandra Road

Arthur Road

Bath Road

**Baxter Close** 

**Beckwell Road** 

**Beechwood Gardens** 

**Botham Drive** 

Bourne Road

**Brammas Close** 

**Burlington Avenue** 

Burlington Road

**Chalvey Gardens** 

Chalvey Park

Chalvey Road East

Chalvey Road West

Church Street

Clive Court

College Avenue

Damson Grove

Darvill's Lane

Elis Avenue

**Emmerald Court** 

**Everard Avenue** 

Harris Gardens

Henry Road

High Street

Hillside

Hilperton Road

John Taylor Court

King Edward Street

Kings Road

Ladbrooke Road

Ledgers Road

Martin Road
Montem Lane
Moorstown Court
New Square
Newbery Way
Oban Court
Ragstone Road
Seymour Road
Spackmans Way
The Crescent
The Green
Tuns Lane
Turton Way
White Hart Road
William Street
Windsor Road
Worcester Gardens

#### **BAYLIS**

All open areas to which the public have access including but not limited to all or any highways, footpaths, alleyways, car parks, service roads, forecourts, verges, parks, recreation grounds, playing fields, church grounds and any other open area to which the public have access within the bounded area as follows-

The boundary commences at the junction of Farnham Road and Sheffield Road then travels east along Sheffield Road to Oatlands Drive. It continues east along Oatlands Drive to the junction with Stoke Poges Lane then south along Stoke Poges Lane to junction with A4, Bath Road. The boundary then travels west along Bath Road to the junction with Tuns Lane then continues north along Farnham Road to the junction with Sheffield Road.

#### Roads

Birley Road

Hughenden Road

Belfast Avenue

Sydney Grove

Sheffield Road

Oatlands Drive

**Bradley Road** 

Pool Lane

Leeds Road

Loddon Spur

Godolphin Road

Farm Lane

Lake Avenue

Carlisle Road

**Baylis Road** 

Whitby Road

Salt Hill Drive

**Grace Court** 

Salt Hill Way

White Close

Salt Hill Drive

Windmill Road

Hartland Close

Bath Road

Simpsons Way

#### **COLNBROOK**

All open areas to which the public have access including but not limited to all or any highways, footpaths, alleyways, car parks, service roads, forecourts, verges, parks, recreation grounds, playing fields, church grounds and any other open area to which the public have access within the bounded area as follows-

The boundary commences at the point at which Ditton Road begins to run parallel with the M4 and travels north following M4 north to the over-bridge on Sutton Lane, then east across the M4 then south along Sutton Lane to the junction of Sutton Lane and Colnbrook By Pass. It then continues east along Colnbrook By-Pass to a point parallel to the western boundary of Coln Trading Estate, then south following the western boundary of Coln Trading Estate to Bath Road. The boundary then travels west along Bath Road to the junction with Poyle Road and south along Poyle Road to a point opposite the southern side of the junction with Mathison Way. At this point the boundary travels in a line west to the borough boundary and follows the borough boundary north-west to the ward boundary at Ditton Road where Ditton Road begins to run parallel with the M4.

#### Roads

Aintree Close

Albany Park

Bath Road

**Beacon Court** 

**Bellmont Cottages** 

**Brands Road** 

**Bridge Street** 

Brookside

Cherwell Road

Coleridge Crescent

Colnbrook By-Pass

Cottesbrooke Close

Crown Close

Crown Meadow

**Dart Close** 

**Daventry Close** 

Dawley Ride

Disraeli Court

**Drift Way** 

**Fawsley Close** 

**High Street** 

Homestead Villas

Horton Road

**Hunstanton Close** 

Laburum Grove

Laurel

London Road

Mill Street

Moreland Avenue

Moreland Close

Myrtle Close

Park Street

Pepys Close

Popes Close

Raymond Close

Rayners Close

Rodney Way

Rudsworth Close

Severn Crescent

Springfield Road

St. Thomas Walk

Sunnyside

Sutton Lane

**Tall Trees** 

The Bungalows

The Hawthorns

Torridge Road

Trent Road

Tweed Road

Vicarage Way Welland Close

Wheelwrights Place

Willow Close

Winchester Close

#### **LANGLEY 1**

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The boundary commences at the junction of Parlaunt Road and Sutton Lane and travels south along Sutton Lane to a point adjacent to the read of number 1 Grasholm Way, then travels north west along the northern boundary of Axis Park to a point adjacent to the rear of the flats 33 to 42 Grasholm Way. At this point the boundary travels south west following the boundary of Axis Park to the south western corner of Axis Park, then east along the southern boundary of Axis Park to the footpath leading to Sutton Way. The boundary then continues north along the western side of Sutton Lane to the roundabout with Hurricane Way, around the northern side of the roundabout and then travels south along the eastern side of Sutton Way to the overbridge over the M4. The boundary then travels west and south following the line of the M4 motorway to the junction 5 motorway roundabout and continues north and west along the southern side of the roundabout and along the A4 London Road to the junction with High Street Langley. The boundary continues north along High Street Langley to a point opposite 242 High Street Langley, then west along Ives Road to the junction with Spencer Road, then north along Spencer Road to the junction with Langley Road. It then travels east along Langley Road to the roundabout with Station Road then north along Station Road to a point adjacent to the northern boundary of East Berkshire College. The boundary then continues east following the northern boundary of East Berkshire College to a point adjacent to the south eastern boundary of the flats number 36 to 41 Scholars Walk, then turns north along Scholars Walk. At the northern end of Scholars Walk, then boundary travels east then south and east following the northern edge of Scholars Walk to the junction with Station Road. It then turns north along Station Road to the bridge over the railway line, then follows a line west along the railway line to the railway bridge at Market Lane. From this point the boundary then travels south along Market Lane to the junction with Parlaunt Road and east along Parlaunt Road to the junction with Sutton Lane.

#### **Roads**

Ash Close **Beckett Chase** Blacksmith Row Blunden Drive **Bridgewater Court Burroway Road** Cheviot Road Common Road **Davidson Road Deverills Way Ditton Road Eden Close** Elmhurst Road **Ember Road** Folkestone Court Formby Close

Foxborough Close

Gibson Court

**Grampian Way** 

Grasholm Way

Harrogate Close

Harvey Road

Heron Drive

Hinksey Close

Horsemoor Close

**Humber Way** 

**Huntington Place** 

**Hurricane Way** 

Ives Road

Kempe Close

Kennet Road

Langley Road

London Road

Longwood Avenue

Maplin Park

Market Lane

Mead Avenue

Mead Close

Mead Walk

Meadfield Avenue

Meadfield Road

Mendip Close

New road

Oak Tree Drive

Pantile Road

Paralaunt Road

Parsons Road

**Peterhead Mews** 

**Quantock Close** 

Radcot Avenue

Raymond Road

Rockall Court

Scholars Walk

Seacourt Road

**Sharney Avenue** 

**Shelley Close** 

Simmons Close

Southwold Spur

Spitfire Road

Station Road

Stornaway Road

Sutton Lane

Tamar Way

Tilbury Walk

Tithe Court

Tyler Walk War Memorial Willoughby Road Windrush Avenue Wylands Road

#### **LANGLEY 2**

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The boundary starts at the junction of Ditton Road and London Road and travels west along the London Road to the junction with Ditton Park Road, then travels south along Ditton Park Road to the junction with Riding Court Road at which point it continues north east to the roundabout with Ditton Road, around the eastern side of the roundabout and then north along Ditton Road to the junction with London Road.

#### Roads

Beckett Chase
Calder Court
Davidson Road
Ditton Park Road
Ditton Road
Gibson Court
London Road
Owen Close
Parsons Road
Riding Court Road
Tyler Walk

#### **LANGLEY 3**

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The boundary starts at the junction of Langley Road and St Mary's Road and travels north along St Mary's Road to the bridge over the railway, then follows the railway line west to the bridge on Middlegreen Road. The boundary then continues south along Middlegreen Road to the junction with Langley Road, then east along Langley Road to the junction with St Mary's Road.

#### Roads

Beech Road Chestnut Avenue **Downs Road** Hillary Road Langley Road Middlegreen Road Mina Avenue Sophie Gardens Cherry Avenue The Drive Laurel Avenue Springate Field St. Marys Road **Bannister Close Padstow Close** Lambert Avenue

#### **BRITWELL**

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The boundary commences at the junction of Farnham Lane with Crow Piece Lane and travels east along Farnham Lane to the junction with Long Readings Lane then turns south along Long Readings Lane to the junction with Northborough Road. It continues west along Northborough Road and follows a line across the southern boundary of Kennedy Park to a point adjacent to number 51 Lovegrove Drive then continues west along Lovegrove Drive and Whittaker Road to the junction of Whittaker Road and Fairview Road. At this point the boundary turns north along Fairview Road to the junction with Pemberton Road then continues east and north along Pemberton Road to the junction with Long Furlong Drive. It then continues east along Long Furlong Drive to the junction with Calbroke Road, then north along Calbroke Road and follows a line north from a point adjacent to 103 Calbroke Road to the junction of Farnham Lane and Crow Piece Lane.

#### Roads

Cowper Road Aldridge Road Gascon's Grove Long Readings Lane Monksfield Way Lower Lees Road **Bromycroft Road** Manfield Close Aylesworth Avenue **Crayle Street** Hawkshill Road Lydsey Close Woodford Way Furzen Close Ansculf Road Odencroft Road Eyre Green Upper Lees Road **Doddsfield Road** Kiderminster Road Elmar Green Wentworth Avenue Ravensworth Road

Fairview Road Chilwick Road Long Furlong Drive Goodwin Road Umberville Way Skydmore Path
Sampson's Green
Marunden Green
Rokesby Road
Travic Road
Perryman Way
Calbroke Road
Lovegrove Drive
Wavell Gardens
Northborough Road

#### **FARNHAM ROAD**

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The boundary commences at the junction of Long Readings Lane and Bridport Way and travels east along Bridport Way to the junction with Bideford Spur, then north along Bideford Spur to a point adjacent to the northern side of number 8 Bideford Spur. From this point the boundary travels east to a point adjacent to 411 Farnham Road then continues east and south following the borough boundary to a point adjacent to adjacent to 16 Stewart Avenue. It then follows a line south following the ward boundary along Hawthorne Crescent and Stoke Poges Lane to the junction of Stoke Poges Lane and Oatlands Drive then travels west along Oatlands Drive and Sheffield Road to the junction with Sykes Road. The boundary then continues north along Sykes Road then follows a line north from the northern end of Sykes Road to a point adjacent to 103 Thorndike. It continues north along Thorndike to a point adjacent to 51 Thorndike, then follows a line north from this point to the junction of Long Readings Lane and Northborough Road, then travels north along Long Readings Lane to the junction with Bridport Way.

#### Roads

Wiltshire Avenue Cornwall Avenue Lancaster Avenue **Cumberland Avenue Furnival Avenue** Warwick Avenue Surrey Avenue Salisbury Avenue Stafford Avenue Canterbury Avenue Penn Road Northern Road Milton Road Cairngorm Place St. Elmo Crescent Hatton Avenue Lydford Avenue **Beaumont Road** St. Elmo Close **Broad Oak Court** Barrow Lodge **Broad Oak** Faraday Road Kingfisher Court Faraday Close Franklin Avenue

Faircroft

Sandlers End

Crofthill Road

Eastcroft

Northcroft

Westcroft

Southcroft

Midcroft

**Torquay Spur** 

Penzance Spur

**Bridport Way** 

**Brighton Spur** 

Newhaven Spur

Essex Avenue

Staunton Road

Beechwood Road

**Howard Avenue** 

Ardrossan Close

Douglas Road

**Bryant Avenue** 

Kent Avenue

Norfolk Avenue

Ely Avenue

Hampshire Avenue

**Third Crescent** 

Second Crescent

First Crescent

Waverley Road

Gloucester Avenue

Warrington Avenue

Birch Grove

**Briar Way** 

Larch Close

**Beaumaris Court** 

Kingswood House

Peel Court

Farnburn Avenue

Montrose Avenue

Perth Avenue

Devon Avenue

York Avenue

**Boston Grove** 

Sykes Road

Montrose Avenue

Aspen Close

Rowan Way

Rose Walk

**Hungerford Avenue** 

Whiteford Road

Kirkwall Spur

Muddy Lane

Sherman Road

Ronaldsay Spur

Lerwick Drive

Sumburgh Way

Cromwell Drive

Leiston Spur

Snape Spur

Thurston Road

**Grant Avenue** 

**Hawthorne Crescent** 

Stoke Poges Lane

Regent Court

**Grosvenor Court** 

Mundesly Spur

Littleport Spur

Mildenhall Road

Baylis Parade

Mary Morgan Court

Granville Avenue

Waterbeach Road

**Court Crescent** 

**Chester Road** 

Litcham Spur

Viliers Road

Waterbeach Close

Stewart Avenue

**Rutland Avenue** 

Westfield Road

Bloomfield Gate

Farnham Road

### **WEXHAM CENTRAL**

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The boundary starts at the roundabout on Church Lane and Wexham Lane and travels south along Wexham Lane to the junction with Knolton Way, then follows the borough boundary west across Stoke Road. The boundary then continues following the borough boundary west along the northern boundary of Slough Crematorium, then turns south to follow the Wexham ward boundary south along the eastern edge of Hawthorne Crescent to the junction with Stoke Poges Lane. It then continues south to the junction with Elliman Avenue, then travels west along Elliman Avenue to the junction with Shackleton Road and continues south along Shackleton Road. At the southern end of Shackleton Road the boundary follows the western side of the sports ground and continues south to the railway line. At this point the boundary travels west following the railway line to the bridge over the railway on the Wexham Road, then continues north along Wexham Road to the bridge over the Grand Union Canal. It then travels east following the Grand Union Canal to the bridge on Uxbridge Road, then continues south along Uxbridge Road to the bridge over the railway line and follows the railway line east to the ward boundary at the eastern end of Goodman Park. At this point the boundary continues north following the line of the borough boundary to the northern end of Rochford Gardens, then continues west along the northern side of Rochford Gardens to Uxbridge Road. It then turns and travels north along Uxbridge Road to the junction with Church Lane, then north west along Church Lane to the roundabout with Wexham Road.

## **Roads**

Adrians Walk

Albion Close

Almons Way

Belgrave Road

Bell Close

**Beresford Avenue** 

Berry Field

**Benson Close** 

Borderside

**Bristol Way** 

Broadmark Road

Canon Gate

Carlton Road

Charlotte Avenue

Chaucer Way

Church lane

Churchfield Mews

Clarendon Court

Coftards

Cumbrae Close

**Dawes Moor Close** 

**Dunbar Close** 

**Dukes Place** 

**Dornels** 

**Edmunds Way** 

Elliman Avenue

Elmwood Road

Farm Crescent

Fleetwood Road

Galloway Chase

Glanmor Road

Grasmere Avenue

**Grays Place** 

**Grays Road** 

**Greendale Mews** 

**Hawthorne Crescent** 

Hazlemere Road

Hillersdon

Kendal Close

Kendal Drive

**Knolton Way** 

Lismore Park

Littledown Road

Mansel Close

Malpas Road

Maple Crescent

Mill Street

Mirador Crescent

**Moat Drive** 

Montague Road

Montgomery Place

Moray Drive

Myrtle Crescent

**Norway Drive** 

Petersfield Avenue

**Preston Road** 

Prestwood

**Pursers Court** 

**Queens Court** 

Queens Road

Quinbrookes

Railway Terrace

School Lane

**Shackleton Road** 

Shaggy Calf Lane

Sheehy Road

Short Fern

St. Johns Road

St. Pauls Avenue

**Stanley Cottages** 

Stoke Gardens

Stoke Road
Stokeysay
The Cherries
The Frithe
The Link
The Normans
Troutbeck Close
Upton Lea Parade
Uxbridge Road
Welden
Wexham Road
Whittenham Close
Winwood

### **HAYMILL**

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The boundary starts at the junction of Bath Road and Burnham Lane and travels north-west along Burnham Lane to the junction with Buckingham Avenue, then follows a line north along the eastern boundary of the Haymill Valley Nature Reserve to the northern boundary of Slough Trading Estate. The boundary then continues east along the southern end of Amberley and Greystoke Roads along the northern boundary of Slough Trading Estate to Sandown Road, then travels east along the northern side of Banbury Avenue to Fairlie Road. At this point the boundary travels north along Fairlie and Chatfield Roads to the junction with Northborough Road then travels west along Northborough Road. At the western end of Northborough Road the boundary continues west across Kennedy Park in a line to the eastern end of Lovegrove Drive, then west along Lovegrove Drive and Whittaker Road, west across the roundabout and along Portland Close to Burnham Lane. The boundary then turns to travel south-east along Burnham Lane to the junction with Orchard Avenue and continues west then south along Orchard Avenue. The boundary then follows a line south from the southern end of Orchard Avenue to Mead Way and continues south from the southern end of Mead Way to the northern end of Walpole Avenue. It then travels south along Walpole Avenue, then follows the northern side of the service road west then south to Bath Road, then turns east along Bath Road to the junction with Burnham Lane.

### **Roads**

**Altwood Close Amberley Road Balmoral Close** Bath Road Blumfield Crescent **Brook Crescent** Burnham lane Chatfield Crosthwaite Way Haymill Road **Hurst Road** Iona Crescent Lammas Road Littlebrook Avenue Lovegrove Drive Marescroft Road Maybury Close Mead Way Newchurch Road Northmead Road Orchard Avenue Parkview Chase Pennine Road

Pentland Road
Petty Cross
Pevensey Road
Phipps Road
Portland Close
Royston Way
Sandown Road
Sandringham Court
Scafell Road
Station Road
Suffolk Close
Teesdale Road
The Spur
Walpole Road
Whittaker Road

## **CIPPENHAM GREEN and CIPPENHAM MEADOWS**

### **CIPPENHAM GREEN**

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The boundary starts at the junction of Bath Road and St Andrew's Way and travels south along St Andrew's Way to Harrison Way, then west along Harrison Way to Oldway Lane. It then continues south along Oldway Lane to the junction with West Point, then turns west then south along West Point and following a line south from the southern end of West Point to the M4. The boundary then travels east along the M4 to a point parallel with the eastern end of Philby Mews and travels north east from this point following a line from the motorway to the eastern end of Philby Mews then on to the south eastern end of Palace Close. From the south-eastern end of Palace Close the boundary travels north to Richards Way, then north across Richards Way and north along Gervais Close to Earls Lane. It then follows Earls Lane north to the roundabout with Lower Cippenham Lane, then travels north-west along Lower Cippenham Lane to the junction with Bowyer Drive. At this point the boundary continues west along Bowyer Drive to a point parallel with the southern end of Hinton Road, then travels north along Hinton Road, across Bowyer Way and north along Stowe Road to the junction with Bath Road, then turns to travel east along Bath Road to the junction with St Andrews Way.

### **CIPPENHAM MEADOWS**

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The boundary starts at the junction of Cippenham Lane and Telford Drive and travels south along Telford Drive to the junction with Amerden Way, then continues west along Amerden Way to Frogmore Close. It then travels south along Frogmore Close to the northern end of Bader Gardens. At the northern end of Bader Gardens the boundary then continues west to Baird Close and travels west to the junction with Haig Drive, then north along Haig Drive to Jellicoe Close. At this point the boundary continues west along the southern side of Jellicoe Close to the end of the road. At the western end of Jellicoe Close the boundary turns north then east to travel along the northern side of Jellicoe Close, then turns north at the eastern end of Jellicoe Close to follow a line to the eastern end of Weekes Drive. The boundary then travels west along Weekes Drive to the junction with Summerlea, then continues north and west along Summerlea to Vantage Road. It then travels north along Vantage Road and continues north across Spinney to Bunten Meadow, then travels north along Bunton Meadow to the junction with Cippenham Lane and the west along Cippenham Lane to the junction with Telford Drive.

### Roads

Abbey Close Adam Close Amerden Way Avon Close Bader Gardens **Baird Close** 

Barnfield

Bath Road

Berners Close

**Boadicea Close** 

**Boutlers Close** 

**Boveney Close** 

**Bower Drive** 

**Bowyer Drive** 

**Bruce Close** 

**Bunten Meade** 

College Road

Dennis Way

Earls Lane

Elmshott Lane

Erica Close

Ferners Close

Frenchum Gardens

Frogmore Close

Gervaise Close

Gorse Meade

Haig Drive

Harborough Close

Harrison Way

Hinton Road

**Hunters Way** 

Jellicoe Close

Lilley Way

Lincoln Way

Lower Cippenham Lane

Merican Way

Moor Furlong

Moreton Way

Oldway Lane

Patricia Close

Peartree Close

Plackett Way

Richards Way

Robin Hood Close

Roebuck Green

**Roxwell Close** 

Spinney

St. Andrews Way

Stoney Meade

Stowe Road

Stroma Court

Summerlea

Tamarisk Way

Telford Drive
The Greenway
Trumper Way
Vantage Road
Ward Gardens
Warner Close
Washington Drive
Weekes Drive
West Point

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# RESPONSES TO ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION ORDERS (DPPO) CONSULTATION

- A response from a Ward Member in agreement with the proposals.
- A verbal response from another Member of the Council in complete support of the Orders being made.
- An anonymous written response returned with the word 'Agreed' on the consultation letter.
- A response from Burnham Parish Council largely in support of the Orders, although a little concerned that the effect of the Britwell and Haymill areas will be to displace the problem into Burnham. (Responded to by Anne Farmer).
- A response from a private resident who is opposed to the DPPOs as he states that
  it is a pleasant and harmless thing to be able to sit and have a picnic with a glass of
  wine or beer in a public park in nice weather and he does not wish to be prevented
  from doing so. (Responded to by Anne Farmer).
- A very detailed response from the Community Safety Manager from South Bucks (copy attached). The main concern is that at once the Orders are made adjacent to the South Bucks border, the problem will be dispersed into South Bucks. The response details the evidence of problems within their relevant area. However they do mention that they are proposing implementing an Alcohol Consumption Order (DPPO) for Burnham.

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# Community Safety

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Dealt with by:

Caroline Blackburn

Your Ref:

My Ref:

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Direct Line:

(01895) 837 365

Date:

19th January 2009

Dear Anne,

Re: Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places Orders – Britwell, Haymill, Wexham, Colnbrook & Langley, High Street

In response to your consultation there are several concerns regarding the proposed Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places Orders (DPPO) which the Community Safety Team at South Bucks District Council would like to raise.

First and foremost, there is a concern that any anti-social activity you may prevent in Slough with the introduction of the DPPO may displace the problem over the border into the District of South Bucks, specifically into the Burnham, Iver, Farnham and Stoke Poges/ Wexham areas. Due to high levels of disorder, these locations are 'areas of priority' for the Community Safety Team and by introducing the DPPO so close to these areas we fear we will see an increase in anti-social behaviour.

I have listed below the evidence to highlight why these specific locations in South Bucks are current 'areas of priority'. As you will be aware, the evidence used to determine the top three priorities for each Neighbourhood Action Group is based on public perception and opinions so it is important that we all work together to eradicate any concerns that our local residents have over the proposed DPPO in Slough.

#### Burnham

546 incidents of anti-social behaviour reported to Thames Valley Police between the period, 1<sup>st</sup> April 2008 and 31<sup>st</sup> October 2008.

347 incidents of \*local crime reported to Thames Valley Police between the period, 1st April 2008 and 31st October 2008.

Burnham Neighbourhood Action Group (NAG) priorities are (ranked in order of priority):-

- 1). anti-social behaviour
- 2). vulnerable youths
- 3). lack of CCTV

12 x off-licenses in area

### Farnham

335 incidents of anti-social behaviour reported to Thames Valley Police between the period, 1<sup>st</sup> April 2008 and 31<sup>st</sup> October 2008.

120 incidents of \*local crime reported to Thames Valley Police between the period, 1st April 2008 and 31st October 2008.

Farnham Neighbourhood Action Group (NAG) priorities are (ranked in order of priority):-

- 1). anti-social behaviour
- 2). parking
- 3), vandalism



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### 4 x off-licences in area

Iver Heath & Ritchings Park

321 incidents of anti-social behaviour reported to Thames Valley Police between the period, 1<sup>st</sup> April 2008 and 31<sup>st</sup> October 2008.

208 incidents of \*local crime reported to Thames Valley Police between the period, 1st April 2008 and 31st October 2008.

Iver Neighbourhood Action Group (NAG) priorities are (ranked in order of priority):-

- 1). graffiti
- 2). HGV traffic
- 3). anti-social behaviour

11 x off-licenses in area

Stoke Poges & Wexham

190 incidents of anti-social behaviour reported to Thames Valley Police between the period, 1st April 2008 and 31st October 2008.

129 incidents of \*local crime reported to Thames Valley Police between the period, 1<sup>st</sup> April 2008 and 31<sup>st</sup> October 2008.

Stoke Poges & Wexham Neighbourhood Action Group (NAG) priorities are (ranked in order of priority):-

- 1). anti-social behaviour
- 2). burglary
- 3). speeding

2 x off-licenses in area

\*Local Crime is defined as those incidents that are reported to Thames Valley Police and are dealt with by the Neighbourhood Policing Teams e.g., criminal damage/theft from person.

Feedback received from Thames Valley Police Officers in both Slough and South Bucks LPA's in reference to the Dispersal Order we implemented in Burnham (October 2007) did suggest that although the problem was eliminated from Burnham it did not deal with the root cause of the problem and only displaced the problem to the Britwell Estate. We too have experienced the same problem when Slough has implemented an operation and the problem moves into this District boundary.

We are supportive of DPPO's as South Bucks District Council is currently looking to implement a DPPO in Burnham from April 2009. I believe it would be beneficial for the consultation between both Community Safety Teams and Licensing Departments to extend further than that which has been set. As we share our borders, it would be wise for our dialogue on DPPO's to continue and ensure we keep one another informed as to what has been proposed and agreed. It is important for us to have accurate information to reassure our local residents and work together to reduce the problems, not to displace the problem to our neighbouring area. We would be very happy to meet with you at your earliest convenience to discuss this matter further.

Yours sincerely,

Caroline Blackburn Community Safety Manager



## **SLOUGH BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**REPORT TO:** Council **DATE:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2009

**CONTACT OFFICER:** Kevin Barrett

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WARD(S): All

# PART I FOR DECISION

## MOTIONS SUBMITTED TO COUNCIL UNDER PROCEDURE RULE 14

The following motions have been received in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 14:-

# 1. Motion (A) - Electoral Registration

(Moved by Councillor Dale-Gough, seconded by Councillor Stokes)

"Since the Government brought in postal voting freely on demand, there has been electoral fraud perpetrated in many parts of the country by some members of all the major political parties, as we know in Slough.

We have therefore investigated what actions have been taken in other parts of the country where fraud has been experienced, to attempt to eradicate this problem, including discussions with the Slough Electoral Registration Officer.

We call upon The Council to resolve that -

'In conducting the 2009 Annual Canvass:-

- (a) The Electoral Registration Officer issues blank Voter Registration Forms to each household.
- (b) A new Register of Electors is compiled and published from the forms submitted.
- (c) That the Electoral Registration Officer be requested not carry forward names where there has been no response from a household.
- (d) That any extra resources required by the Electoral Registration Department are allocated. (This may be the cost of seconding staff from other departments).'

This should ensure that those persons who no longer live in Slough are removed from the Electoral Register and only current eligible persons are included on the Electoral Roll.

It is accepted that this motion will have resource implications for Electoral Services."

# 2. Motion (B) – Electoral Registration and Elections Training

(Moved by Councillor Bains, seconded by Councillor Swindlehurst)

"This Council notes that:

- The coming month sees the start of Criminal Court proceedings against a group of individuals already found by an Election Court to have been part of an organised postal vote fraud and personation offences in the Slough Local Elections 2007.
- The voting fraud scandal in Central Ward has undermined local residents' confidence in the electoral process and in the security of postal voting, and has done untold reputational damage to our town.
- Concerns remain as to the adequacy of personal identifier checks and the overall security of the postal vote system nationally.
- The 2009 elections will be the first elections not already under way since the publication of the Slough Election Court judgement and it is important that we work to ensure electors can have confidence that the electoral practices of local political groups and parties are proper, and that the results of elections in this town have integrity and reflect the fair and free votes of genuine electors taking part in the polls.

As a result this Council resolves to:

- Instruct the Elections Office of Slough Borough Council to conduct a review of the Council's elections administration arrangements and processes, to ensure the Council is making full use of the further powers granted in the 2006 Elections Administration Act – particularly the increased signature and identity checking powers.
- Review and enhance the training and briefing offered to prospective candidates, political parties, their volunteers and election agents - to ensure the relevant individuals are fully aware of the law and good/bad practice in the conduct of their campaigns, and to ensure that this training takes place earlier in the year, before campaigning gets under way, as well as being covered in the Council's elections briefing at the start of the nomination process."

## 3. Motion (C) - Fair Funding Campaign

(Moved by Councillor Plimmer, seconded by Councillor Munkley)

"In light of the current fiscal challenges, due to the recession and the ongoing issue of unfair funding, this Council resolves to:

1) Restart the media campaign to achieve Fair Funding for the people of Slough as the current situation is untenable.

2)	Ask Cabinet to examine past Labour motions in the last four years, which are not currently implemented, if they are fiscally viable in light of the current fiscal situation of the Council."

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