

ELECTORAL ADMINISTRATION ACT 2006
REVIEW OF POLLING DISTRICTS AND PLACES 2011

What is the review about?

West Lothian Council has a duty to review all polling districts, places and stations by the end of 2011. The council must ensure that all electors have reasonable facilities for voting and we must also make sure that, as far as is reasonable and practicable, the polling places are accessible to all electors including those who are disabled.

Where to find more information about the review

Details of polling districts and places are available on the council website or from elections@westlothian.gov.uk

Who can take part in the review?

If you live in the Livingston or the Linlithgow & East Falkirk Parliamentary Constituencies and want to have your say regarding your polling place, we would like to hear from you - especially if you can suggest a better alternative polling place. We would also welcome comments from any person or body with expertise in access for persons with any type of disability. The Returning Officer will also provide comments.

We can accept representations from you up to 31 Aug 2011 and you can respond in the following ways:

Email: Elections@westlothian.gov.uk
Tel: 01506 281651
Address: Election Office
West Lothian Council
Civic Centre
Howden South Road
Livingston
EH54 6FF

What happens next

At the close of this consultation period, the council will consider all relevant representations made and publish a revised version of the schedule of polling places. Following this, there will then be a second consultation period before a scheme of polling districts and places is presented to the council executive for approval.

Note: The council is obliged to publish all responses received on its website and to make printed copies available for public inspection.