

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH ACT 2007**  
**The Northumberland (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Parish of**  
**Cramlington) Order 2024**

Made on 29 January 2025

Coming into force in accordance with article 1 (2)

Northumberland County Council ("the Council") in accordance with section 82 of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 ("the 2007 Act"), has undertaken a community governance review and made recommendations dated 17 May 2024. The review has been conducted in accordance with the terms of reference issued by the Council.

The Council has decided to give effect to those recommendations and, in accordance with section 93 of the 2007 Act, has consulted with the local government electors and other interested persons and has had regard to the need to secure that community governance reflects the identities and interests of the community and is effective and convenient.

The Council, in accordance with section 100 of the 2007 Act, has had regard to guidance issued under that section.

The Council makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 86, 98 and 240(10) of the 2007 Act.

**Citation and commencement**

1. (1) This Order may be cited as the Northumberland (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Parish of Cramlington) Order 2024.

(2) The Order shall come into force on the 1 April 2025.

(3) Article 4 shall come into force on the ordinary day of election of councillors in year 2025.

(4) For the purposes of: -

(a) this article;

and

(b) proceedings preliminary or relating to the election(s) of Parish Councillors for the parish of Cramlington, to be held on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2025, this Order shall come into force on the day after that on which it is made.

## **Interpretation**

2. In this Order –

“County” means the county of Northumberland

“Registration officer” means an officer appointed for the purpose of, and in accordance with, section 8 of the Representation of the People Act 1983”

## **Effect of Order**

3. This order has effect subject to any agreement under section 99 (agreements about incidental matters) of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 relevant to any provision of this Order. Unless amended by this this order the governance arrangements of the parish concerned are unchanged.

4. Wards and number of parish councillors for the parish of Cramlington:

(1) The existing wards of the parish of Cramlington shall be unchanged.

(2) The number of councillors to be elected for the parish of Cramlington shall be fourteen (14) with the Councillors for the Cramlington East and Cramlington North West wards each increased from one to two.

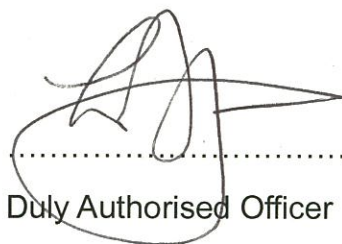
## **Electoral register**

5. The registration officer for Northumberland shall make such rearrangement of, or adaptation of, the register of local government electors as may be necessary for the purposes of, and in consequence of, this Order

## **Order date**

6. 1st April 2025 is the order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) (England) Regulations 2008.

THE COMMON SEAL of Northumberland County Council was hereunto affixed to  
this Deed in the presence of



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Duly Authorised Officer



## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order gives effect to recommendations made by Northumberland County Council for the Parish of Cramlington within the County of Northumberland.

Article 4(2) specifies the numbers of parish councillors for the parish of Cramlington.

The order comes into force on 1st April, 2025. The electoral arrangements apply in respect of parish elections to be held on and after the ordinary day of the election of councillors in 2025.

The terms of reference under which the community governance review was carried out can be found with the agenda papers of the Council Meeting on the 6<sup>th</sup>

November 2024 at: Agenda for County Council on Wednesday, 6th November, 2024, 2.00 pm - Northumberland County Council