



## General Purposes Committee

**Monday, 7 February 2011 at 6.30 pm**

Committee Room 3, Brent Town Hall, Forty Lane,  
Wembley, HA9 9HD

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# Agenda

Introductions, if appropriate.

Apologies for absence and clarification of alternate members

**Item** **Page**

**1 Declarations of personal and prejudicial interests**

Members are invited to declare at this stage of the meeting, any relevant financial or other interest in the items on this agenda.

**2 Minutes of the previous meeting**

The minutes of the previous meeting held on 25 January 2011 will follow.

**3 Matters arising (if any)**

**4 Deputations (if any)**

**5 Polling places and stations - Elections 2011** 1 - 8

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**6 Appointments to Sub-Committees / Outside Bodies**

**7 Any Other Urgent Business**

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### Report from the Democratic Services Manager

Wards affected:  
All

## Polling places and stations - Elections 2011

### 1. Summary

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### 2. Recommendations

- 2.1 That proposed changes to the polling places as set out in paragraphs 3.2.1 – 3.2.8 be noted and approved;
- 2.2 That the list of polling places for elections held in 2011 attached as appendix 1 be agreed;
- 2.3 That authority be delegated to the Democratic Services Manager to make any further changes required to the polling places and stations for these elections, in consultation with the leaders of the three political groups on the council.

### 3. Detail

- 3.1 In November 2009, the General Purposes Committee received a report on the outcome of a review of polling district boundaries to bring them into line with the new parliamentary constituency boundaries that came into effect at the General Election in 2010. The polling stations for this election were approved in February 2010 and necessary changes were made in the weeks following.
- 3.2 A few places have since been found to not be available for this May and alternative locations are proposed below:
- 3.2.1 **HKI3: Proposed Polling Place – Kilburn Square Housing Co-op**  
(replacing College of North West London (Kilburn Centre), Priory Park Road)

Members will know that the new CNWL building on Priory Park Road closed in the summer of last year. No alternative facilities have been identified. The polling station for the adjacent district which is Kilburn Square Housing Co-op is within easy walking distance for voters in both polling districts. It is large enough to accommodate the extra polling stations making three in total.

**3.2.2 NNP4: Proposed Polling Place – Sudbury Court Pavilion, East Lane**  
(replacing Wembley Technology College, East Lane)

Wembley High Technology College school hall will not be available as a polling place as the students need it for examinations and additionally refurbishment is taking place. Although there is a second hall on site, access to this would require voters to walk some considerable distance through the school site which, it is felt, would be inadvisable given that pupils and staff will be on site. Sudbury Court Pavilion is directly across the road from the school and easily accessible by a pelican crossing. The Pavilion was booked to be used but the sports club concerned is willing to make alternative arrangements. This arrangement will be kept under review for future elections. The Pavilion is opposite the school, on the other side of East Lane and was used before for the European Elections in 2009.

3.2.3 In all other polling districts, the polling stations locations will be the same as in 2010.

3.3 Councils are required by the Electoral Administration Act to carry out regular reviews of their polling districts and station locations. The next review must take place in 2011. This fuller review, to include consultation with local residents, will take place later this year.

#### **4. Financial Implications**

4.1 The Returning Officer can only reimburse council premises such as schools for incurred costs such as heating and lighting. A rental fee will have to be paid to non-council premises.

#### **5.0 Legal Implications**

5.1 The Representation of the People Act 1983 requires the council to divide every parliamentary constituency or part thereof within its area into polling districts and that these be kept under review. The council must also ensure that all electors are given such facilities for voting as may be reasonable in the circumstances.

#### **6.0 Diversity and Inclusion Implications**

6.1 The purpose of this report is to ensure that suitable arrangements are made for all electors to vote without impediment.

#### **7.0 Staffing/Accommodation Implications**

7.1 None arising from this report.

## **Background Papers**

- Report from the Democratic Services Manager to the General Purposes Committee – November 2009
- Report from the Democratic Services Manager to the General Purposes Committee - February 2010
- Representation of the People Act 1983

## **Contact Officers**

Any person wishing to inspect the above mentioned papers should contact Anne Reid, Democratic Services, Brent Town Hall, Forty Lane, Wembley HA9 9HD (tel 020 8937 1359, e-mail: [anne.reid@brent.gov.uk](mailto:anne.reid@brent.gov.uk)).

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**Democratic Services Manager**

**Appendix 1**

<b>Polling District</b>	<b>Polling Place</b>
<b>CDO1</b>	<b>Dollis Hill Ward</b> Braintcroft School, Warren Road, NW2 7LL
<b>CDO2</b>	Crest Girls Academy, Crest Road, NW2 7SN
<b>CDO3</b>	Our Lady of Grace RC Junior School, Dollis Hill Lane, NW2 6HS
<b>CDO4</b>	Our Lady of Grace R C School (Infants and Nursery), Dollis Hill Avenue, NW2 6EU
<b>CDU1</b>	<b>Dudden Hill Ward</b> Neasden Library, 277 Neasden Lane, NW10 1QJ
<b>CDU2</b>	Hut at St Catherine's Church Dudden Hill Lane, NW10
<b>CDU3</b>	Northview School, Northview Crescent, NW10 1RD
<b>CDU4</b>	Gladstone Park School, Sherrick Green Road, NW10 1LB
<b>CDU5</b>	Hut in Car Park, St Mary's Willesden Parish Church Centre, Neasden Lane, NW10
<b>CDU6</b>	Hut opposite Cassandra Court, 36 Station Parade, NW2 4NX
	<b>Harlesden Ward</b>
<b>CHA1</b>	Church End and Roundwood Unity Centre, 103 Church Road, NW10 9EG
<b>CHA2</b>	Leopold Primary School, Hawkshead Road, NW10 9UR
<b>CHA3</b>	St Joseph's RC Primary School, Goodson Road, NW10 9LS
<b>CHA4</b>	St Matthews Hall, St Mary's Road NW10 4AU
<b>CHA5</b>	Harlesden Primary School, 101/119 Acton Lane, NW10 8UT
	<b>Kensal Green Ward</b>
<b>CKG1</b>	John Keble CE Primary School, Crownhill Road entrance, NW10 4DR
<b>CKG2</b>	Cardinal Hinsley High School, Harlesden Road, NW10 3RN
<b>CKG3</b>	All Souls' Church Hall, Station Road, NW10 4UJ
<b>CKG4</b>	Furness Primary School, Furness Road, NW10 5YT
<b>CKG5</b>	St Mark's Church Hall, All Souls Avenue, NW10 5HX
<b>CKG6</b>	Harlesden Assembly, 29-31 Purves Road, NW10 5TG
	<b>Mapesbury Ward</b>
<b>CMA1</b>	Mora Primary School, Mora Road, NW2 6TD
<b>CMA2</b>	Anson Primary School, Anson Road, NW2 4AB
<b>CMA3</b>	St Gabriels Hall, Chichele Road (near Anson Road, NW2)
<b>CMA4</b>	St Gabriels Hall, Chichele Road (near Anson Road, NW2)
<b>CMA5</b>	Community Centre, Watling Gardens, Shoot-Up-Hill, NW2 3UB
	<b>Stonebridge Ward</b>
<b>CST1</b>	The Children's Centre, Rainborough Close, NW10 0TS
<b>CST2</b>	Mitchell Brook School, Bridge Road, NW10 9BX
<b>CST3</b>	Centre for Staff Development, Gwenneth Rickus Building, Brentfield Road, NW10 8HE
<b>CST4</b>	Brentfield Primary School, 41-43 Meadow Garth, NW10 0SL
<b>CST5</b>	Bridge Park Community Leisure Centre, Brentfield, NW10 0RG
<b>CST6</b>	Stonebridge Primary School, (Shakespeare Avenue Entrance) NW10 8NG

	<b>Tokyngton Ward</b>
<b>CTO1</b>	Hut outside Manager's Office, Danes and Empire Courts, North End Road, Wembley HA9
<b>CTO2</b>	St Joseph's Social Club, Empire Way, Wembley HA9 0RJ
<b>CTO3</b>	Oakington Manor Primary School, Oakington Manor Drive, Wembley HA9 6NP
<b>CTO4</b>	St Michael's Church Hall, Babington Rise, Wembley HA9 6SN
<b>CTO5</b>	Elsley Primary School, Tokyngton Avenue, Wembley HA9 6HT
	<b>Welsh Harp Ward</b>
<b>CWH1</b>	Hut between 21 and 23 Mallard Way at junction with Alington Crescent, NW9 8JP
<b>CWH2</b>	Fryent Primary School, Church Lane NW9 8JD
<b>CWH3</b>	St Andrew's New Church Hall, Old Church Lane, NW9 8TG
<b>CWH4</b>	Wykeham Primary School, Aboyne Road, NW10 0EX
<b>CWH5</b>	St Margaret Clitherow RC JM and I School, Quainton Street, NW10 0BG
<b>CWH6</b>	Hut on Crispian Close Car park, off Neasden Lane, NW10
<b>CWH7</b>	Woodfield School, Room 9, Glenwood Avenue, NW9 7LY
	<b>Willesden Green Ward</b>
<b>CWG1</b>	Learie Constantine Centre, 43-47 Dudden Hill Lane, NW10 2ET
<b>CWG2</b>	St Mary Magdalen's RC JM School, Linacre Road, NW2 5BB
<b>CWG3</b>	Kings Hall, 155 Harlesden Road NW10 2BS
	<b>Alperton Ward</b>
<b>NAL1</b>	Lyon Park Infants School, Vincent Road, Wembley HA0 4HH
<b>NAL2</b>	Alperton Baptist Church Hall, Between 155-157 Ealing Road, Wembley HA0 4BY
<b>NAL3</b>	Alperton Community School (Annexe), Ealing Road, Wembley HA0 4PW
<b>NAL4</b>	Abbey Estate Community Centre, Queensbury Road, Alperton HA0 1NL
	<b>Barnhill Ward</b>
<b>NBA1</b>	Preston and Mall Youth and Community Centre, The Mall, Kenton (near Arnold Close) HA3 9TX
<b>NBA2</b>	Harrow and Wembley Progressive, Synagogue Hall, 326 Preston Road, Wembley
<b>NBA3</b>	The Parish Hall, Church of The Ascension, The Avenue, Wembley HA9 9QL
<b>NBA4</b>	Brent Town Hall, Forty Lane, Wembley HA9 9HD
<b>NBA5</b>	Chalkhill Primary School, Barnhill Road, Wembley HA9 9YP
<b>NBA6</b>	English Martyrs Church Hall, Chalkhill Road, Wembley HA9 9EW
<b>Polling District</b>	<b>Polling Place</b>
	<b>Fryent Ward</b>
<b>NFR1</b>	Father O'Callaghan Centre, Hay Lane, NW9 0NG
<b>NFR2</b>	Holy Innocents Church Hall, Bacon Lane, NW9 0AY
<b>NFR3</b>	Hut outside Pizza Hut, 497 Kingsbury Road, NW9 9ED
<b>NFR4</b>	St Robert Southwell School, Slough Lane, NW9 8YD
<b>NFR5</b>	Hut outside 205-209 Edgware Road NW9 6LP
<b>NFR6</b>	Fryent Primary School, Church Lane, NW9 8JD
<b>NFR7</b>	Oliver Goldsmith Primary School, Coniston Gardens, NW9 0BD
	<b>Kenton Ward</b>

<b>NKE1</b>	Lindsay Park Baptist Church Hall, The Mall, Kenton HA3 9TG
<b>NKE2</b>	Claremont High School, The Greenway, Kenton HA3 0UH
<b>NKE3</b>	Uxendon Manor Primary School, (Dining Hall), Vista Way, Kenton HA3 0UX
<b>NKE4</b>	St John's United Reformed Church Hall, Woodcock Hill, Kenton
<b>NKE5</b>	Mount Stewart Junior School, Mount Stewart Avenue, Kenton HA3 0JX
	<b>Northwick Park Ward</b>
<b>NNP1</b>	Hut opposite 86 Northwick Avenue, Kenton HA3 0AT
<b>NNP2</b>	St Cuthbert's Church Hall, Junction of Carlton Avenue West and Watford Road HA0 3QY
<b>NNP3</b>	Byron Court Primary School, Spencer Road, Wembley HA0 3SP
<b>NNP4</b>	<b>Sudbury Court Pavilion, East Lane, Wembley HA0 3HG</b>
<b>NNP5</b>	St George's Church Hall, St Andrew's Avenue, Wembley HA0 2QD
	<b>Preston Ward</b>
<b>NPR1</b>	Preston Park Primary School, College Road, Wembley HA9 8RJ
<b>NPR2</b>	Huts on Pellatt Road, off Preston Road, Wembley HA9
<b>NPR3</b>	Preston Manor High School, Carlton Avenue East, Wembley HA9 8NA
<b>NPR4</b>	Wembley Manor Junior School, East Lane, Wembley HA9 7NW
	<b>Queensbury Ward</b>
<b>NQY1</b>	Queensbury Methodist Church Building, Beverley Drive, Edgware HA8 5ND
<b>NQY2</b>	Hut adjacent to Mecca Club, Burnt Oak Broadway, Edgware HA8 5LD
<b>NQY3</b>	White Cross Hall, St. John Ambulance Building, corner of Winchester and Princes Avenues, NW9
<b>NQY4</b>	Hut Outside Kingsbury Library Plus, 522-524 Kingsbury Road, NW9 9HE
<b>NQY5</b>	Roe Green Primary School, Princes Avenue, NW9 9LJ
<b>NQY6</b>	Grove Park School, Grove Park NW9 0JY
	<b>Sudbury Ward</b>
<b>NSU1</b>	Sudbury Methodist Church Hall, Harrow Road, Wembley HA0 2LP
<b>NSU2</b>	LNER Sports and Social Club, Maybank Avenue, Wembley HA0 2TE
<b>NSU3</b>	Sudbury Baptist Church Hall, Station Approach Entrance, Wembley HA0 2LD
<b>NSU4</b>	Sudbury Primary School, Watford Road HA0 3EY
<b>NSU5</b>	Huts outside St John's Evangelist Church Hall, Crawford Avenue, Wembley HA0 2AF
	<b>Wembley Central Ward</b>
<b>NWC1</b>	Copland Community School, Cecil Avenue, Wembley HA9 7DU
<b>NWC2</b>	Huts at Ealing Road Library, Coronet Parade, Ealing Road, Wembley HA0 4BR
<b>NWC3</b>	Barham Primary School, Danethorpe Road, Wembley HA0 4RQ
<b>NWC4</b>	Methodist Church Hall, Ealing Road, Wembley HA0 4BN
<b>NWC5</b>	Copland Community School, Cecil Avenue, Wembley HA9 7DU
	<b>Brondesbury Park Ward</b>
<b>HBP1</b>	Willesden Green Library, 95 High Road NW10 2SF
<b>HBP2</b>	Stember Hall Scouts Hut, Leighton Gardens, NW10 3PR



<b>HBP3</b>	Queens Park Community School, Aylestone Avenue entrance NW6 7BQ
<b>HBP4</b>	North West London Jewish School, 180 Willesden Lane, NW6 7PP
<b>HBP5</b>	Community Centre, Landau House, Christchurch Avenue entrance NW2 4BQ
	<b>Kilburn Ward</b>
<b>HKi1</b>	Christchurch (Brondesbury) C of E School, Willesden Lane, NW6 7TE
<b>HKi2</b>	<b>Kilburn Square Housing Co-Operative, Kilburn Square Tower, NW6</b>
<b>HKi3</b>	Kilburn Square Housing Co-Operative, Kilburn Square Tower, NW6
<b>HKi4</b>	The OK Club, Neville Close NW6 5BT
<b>HKi5</b>	Marian Community Centre, (entrance off Cambridge Road), NW6 5RS
	<b>Queens Park Ward</b>
<b>HQP1</b>	Manor Special School, Okehampton Road, NW10 3NT
<b>HQP2</b>	Princess Frederica C of E Primary School, College Road, NW10 5TP
<b>HQP3</b>	Kensal Rise Primary School, Harvist Road, NW6 6HJ
<b>HQP4</b>	Salisbury Primary School, Salisbury Road, NW6 6RG
<b>HQP5</b>	Moberly Sports and Education Centre, Kilburn Lane, W10 4AH

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