

# Public Notice of Decision

## Community Governance Review 2015/16

### Issue 22

#### Weathercock House

**NOTICE** is hereby given that St Edmundsbury Borough Council ("the Council"), in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 ("the Act"), has undertaken a Community Governance Review of certain parishes in its area.

The Council has now decided to what extent it will give effect to the recommendations made in respect of issue 22 in the Community Governance Review 2015/16, which affected the parishes of:

- **Market Weston**
- **Thelnetham.**

#### The decision is that:

1. The parishes listed above should not be abolished;
2. Weathercock House, New Common Road, Market Weston (IP22 2PG) and the area shown on the attached map be transferred from Thelnetham to Market Weston Parish.
3. The names of the parishes listed above should not be altered;
4. The parishes should continue to have a parish council; and
5. No changes be made to the electoral arrangements that apply to the parish councils listed above.

#### Reasons for the decision

1. Local preference and/or evidence (*there was strong consensus for the change including from the affected electors*); and
2. it provides more appropriate parish boundaries to reflect the interests and identity of local electors and offers them more effective and convenient local government.



## **Next steps**

The changes referred to above will be brought into effect from 1 April 2017. The Council will make an Order in the autumn of 2016 to give effect to its decision.

The Order, together with a map showing the effects of the Order, will be made available for inspection at the following addresses as soon as practicable after making the Order:

- West Suffolk House, Western Way, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk, IP33 3YU; and
- On the Council's website:  
<http://www.westsuffolk.gov.uk/community/cgr.cfm>.

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