

Review of Polling Districts and Polling Places (Parliamentary Elections) Regulations 2006

Section 17 of the Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013 introduced a duty on local authorities to 'carry out and complete' reviews of polling districts and polling places before 31 January 2025.

In order to comply with this duty, the review in Blaenau Gwent county borough will take place between 28 October 2024 and 1 February 2025.

We would like to invite initial comments from electors regarding the convenience of voting at polling stations currently used for elections and would welcome suggestions for alternative sites.

The review will seek to establish how suitably placed the polling stations are within each electoral area, making specific reference to both disability and accessibility issues. We would welcome representations or comments on the authority's proposals from any person or body with expertise in access for persons with any type of disability.

As part of the review the Acting Returning Officer will make comments on the proposed polling stations.

Further information, including any comments by the Acting Returning Officer, about the review will be published on www.blaenau-gwent.gov.uk

Submissions can be made in writing to - Polling Review, Electoral Registration, Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council, The General Offices, Steelworks Road, Ebbw Vale NP23 6DN or by email to – electoralservices@blaenau-gwent.gov.uk

The deadline for submissions of representation is 5pm on 22 November 2024.

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