

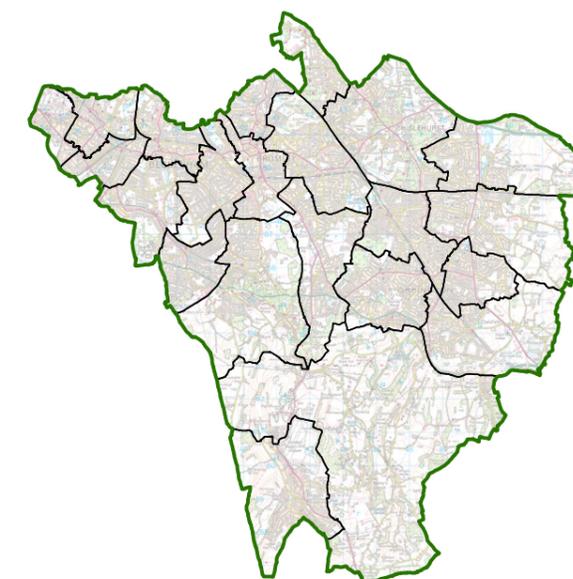
Our Recommendations

The table lists all the wards we are proposing as part of our final recommendations along with the number of voters in each ward. The table also shows the electoral variances for each of the proposed wards which tells you how we have delivered electoral equality. Finally, the table includes electorate projections for 2025 so you can see the impact of the recommendations for the future.

Bromley Council

Final Recommendations on the new electoral arrangements

Ward Name	Number of councillors	Electorate (2019)	Number of electors per councillor	Variance from average (%)	Electorate (2025)	Number of electors per councillor	Variance from average (%)
Beckenham Town & Copers Cope	3	11,779	3,926	-6%	12,064	4,021	-6%
Bickley & Sundridge	3	13,276	4,425	6%	13,791	4,597	7%
Biggin Hill	2	8,535	4,268	2%	8,721	4,361	1%
Bromley Common & Holwood	3	13,799	4,600	10%	13,691	4,564	6%
Bromley Town	3	10,776	3,592	-14%	13,819	4,606	7%
Chelsfield	2	8,667	4,334	4%	8,993	4,497	5%
Chislehurst	3	11,566	3,855	-8%	11,822	3,941	-8%
Clock House	3	12,489	4,163	0%	12,553	4,184	-3%
Crystal Palace & Anerley	2	7,954	3,977	-5%	8,381	4,191	-2%
Darwin	1	4,165	4,165	0%	4,259	4,259	-1%
Farnborough & Crofton	3	13,533	4,511	8%	13,791	4,597	7%
Hayes & Coney Hall	3	12,176	4,059	-3%	12,226	4,075	-5%
Kelsey & Eden Park	3	11,824	3,941	-6%	11,974	3,991	-7%
Mottingham	2	7,906	3,953	-5%	7,878	3,939	-8%
Orpington	2	9,218	4,609	10%	9,485	4,743	10%
Penge & Cator	3	13,301	4,434	6%	13,307	4,436	3%
Petts Wood & Knoll	3	13,022	4,341	4%	13,271	4,424	3%
Plaistow	2	9,436	4,718	13%	9,135	4,568	6%
Shortlands & Park Langley	3	12,527	4,176	0%	12,445	4,148	-3%
St Mary Cray	3	13,347	4,449	6%	13,208	4,403	2%
St Paul's Cray	3	11,568	3,856	-8%	12,328	4,109	-4%
West Wickham	3	11,751	3,917	-6%	12,047	4,016	-7%
Totals	58	242,615	-	-	249,189	-	-
Averages	-	-	4,183	-	-	4,296	-



Who we are

- The Local Government Boundary Commission for England is an independent body set up by Parliament.
- We are not part of government or any political party.
- We are accountable to Parliament through a committee of MPs chaired by the Speaker of the House of Commons.
- Our main role is to carry out electoral reviews of local authorities throughout England.

Electoral review

An electoral review examines and proposes new electoral arrangements for a local authority, including:

- The total number of councillors representing the council's voters ('council size').
- The names, number and boundaries of wards or electoral divisions.
- The number of councillors for each ward or division.

Why Bromley?

- The Commission has a legal duty to carry out an electoral review of each council in England 'from time to time'.
- Bromley Council has not been reviewed since 1999 and the Commission has therefore decided that it should review Bromley in advance of the elections in 2022.

Our proposals

- Bromley Council currently has 60 councillors. Based on the evidence we received, we recommend that 58 councillors should serve the council in the future.
- We believe our final recommendations meet our statutory criteria to:
 1. Deliver electoral equality for voters
 2. Reflect community interests and identities
 3. Promote effective and convenient local government

Summary of our recommendations

We have considered all the submissions we received during our consultations on the draft recommendations and further limited draft recommendations.

The final recommendations propose that Bromley Council should have 58 councillors, two fewer than there are now. Bromley Council should have 22 wards, the same number as there are now. The boundaries of all existing wards should change.

The 58 councillors should represent 15 three-councillor wards, six two-councillor wards and one single-councillor ward across the borough.

An outline of the proposals is shown in the map to the right. A detailed report on the recommendations and interactive mapping is available on our website at: www.lgbce.org.uk.

Find out more at consultation.lgbce.org.uk:

- view the map of our recommendations down to street level.
- zoom into the areas that interest you most.
- read the full report of our recommendations.
- find more guidance on the review process

Stage of Review	Description
25 June 2019- 02 September 2019	Public consultation on warding arrangements
29 October 2019 - 17 February 2020	Public consultation on draft recommendations
16 June 2020 - 27 July 2020	Public consultation on further draft recommendations
03 November 2020	Publication of final recommendations
May 2022	Subject to parliamentary approval - implementation of new arrangements at local elections

Overview of final recommendations for Bromley Council

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