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Head Officer	George	Hawthorn	Services	-				
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Members	Alan Douglas							
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	function or financial decision)							
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Disability	All persons, including the disabled, should be able to vote in person at a polling place if they so choose. All polling places should be accessible to wheelchair users i.e. be level or have ramps fitted.	No adverse comments received from any disabled group including WD Access Panel. Most polling districts have their own polling places located within its boundary thus reducing distance to travel. Voters can opt to vote by post or proxy.	No impact. Proposed scheme will not change any polling districts and no new polling place will be introduced unless existing place is not available.
Social & Economic Impact	All persons, including those on low incomes, should be able to vote in person at a polling place if they so choose.	No adverse comments received. Most polling districts have their own polling places located within its boundary thus reducing distance to travel. Voters can opt to vote by post at no cost if they cannot afford to travel to their nearest polling place, most of which are within walking distance.	No impact
Sex	n/a		No impact
Gender Reassign	n/a		No impact
Health	All persons, including those in poor health, should be able to vote in person at a polling place if they so choose. All polling places should be accessible to wheelchair users i.e. be level or have ramps fitted. Voters can opt to vote by post or by proxy if	No adverse comments received form any group or individual concerning health being a barrier to vote in person.	No impact

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Human Rights	All persons who meet the criteria have the right to vote.	There are no barriers to voting other than those contained in statute i.e the election franchise.	No impact
Marriage & Civil	,		
Partnership	n/a		No impact
Pregnancy &	,		
Maternity	n/a		No impact
Race	All persons of any race should be able to vote in person at a polling place if they so choose. All polling places will have translations of key voting instructions available to assist those who cannot read English.	No adverse comments received from any ethnic minority group on council list of equality groups.	No Impact
Religion and Belief	All polling places will have either a private room or a privacy screen to allow a person to remove their face covering to be identified at UK elections. Voters can choose to vote by post or proxy if they do not wish to remove their face covering.	No adverse comments received from any ethnic minority group on council list of equality groups.	No impact
Sexual Orientation	n/a		No impact
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existing places are not available for use. All new polling places will be subject to inspection by the election office and only recommended for use if accessible and fit for purpose.