

Electoral Boundary Review

Cllrs Gavin Grant, Paul Smith of Malmesbury Town Council (MTC) & Roger Budgen, Chair of St Paul Malmesbury Without Parish Council (SPMWPC) met on Tuesday 12th July 2022.

Taking the ERC guidance on immutable local features – roads rivers footpaths – the former proposal to incorporate some of Swindon Road was deemed to be untidy and unrealistic. Malmesbury Town Council therefore proposed that Burton Hill to the West of the A429 should be moved into the Town Parish and all land to the East would remain in SPMWPC– Malmesbury Primary Care Centre, Storey Mews and Swindon Road.

It was resolved at the meeting of MTC on the 19th July to approve the above proposal although it has yet to be presented to and considered by Cllr Martin Smith (WC Sherston) and SPMWPC who will consider the matter on Wednesday 27th July at their next council meeting. It was also resolved by MTC that the Burton Hill Ward, as it would become, requires one further Councillor.

Cllr Roger Budgen also stated at the meeting that SPMWPC would come to an agreement with MTC to take on the community governance of the employment land at the Garden Centre/Aldi site.

Claire Mann, Town Clerk
Malmesbury Town Council