

**Local Government Boundary Commission for England's
(LGBCE) Review of Cheshire East Council's Electoral
Arrangements**

**Electoral Review Draft Recommendations
Consultation Response Report**

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Electoral & Polling District Review Sub-Committee

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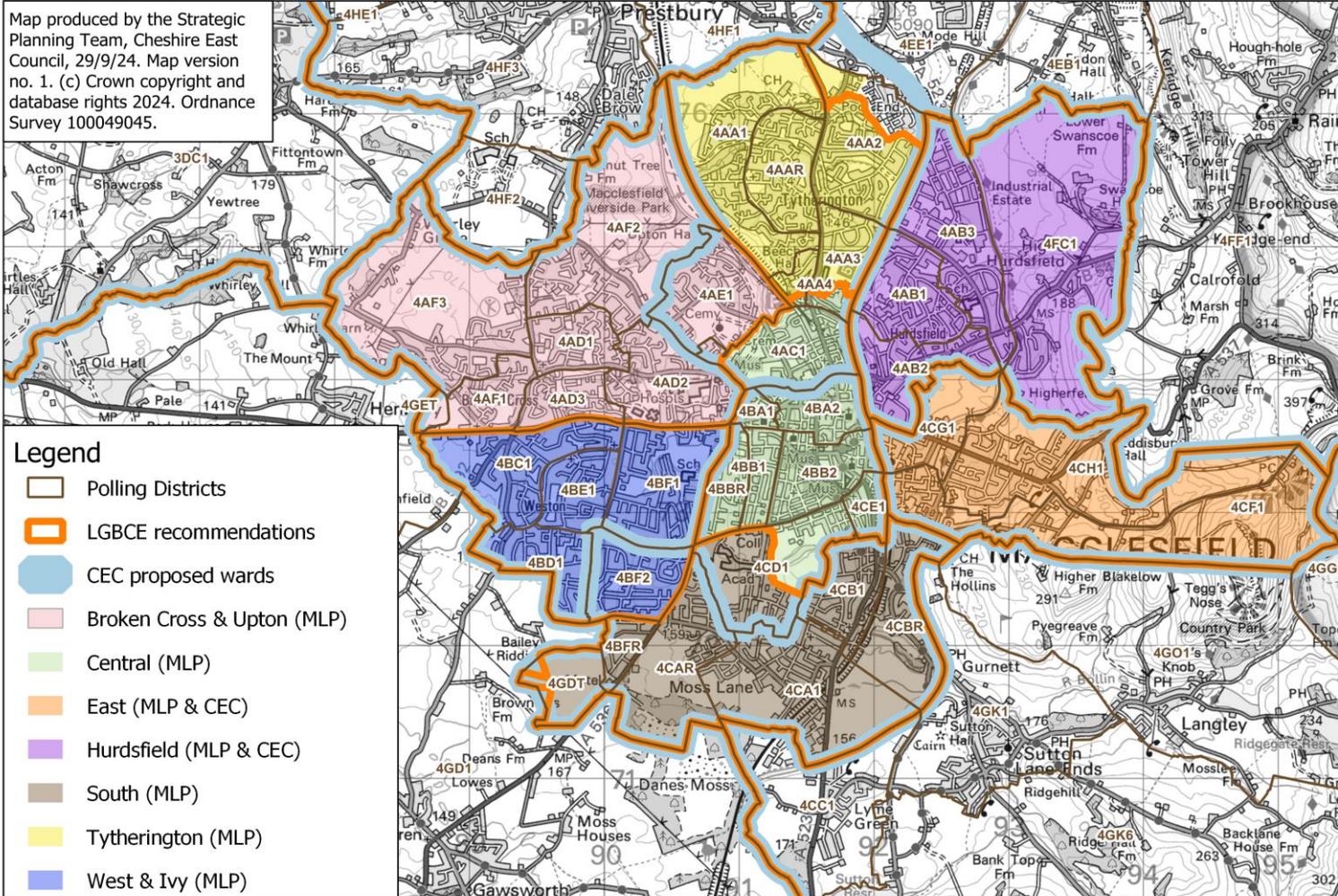
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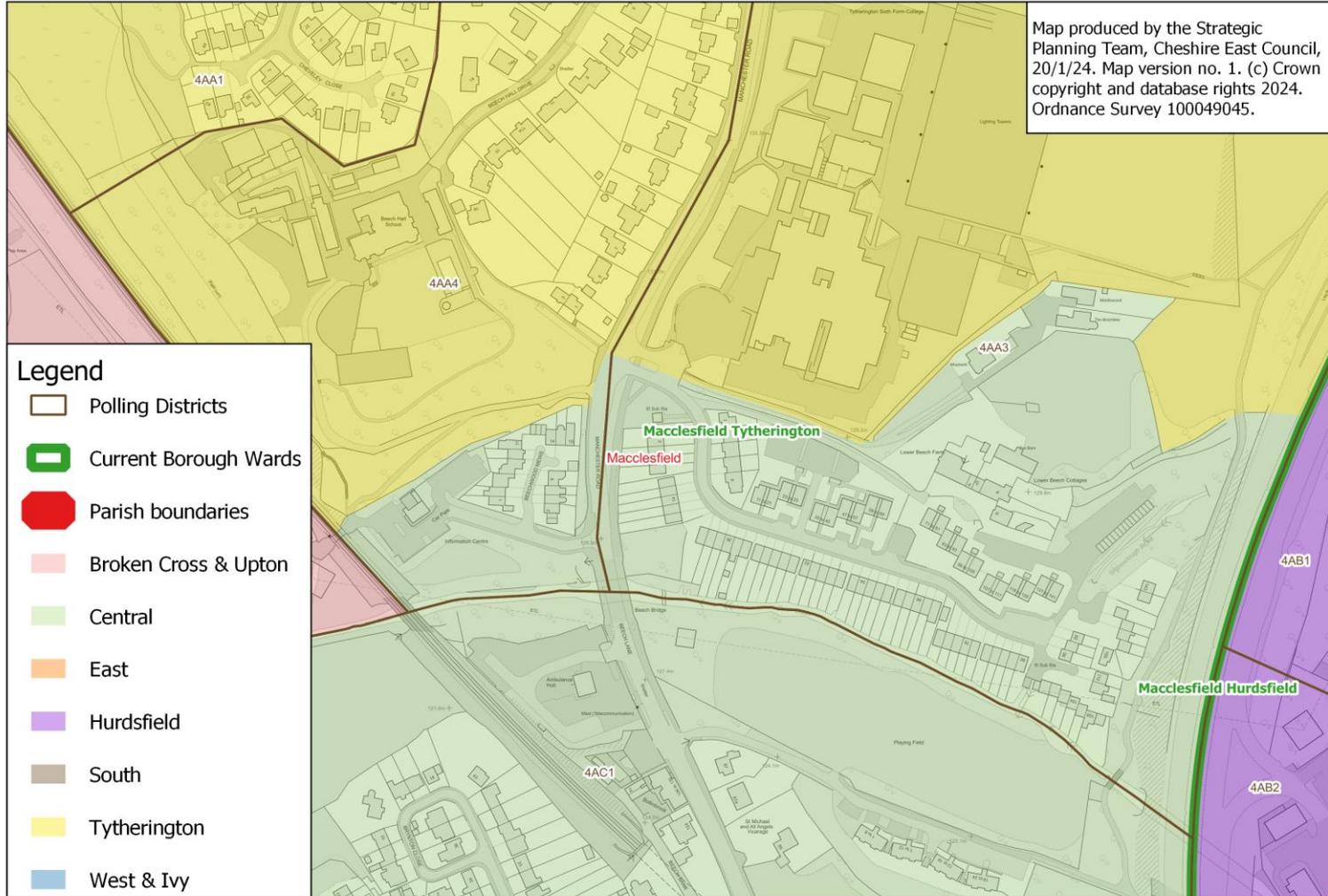
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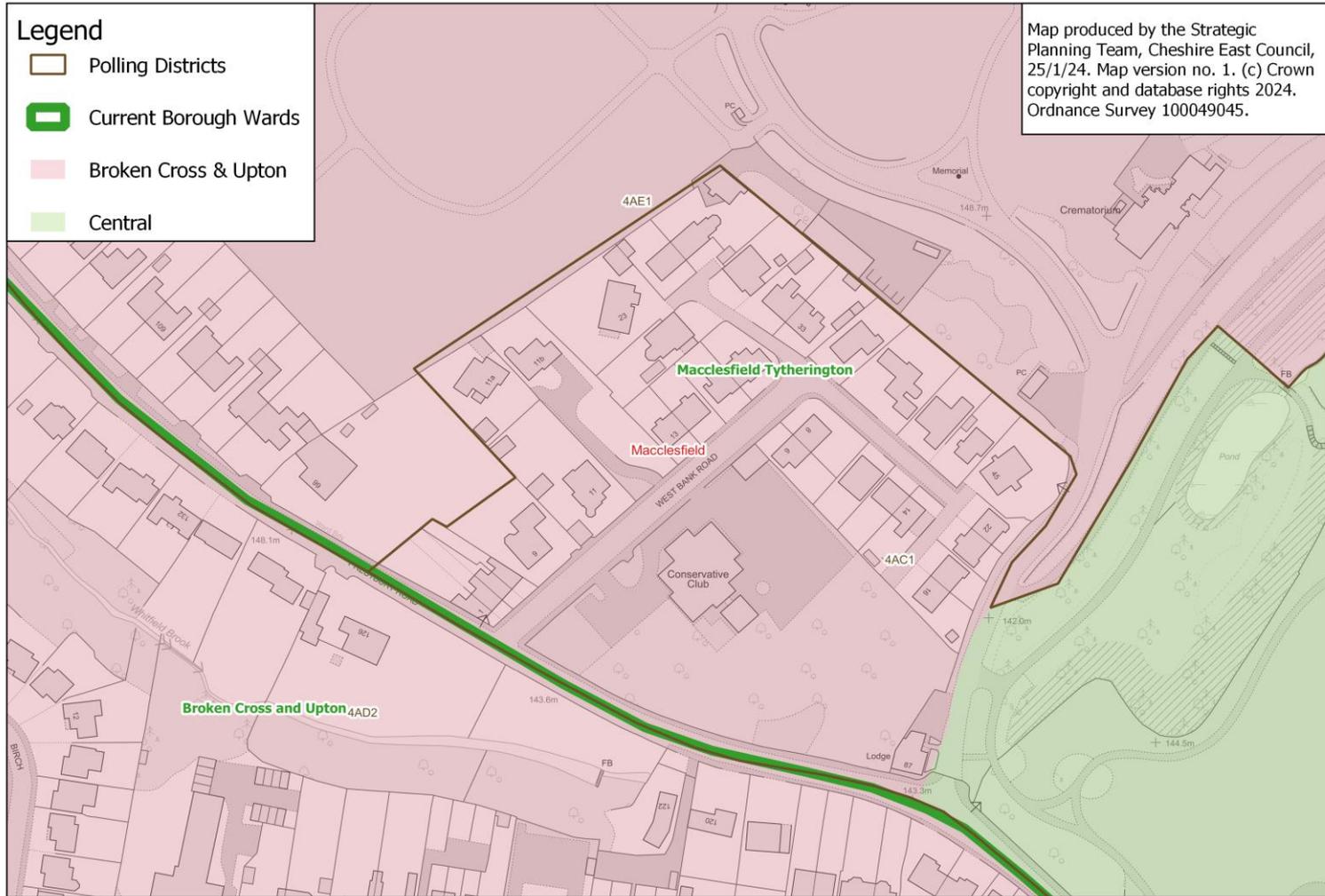
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Map 4: Macclesfield – Division of 4AC1

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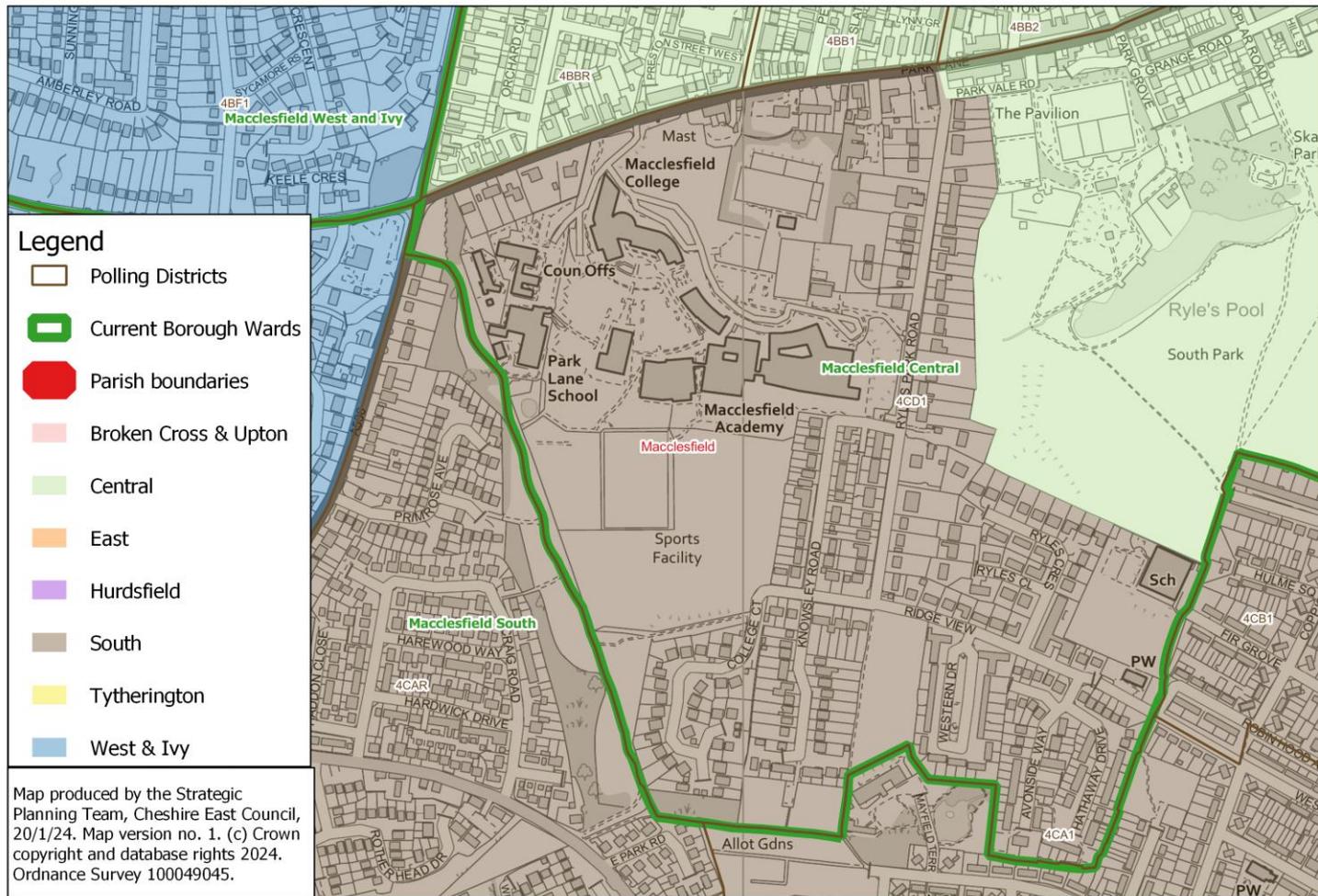
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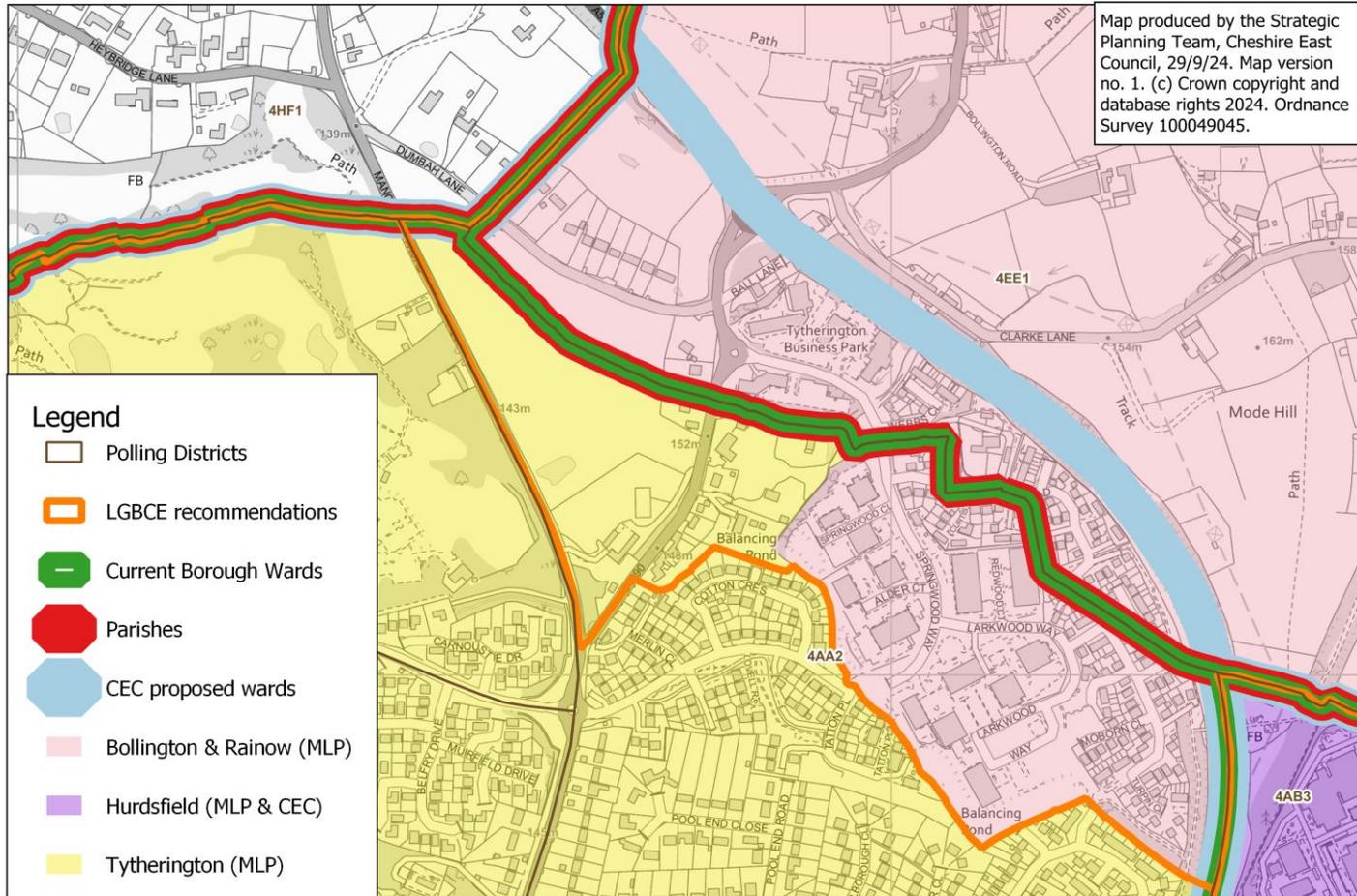
Macclesfield warding proposal (20/1/24 version): close-up of division of 4CD1 (in Ryles Park Road area)



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This map shows the boundary between the Macclesfield Tytherington and Bollington & Rainow Borough wards under the Commission’s recommendations (orange line), the Macclesfield Labour Party’s (MLP) proposals (the pink and yellow shading) and Cheshire East Council’s (CEC) warding consultation stage proposals (pale blue line).

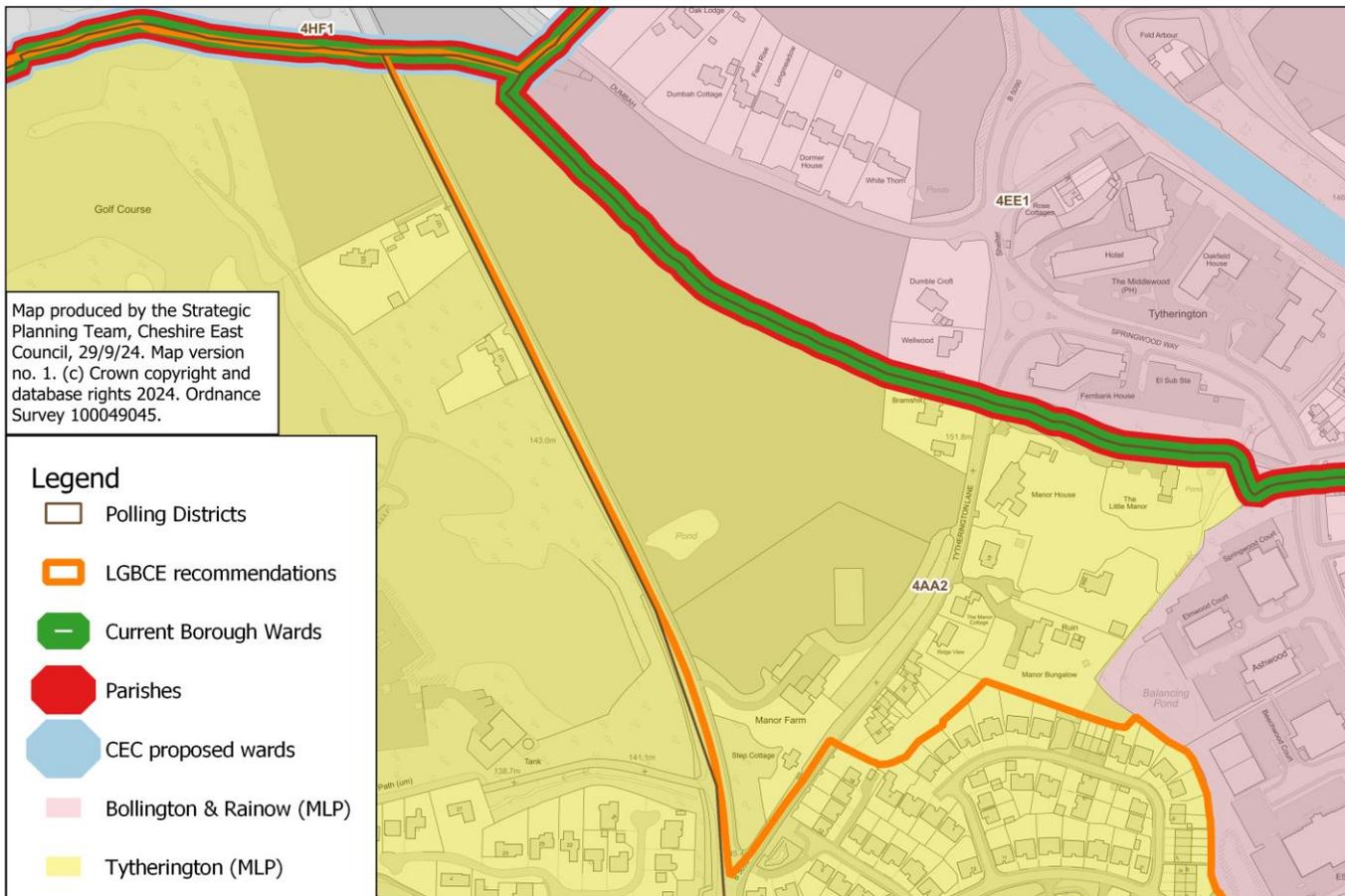
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This map – a close-up of the Tytherington Lane area - shows the how the boundary between the Macclesfield Tytherington and Bollington & Rainow Borough wards under the Commission's recommendations (orange line) differs from that under the Macclesfield Labour Party's (MLP) proposals (the pink and yellow shading). The boundary under Cheshire East Council's (CEC) warding consultation stage proposals (the pale blue line) is also partly in view.

Ward boundary in Springwood Way (Tytherington/ Bollington) area under the Commission's (LGBCE) draft recommendations, Cheshire East Council (CEC) submission and Macclesfield Labour Party (MLP) submission: close-up of area (yellow part of 4AA2) that only the LGBCE proposes to ward with Bollington & Rainow

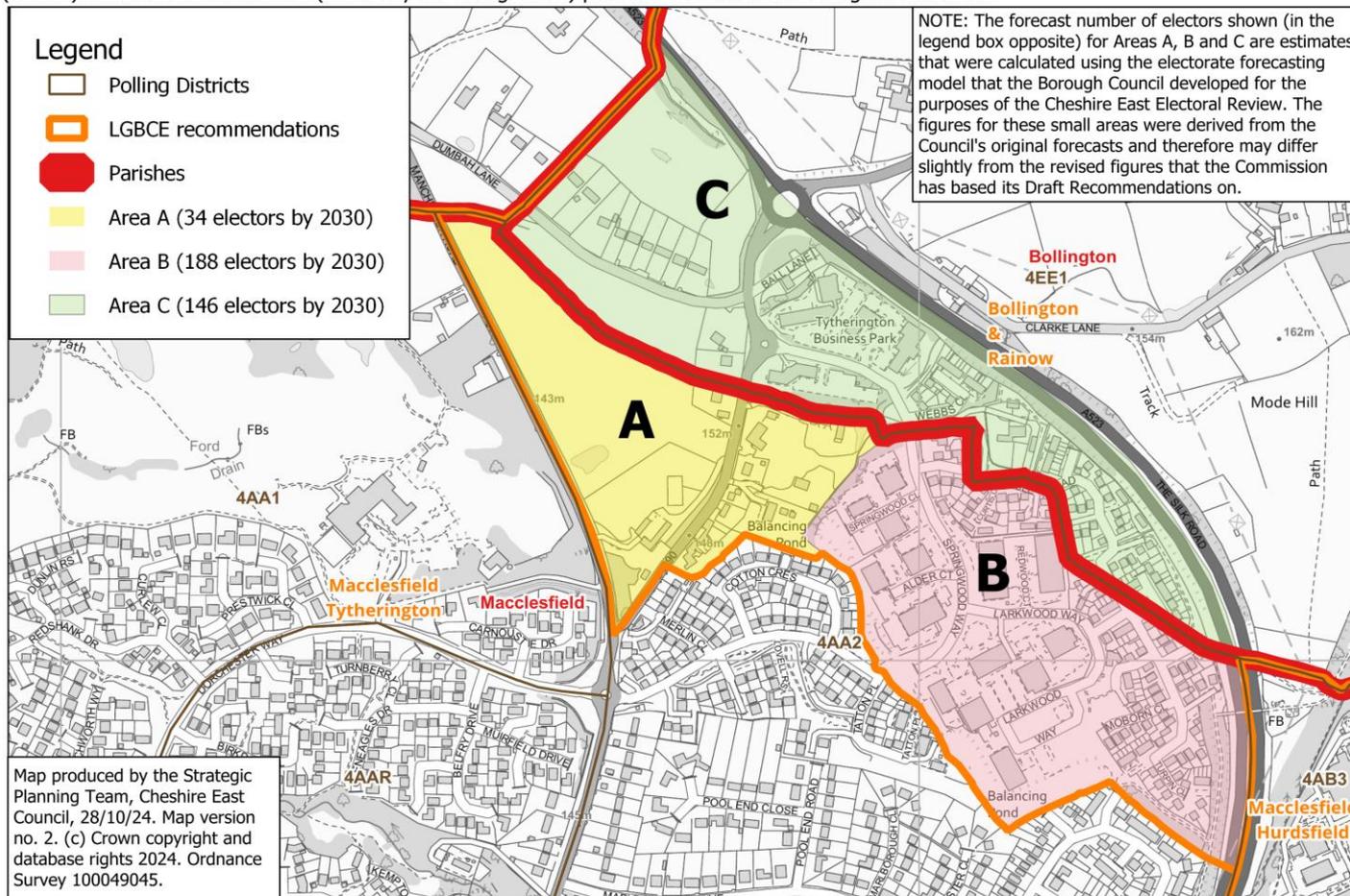


Map 8: Macclesfield – Tytherington/ Bollington, with key areas labelled

This map identifies and labels (as Areas A, B and C) the three areas around the Silk Road/ Springwood Way that would be warded differently under the Commission’s (LGBCE) recommendations, the Macclesfield Labour Party’s proposals and the Council’s warding consultation stage proposals. 2030 elector forecasts for each area are included in the map legend.

Proposals for Borough ward boundary between Bollington & Rainow and Macclesfield Tytherington

Under the Council's original submission, Areas A (yellow), B (pink) and C (green) would all be included in a two-Member Macclesfield Tytherington Borough ward. However, under the Macclesfield Labour Party proposal, B and C would be in the Bollington & Rainow ward, and the Commission’s (LGBCE) Draft Recommendations (shown by the orange lines) place all three areas in Bollington & Rainow.

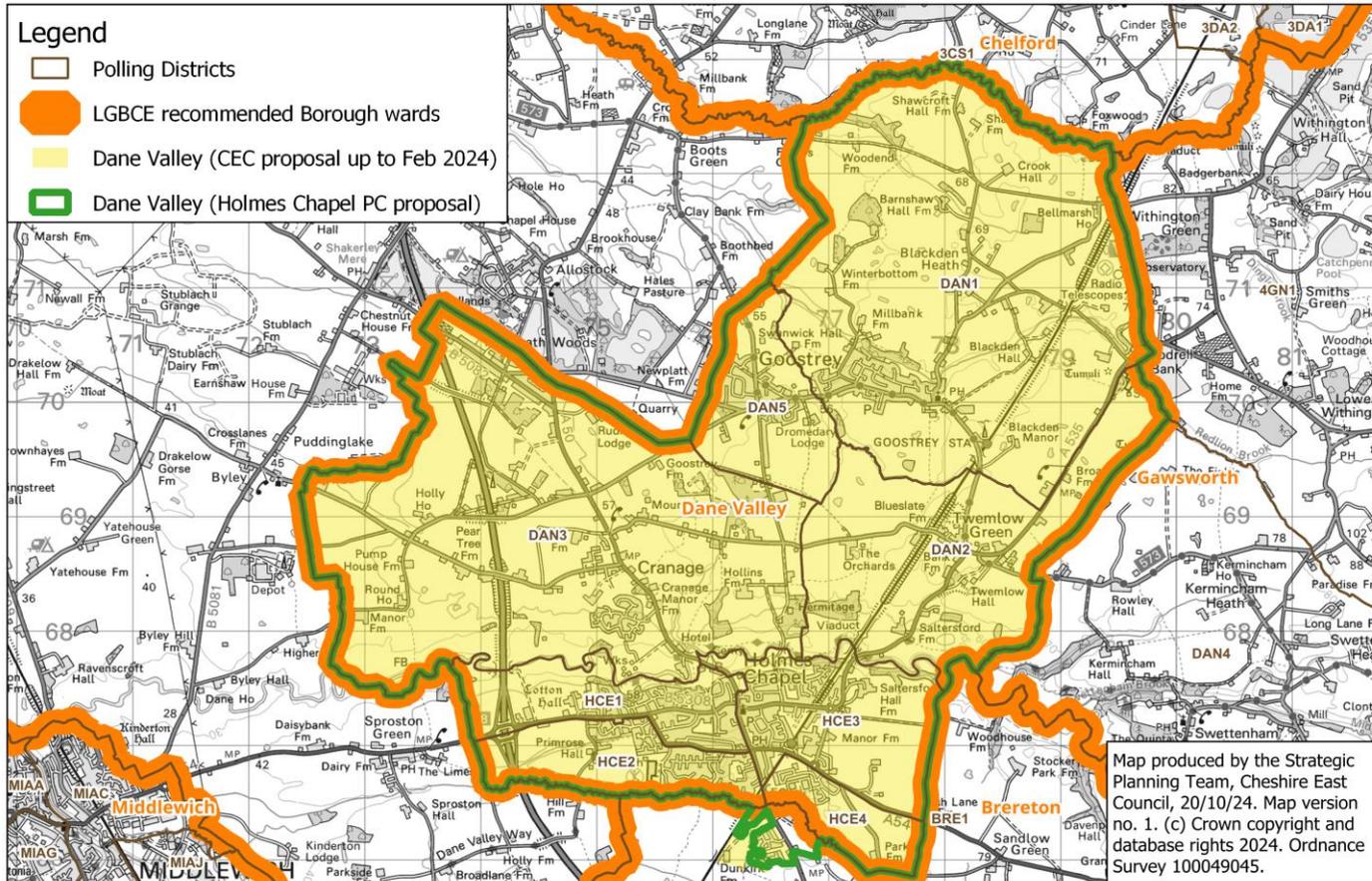


Map 10: Dane Valley – Alternative boundary proposals

Holmes Chapel Parish Council's proposal (the green line) and the Borough Council's working proposal up to the February 2024 Full Council (the yellow shaded area) differ from the Draft Recommendations line (shown in orange), in that they extend the Borough ward boundary south, to take in residential and commercial development south of the River Croco.

Borough ward boundary options for Dane Valley (with knock-on impact on Brereton)

Dane Valley Borough ward boundary under Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) draft recommendations (orange lines), the Borough Council's original (pre-Feb 2024 Full Council) proposals (yellow shaded area) and Holmes Chapel Parish Council proposal (green line).

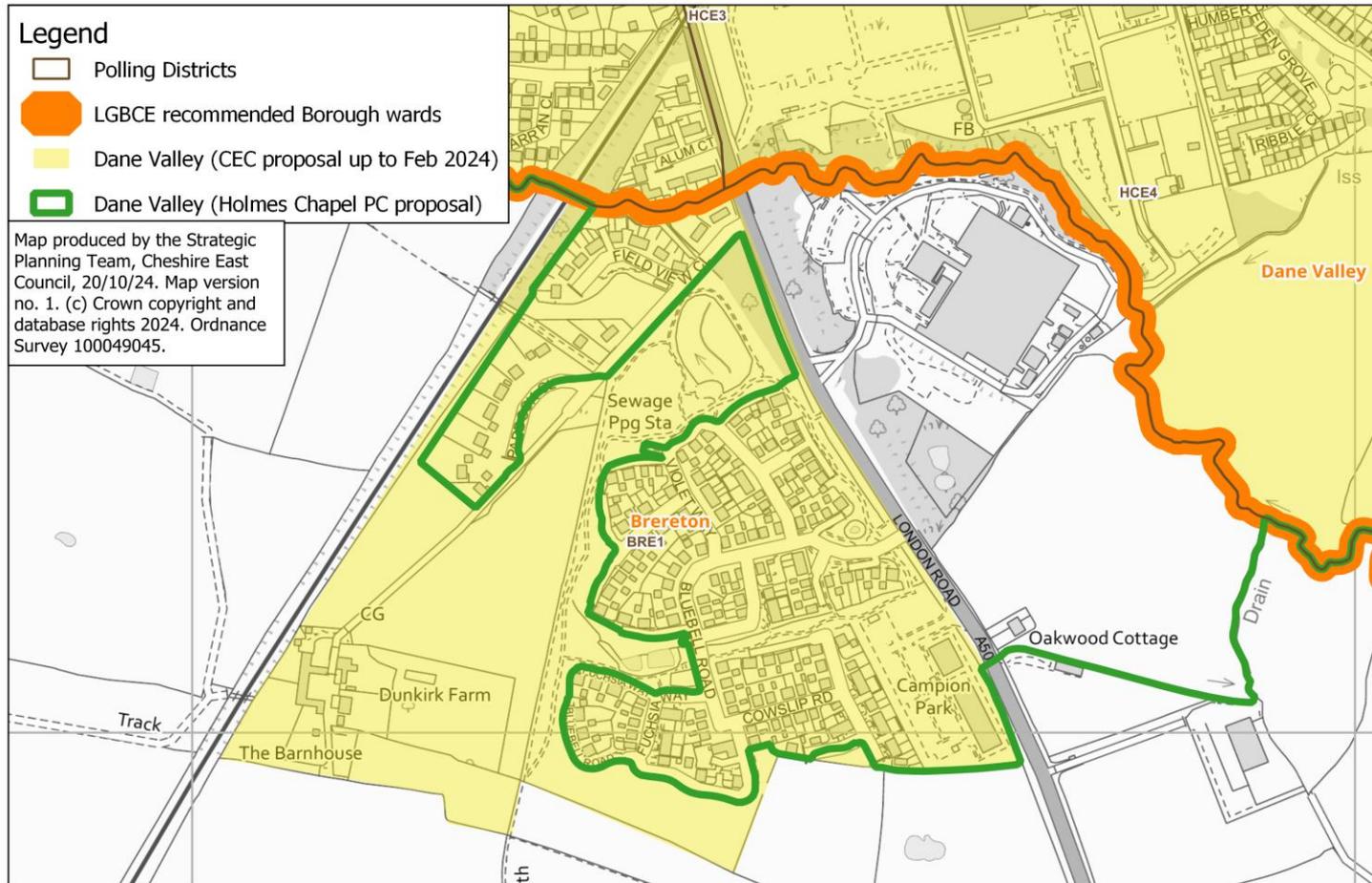


Map 11: Dane Valley – Alternative boundaries – Bluebell Green area

This map is a close-up of the Bluebell Green area, showing how it would be affected under Holmes Chapel Parish Council's proposal (the green line), the Council's working proposal up to the February 2024 Full Council (the yellow shaded area) and the Draft Recommendations (the orange line).

Borough ward boundary options for Dane Valley: close-up of Bluebell Green area

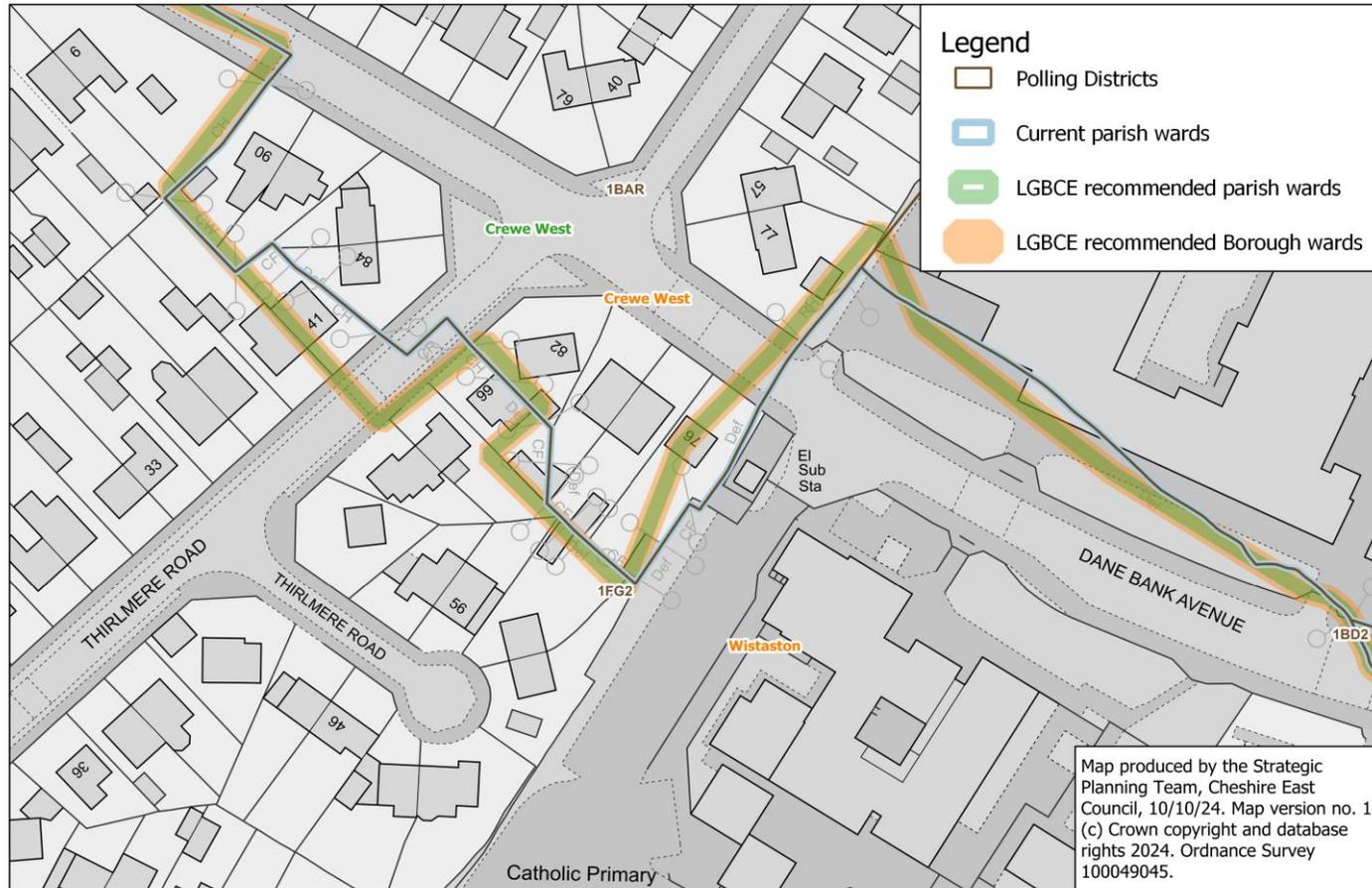
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Map 12: Boundary anomalies – Crewe/ Wistaston – Dane Bank Avenue/ Thirlmere Road

The Commission's Draft Recommendations report suggests its recommended Borough (and parish) ward boundary lines (the orange and green lines below) should align with the existing polling district and parish ward boundaries (brown and blue lines) in this location. However, they diverge, affecting 76 Dane Bank Avenue and 41 Thirlmere Road.

Divergence of LGBCE recommended Borough ward and parish ward boundaries from current electoral boundaries: impact on 41 Thirlmere Road and 76 Dane Bank Avenue



Map 13: Boundary anomalies – Crewe/ Wistaston – Moreton Road

The Commission's Draft Recommendations report suggests its recommended Borough (and parish) ward boundary lines (the orange and green lines below) should align with the existing polling district and parish ward boundaries (brown and blue lines) in this location. However, they diverge, affecting 111 Moreton Road.

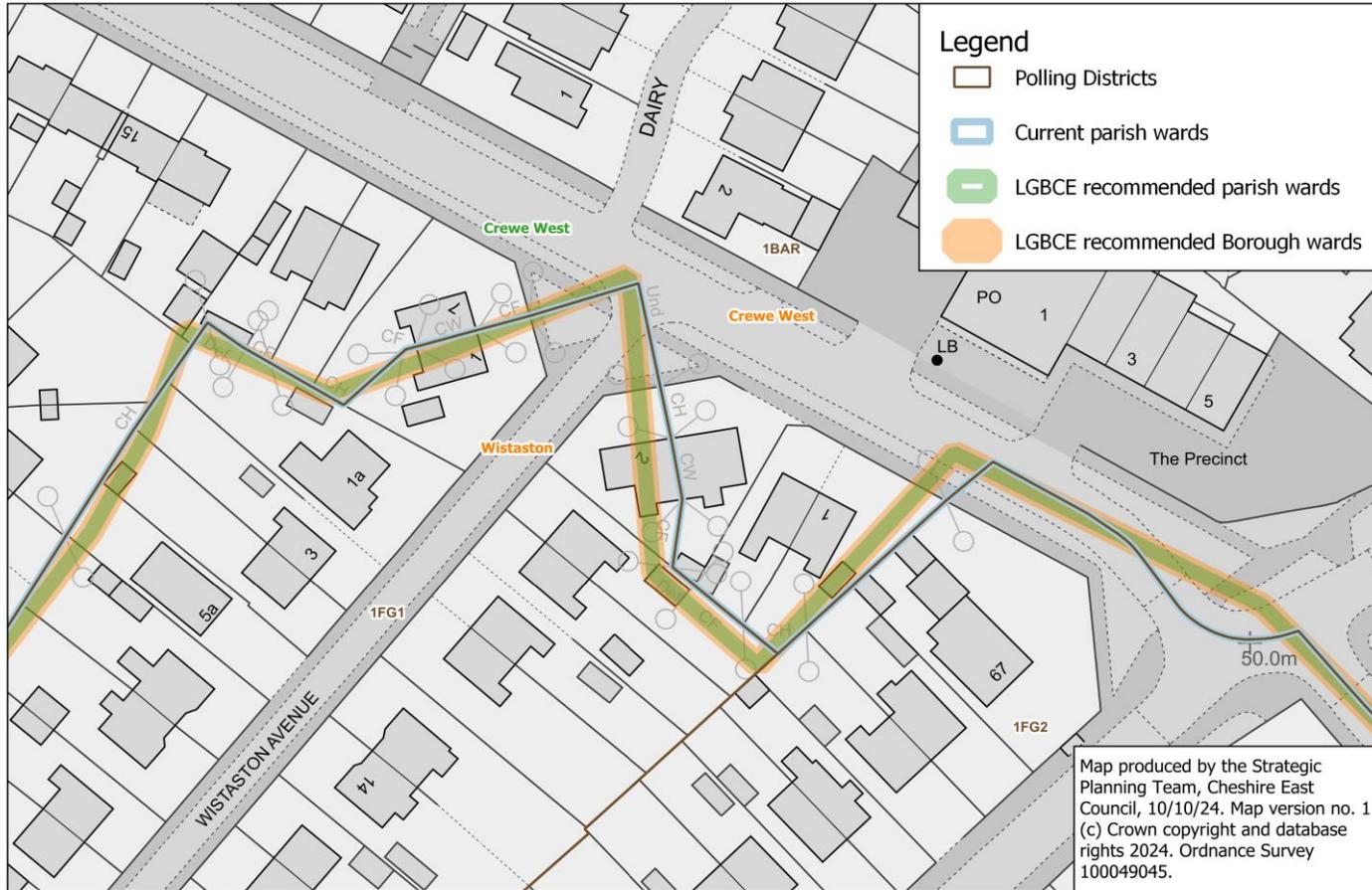
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Map 14: Boundary anomalies – Crewe/ Wistaston – Wistaston Avenue

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Divergence of LGBC recommended Borough ward and parish ward boundaries from current electoral boundaries: impact on nos 1 & 2 Wistaston Avenue



Map 15: Boundary anomalies – Crewe/ Wistaston – Wistaston Green Road

The Commission's Draft Recommendations report suggests its recommended Borough (and parish) ward boundary lines (the orange and green lines below) should align with the existing polling district and parish ward boundaries (brown and blue lines) in this location. However, they diverge, affecting 74 and 98 Wistaston Green Road.

Divergence of LGBCCE recommended Borough ward and parish ward boundaries from current electoral boundaries: impact on nos 74 & 98 Wistaston Green Road

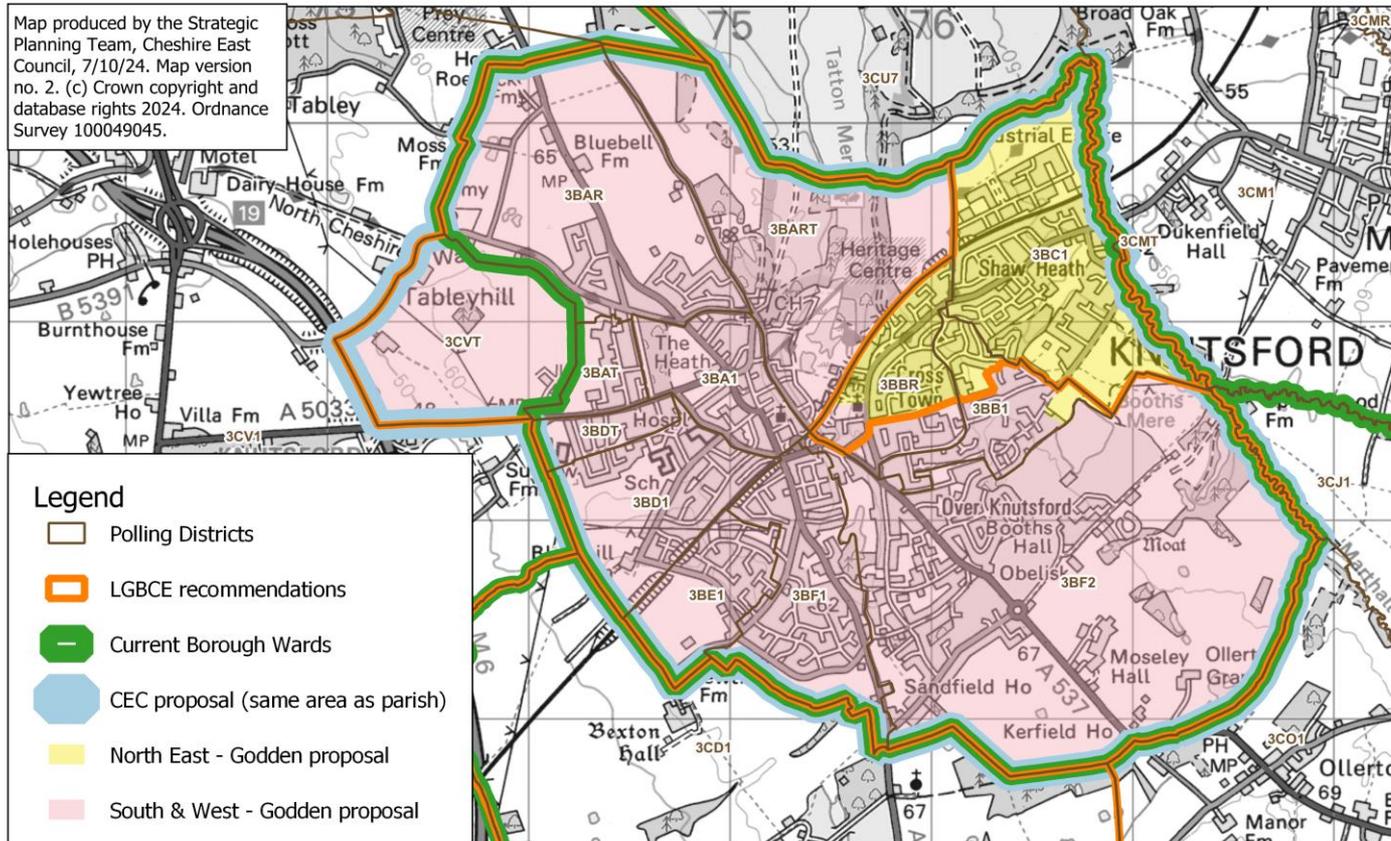


Map 16: Knutsford – Alternative proposals

The map below shows the Borough warding for Knutsford under the Commission's Draft Recommendations (the orange lines), the Tatton Labour Party proposals submitted by Joe Godden (the shaded yellow and pink areas) and Cheshire East Council's (CEC) warding consultation stage proposals (the pale blue line).

Warding for Knutsford under the Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) draft recommendations, Cheshire East Council's (CEC) proposal and Joe Godden's (Feb 2024) proposal

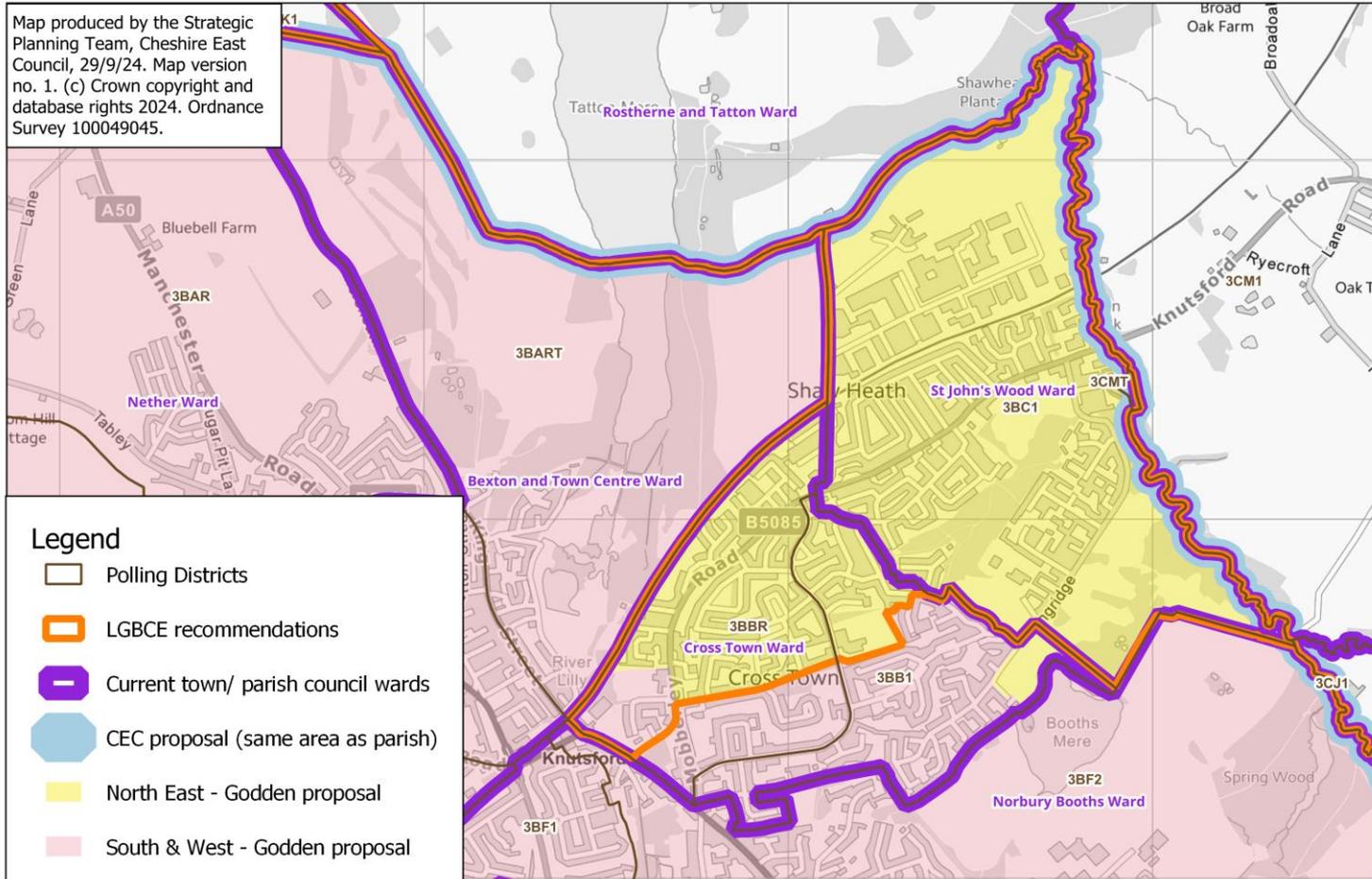
NOTE: The LGBCE draft recommendations, Cheshire East Council's submitted proposal and the Godden proposal all involve the Borough Council's Knutsford Members collectively representing the same area as the current Knutsford parish (that is, the Town Council area). However, the Borough Council proposal involves a single ward for the town, whereas the LGBCE draft recommendations would divide the parish into two Borough wards.



Map 17: Knutsford – Alternative proposals – northeast Knutsford

The map below shows the Borough warding for the northeastern part of Knutsford under the Commission's Draft Recommendations (the orange lines), the Tatton Labour Party proposals submitted by Joe Godden (the shaded yellow and pink areas) and Cheshire East Council's (CEC) warding consultation stage proposals (the pale blue line).

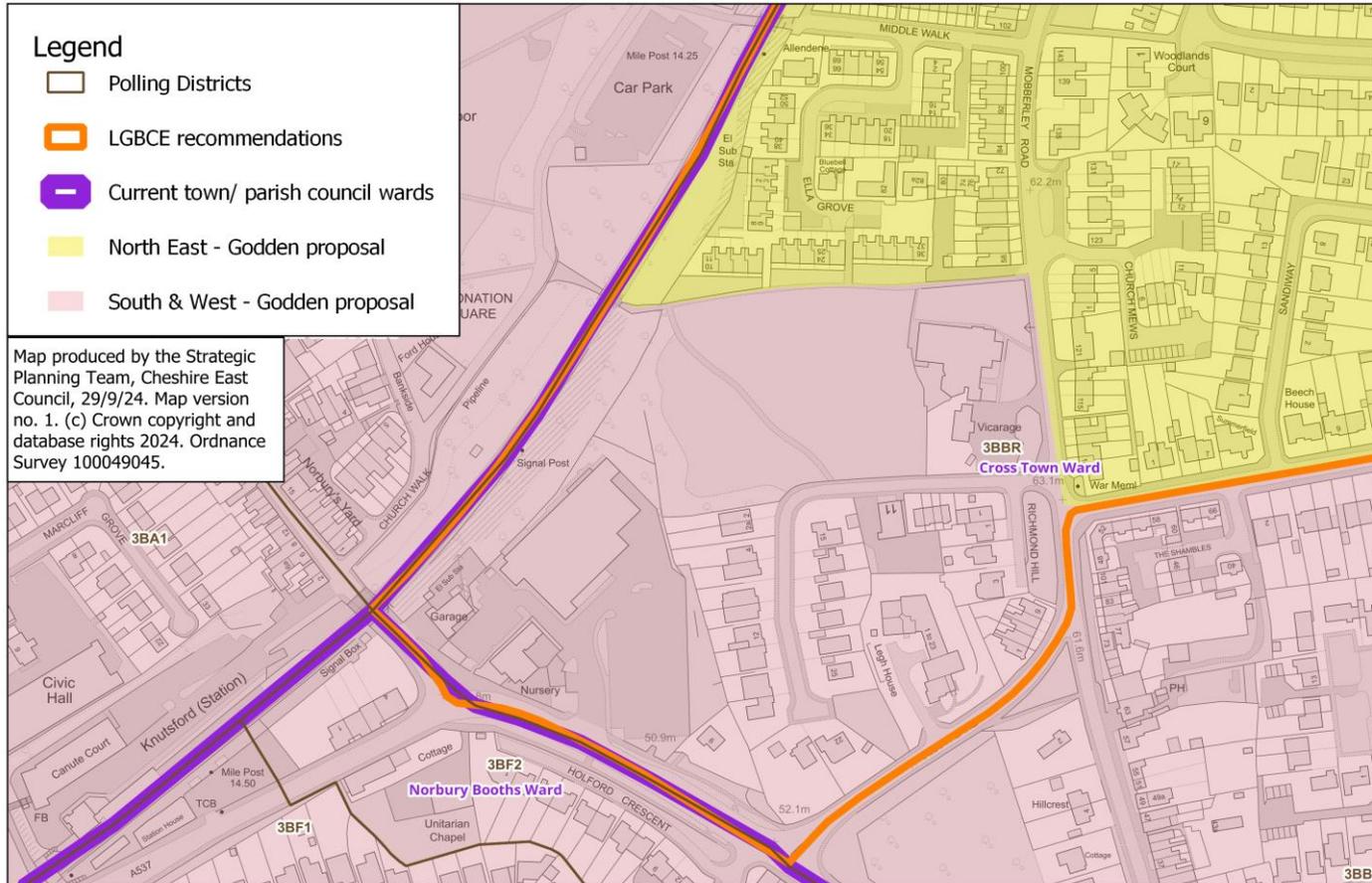
Warding for Knutsford under the Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) draft recommendations, Cheshire East Council's (CEC) proposal and Joe Godden's (Feb 2024) proposal: close-up of the LGBCE's proposed Knutsford North East ward



Map 18: Knutsford – Alternative proposals – Branden Drive area

In the map below, the Commission's recommended Borough wards are shown by the orange lines and the Tatton Labour Party (Joe Godden) proposals by the shaded (yellow and pink) areas. Including the Branden Drive/ Richmond Hill area in the North East ward is one of the Commission's two modifications to the Tatton Labour Party proposal.

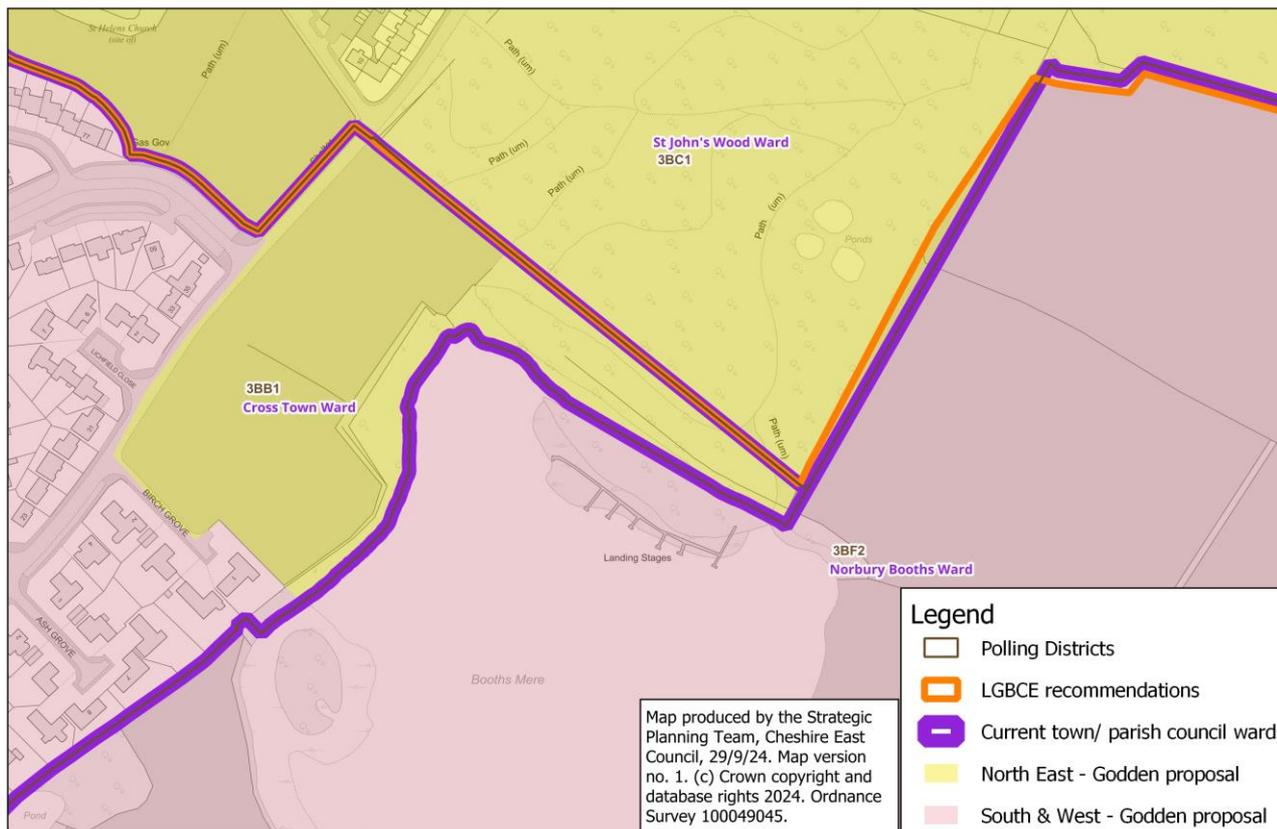
Warding for Knutsford under the Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) draft recommendations, as compared to Joe Godden's (Feb 2024) proposal: close-up of the Branden Drive area of LGBCE's proposed Knutsford North East ward



Map 19: Knutsford – Alternative proposals – Birch Grove/ LPS 38 area

In this map, the Commission’s recommended Borough wards are shown by orange lines and the Tatton Labour Party (Joe Godden) proposals by the shaded (yellow and pink) areas. The undeveloped area of 3BC1 in view is largely part of Local Plan site LPS 38. Including the easternmost area of the Cross Town (Town Council) ward in the proposed Knutsford South & West Borough ward (the undeveloped area of 3BB1 northeast of Birch Grove) is one of the Commission’s two modifications to the Tatton Labour Party proposal.

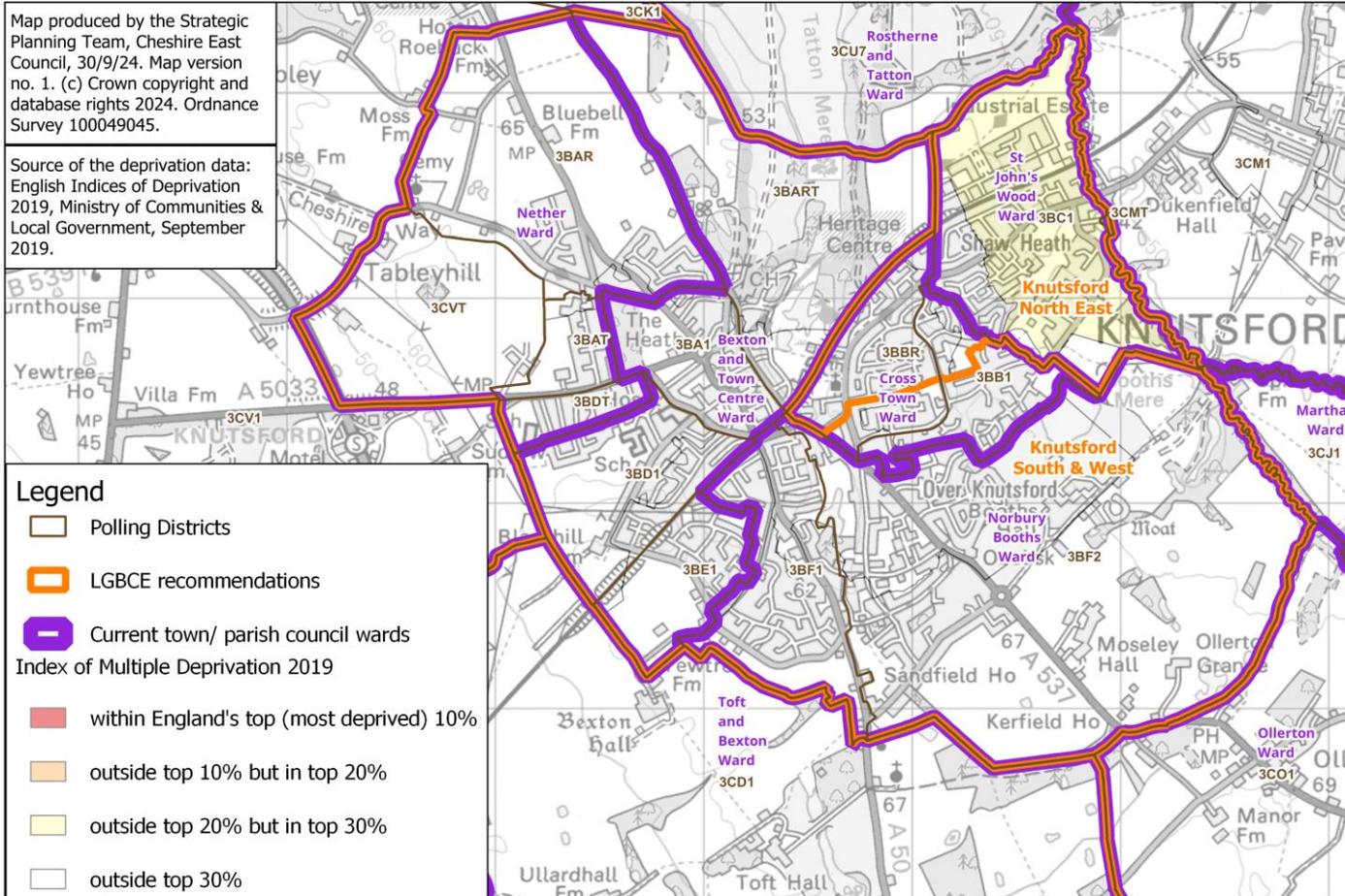
Warding for Knutsford under the Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) draft recommendations, as compared to Joe Godden's (Feb 2024) proposal: close-up of the Longridge/ Local Plan site LPS 38 area of LGBCE's proposed Knutsford North East ward



Map 20: Knutsford – Deprivation

In this map, the Commission’s recommended Borough wards are shown by orange lines and Knutsford’s main area of deprivation (covering most of the St John’s Wood parish ward) is shown in pale yellow shading.

Warding for Knutsford under the Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) draft recommendations, with most deprived area shown



Map 21: Boundary anomalies - Sandbach – 1 Mill Hill Lane

As shown below, the Commission's recommended Borough ward and parish ward boundaries deviate from the existing parish ward and polling district lines, to place No. 1 Mill Hill Lane in a different Borough and parish ward to all those adjacent properties to which it has the most immediate pedestrian and vehicular access. This oversight arises from an inconsistency in the Council's own electoral boundary data, which the Review should be able to rectify.

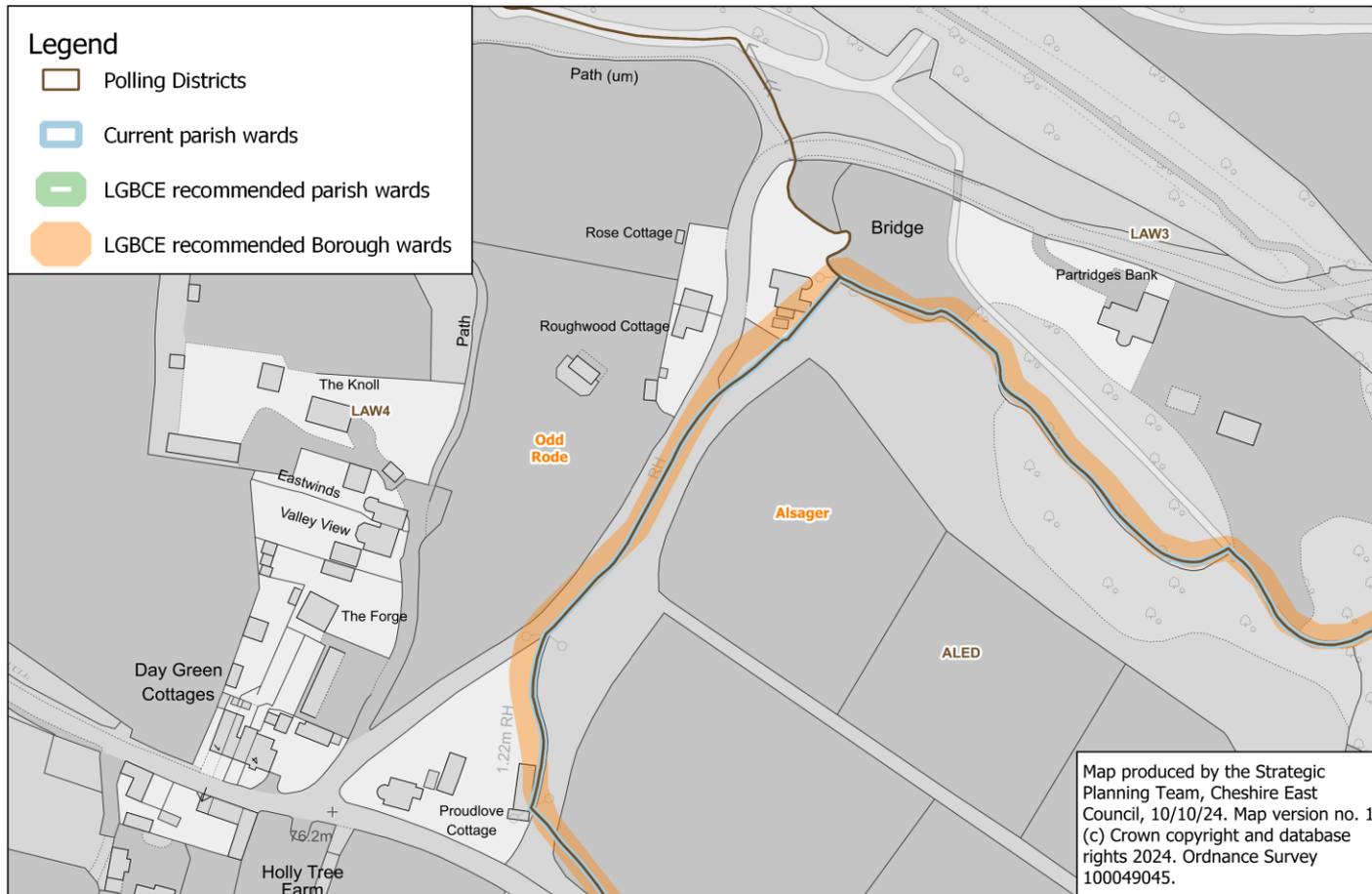
Parish warding for Sandbach under LGBCE draft recommendations: close-up of divergence of LGBCE boundary from current Town Council ward boundaries, placing 1 Mill Hill Lane in different Borough and parish wards to the rest of that street.



Map 22: Boundary anomalies – Alsager/ Odd Rode – ‘Roughwood’

The Commission’s Draft Recommendations report suggests its recommended Borough ward boundary line (the orange line below) should align with the existing polling district and parish ward boundaries (brown and blue lines) in this location. However, they diverge, affecting ‘Roughwood’ (the property opposite Rose Cottage/ Roughwood Cottage).

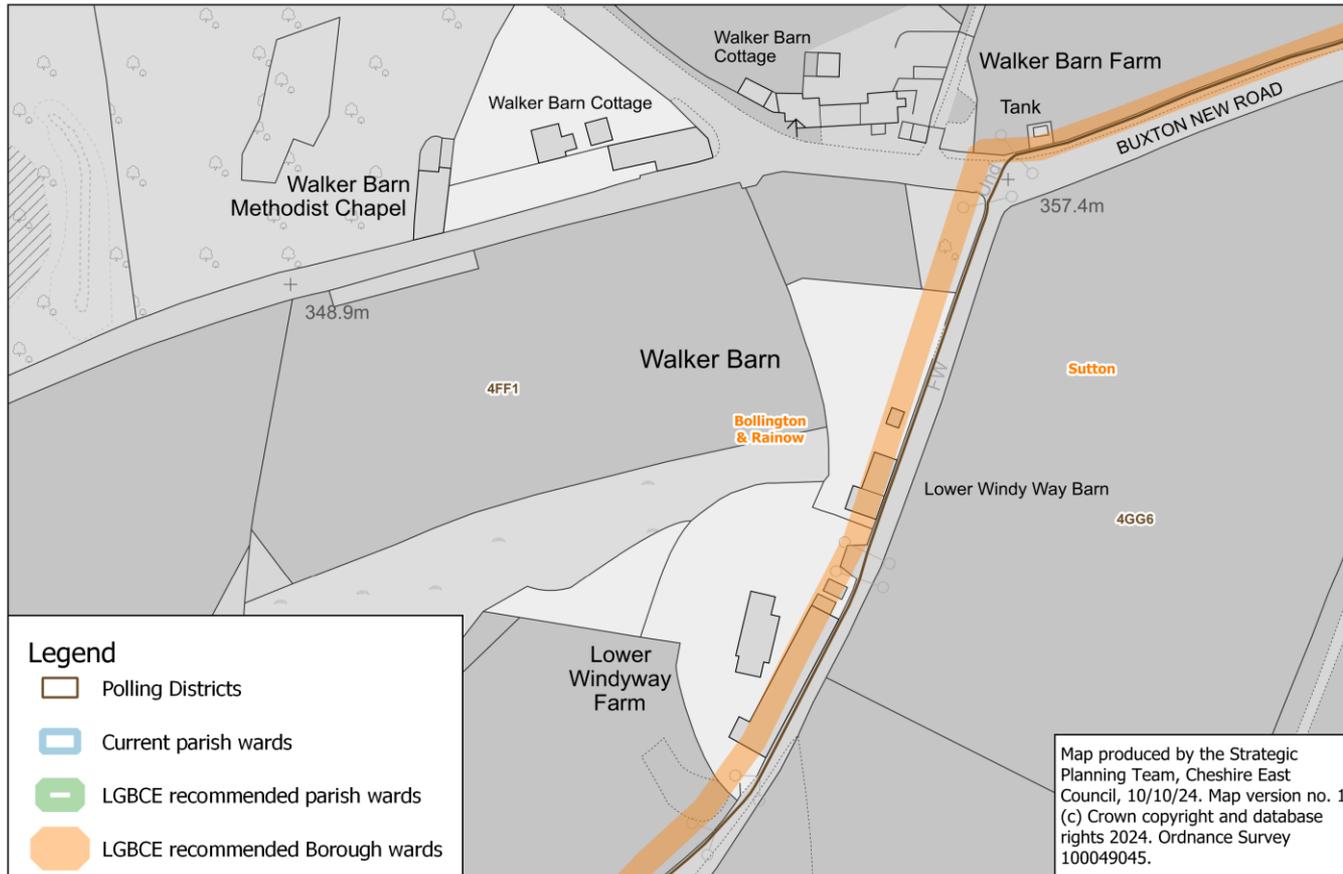
Divergence of LGBCCE recommended Borough ward boundary from current electoral boundary: impact on ‘Roughwood’, Roughwood Hollow, Hassall parish



Map 23: Boundary anomalies – Bollington & Rainow/ Sutton – Lower Windyway Farm/ Barn

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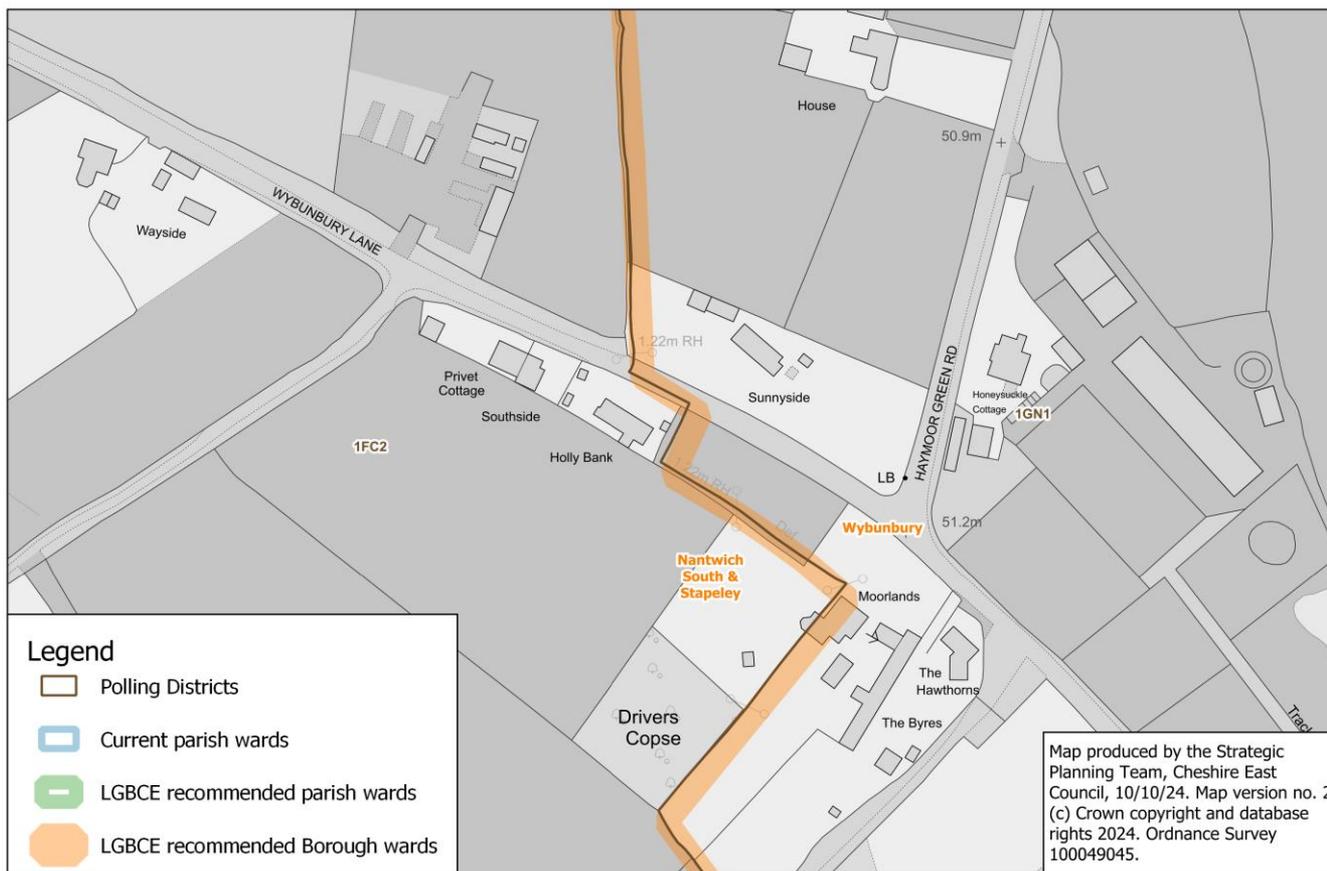
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Map 24: Boundary anomalies – Nantwich South & Stapeley/ Wybunbury – ‘Moorlands’

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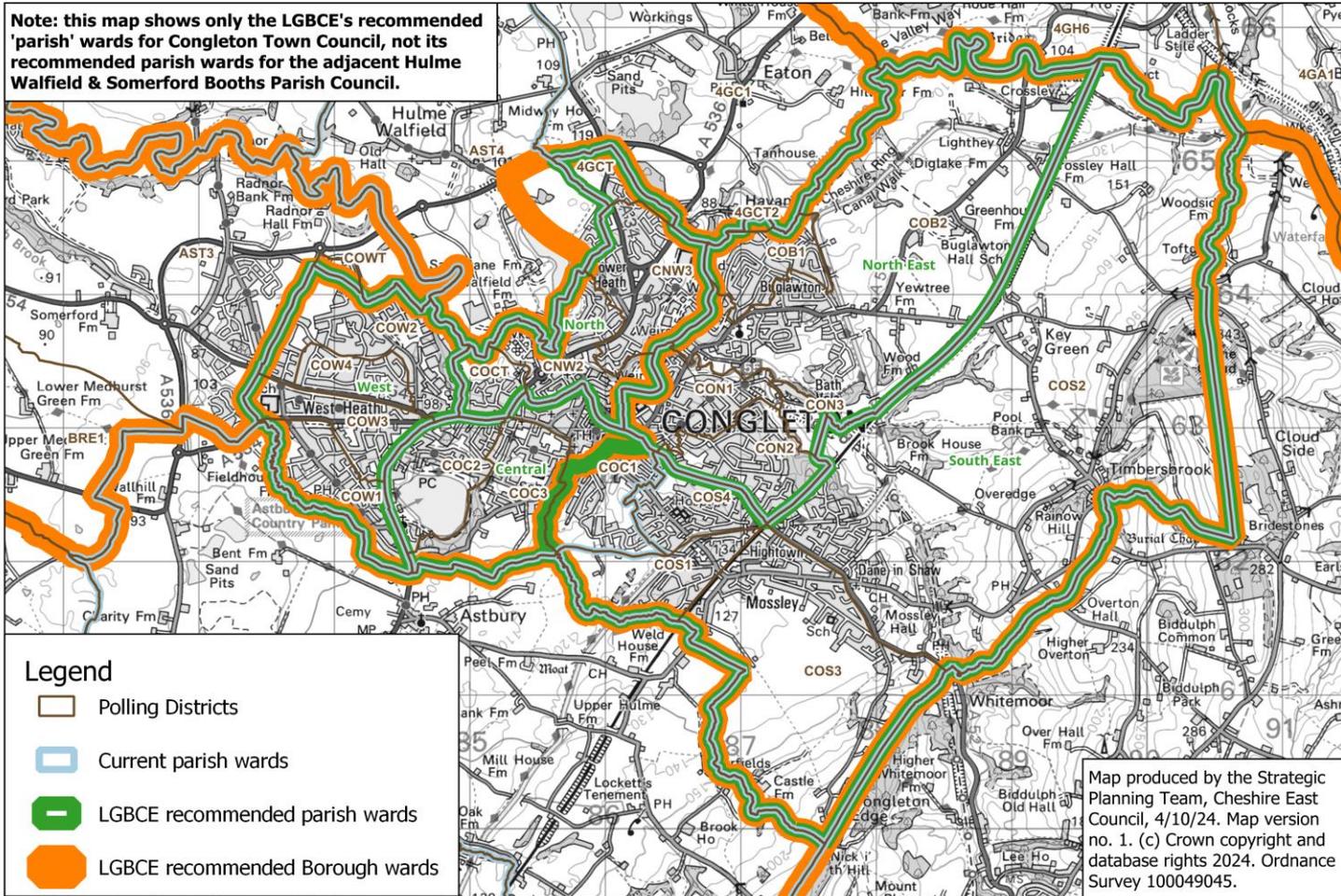
Divergence of LGBC recommended Borough ward boundary from current electoral boundary: impact on ‘Moorlands’, Wybunbury Lane, Wybunbury parish



Map 25: Draft Recommendations parish warding - Congleton

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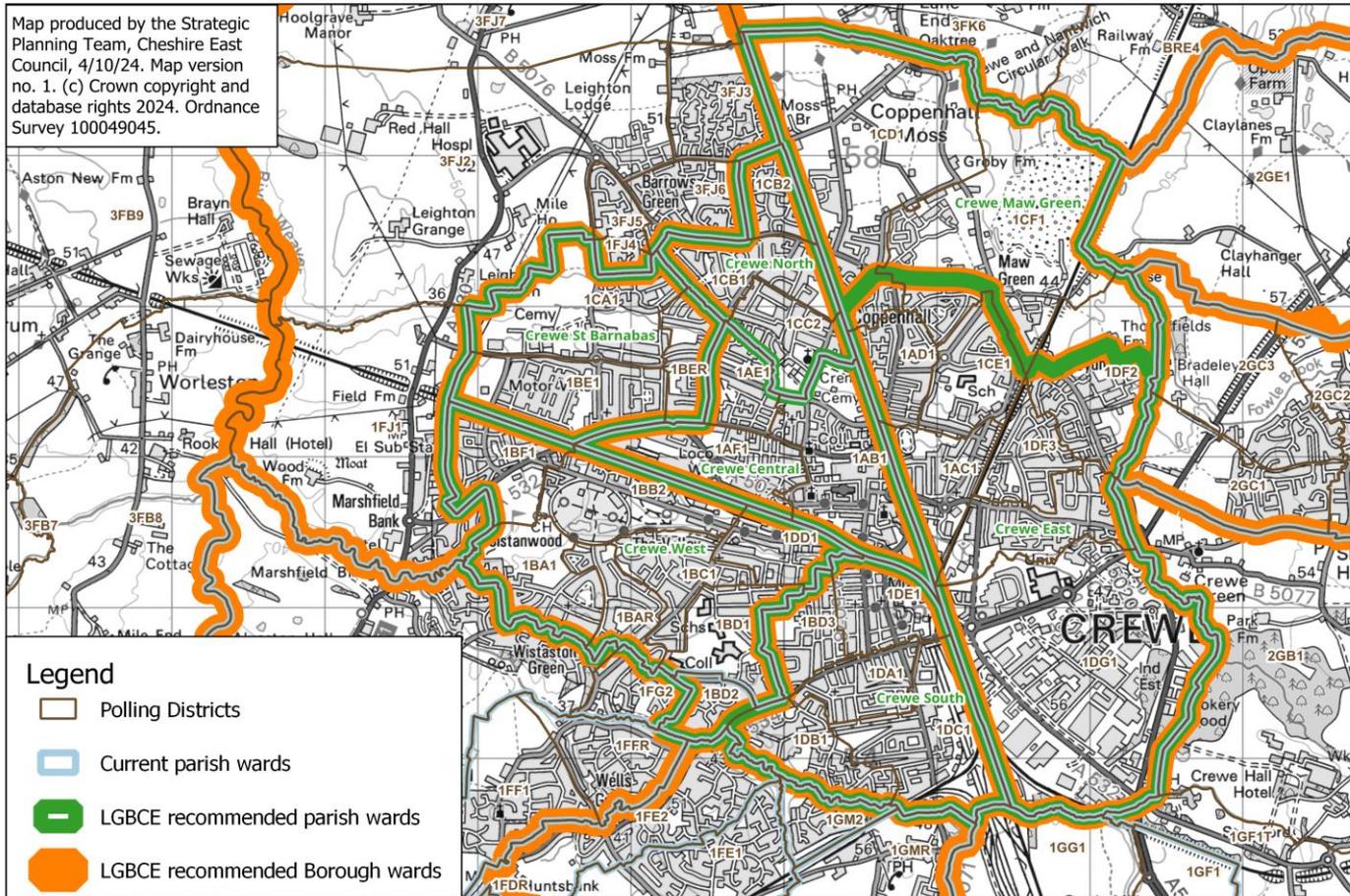
Parish (Town Council) warding for Congleton under the Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) draft recommendations



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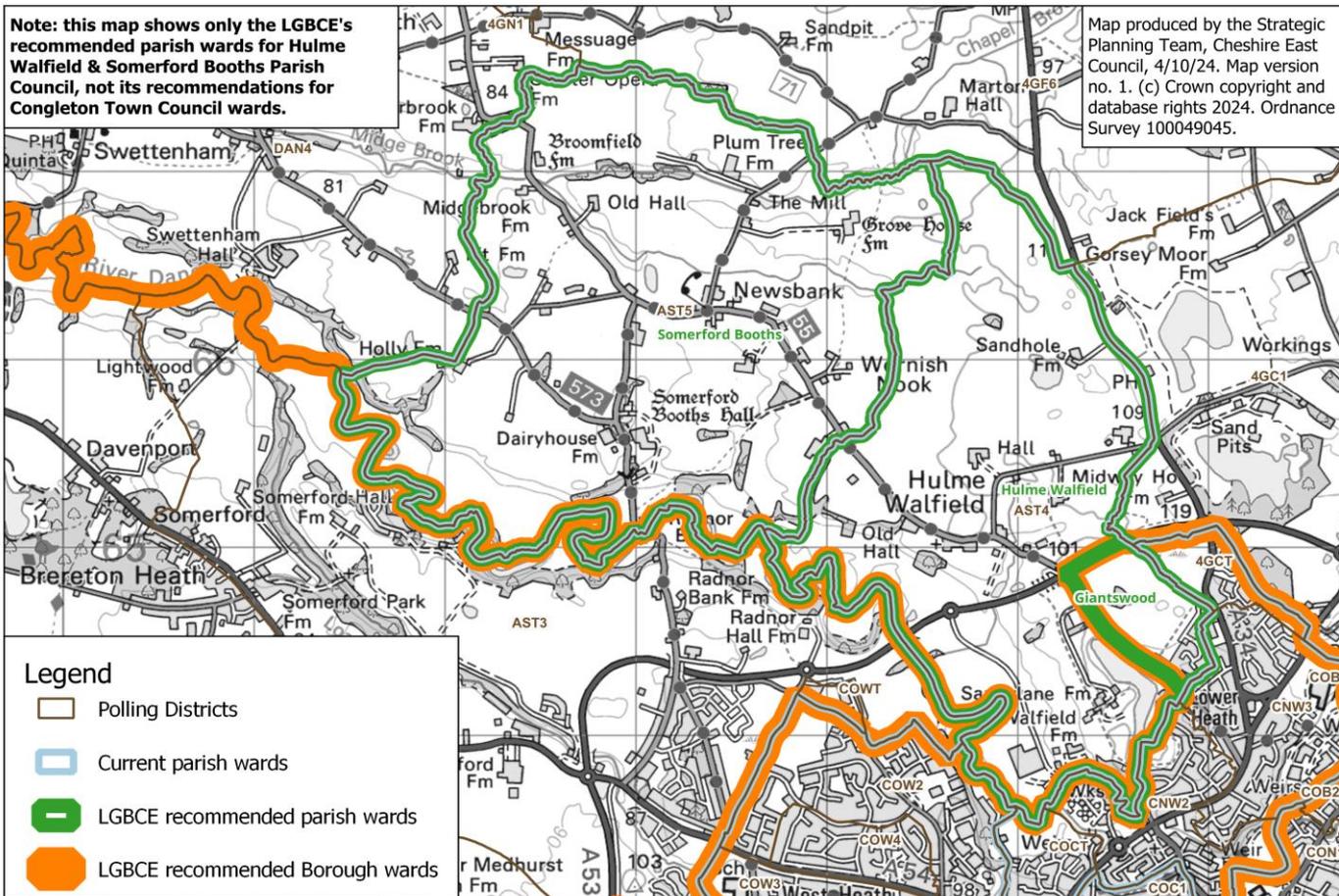
Parish warding for Crewe under the Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) draft recommendations



Map 27: Draft Recommendations parish warding – Hulme Walfield & Somerford Booths

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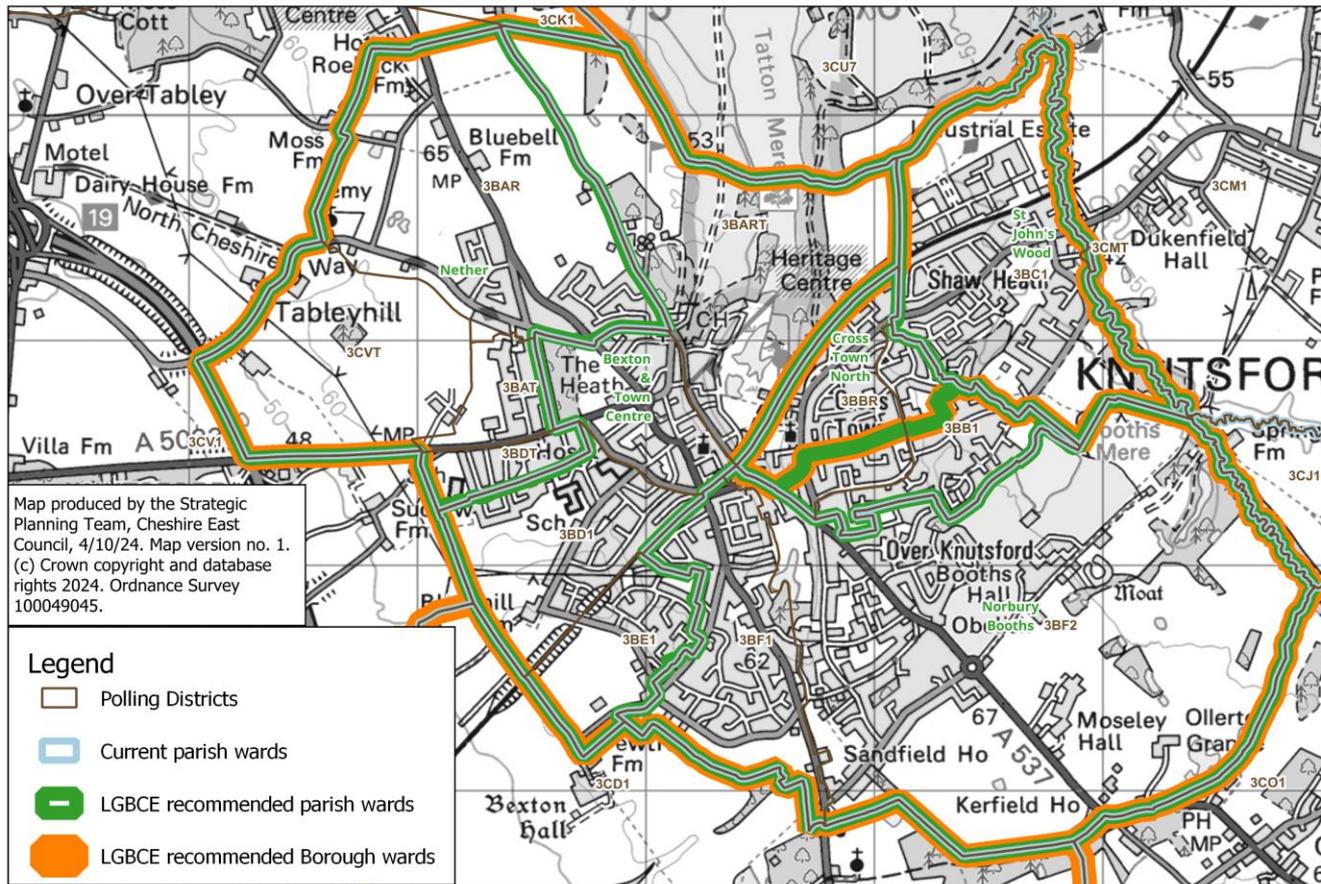
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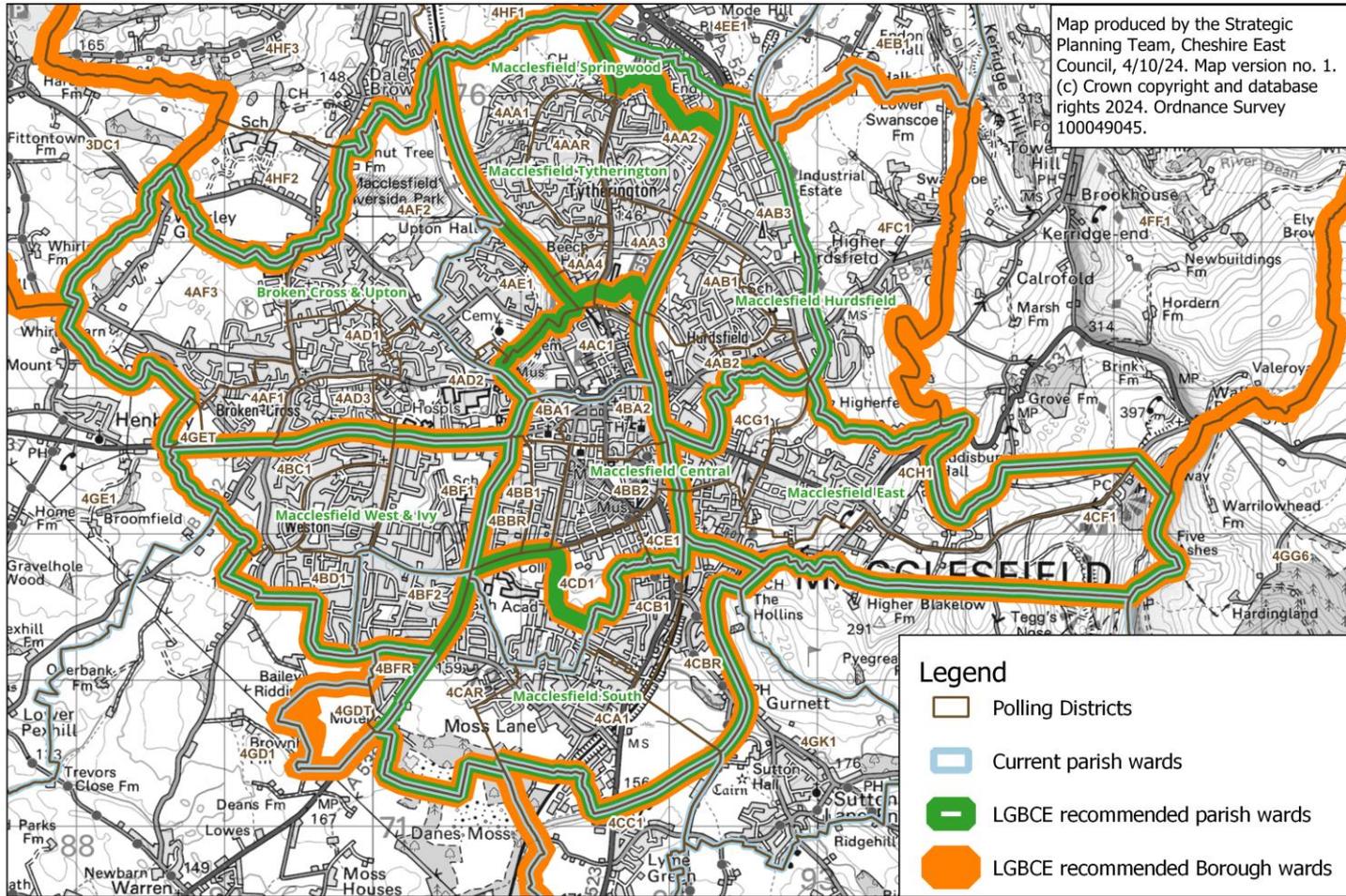
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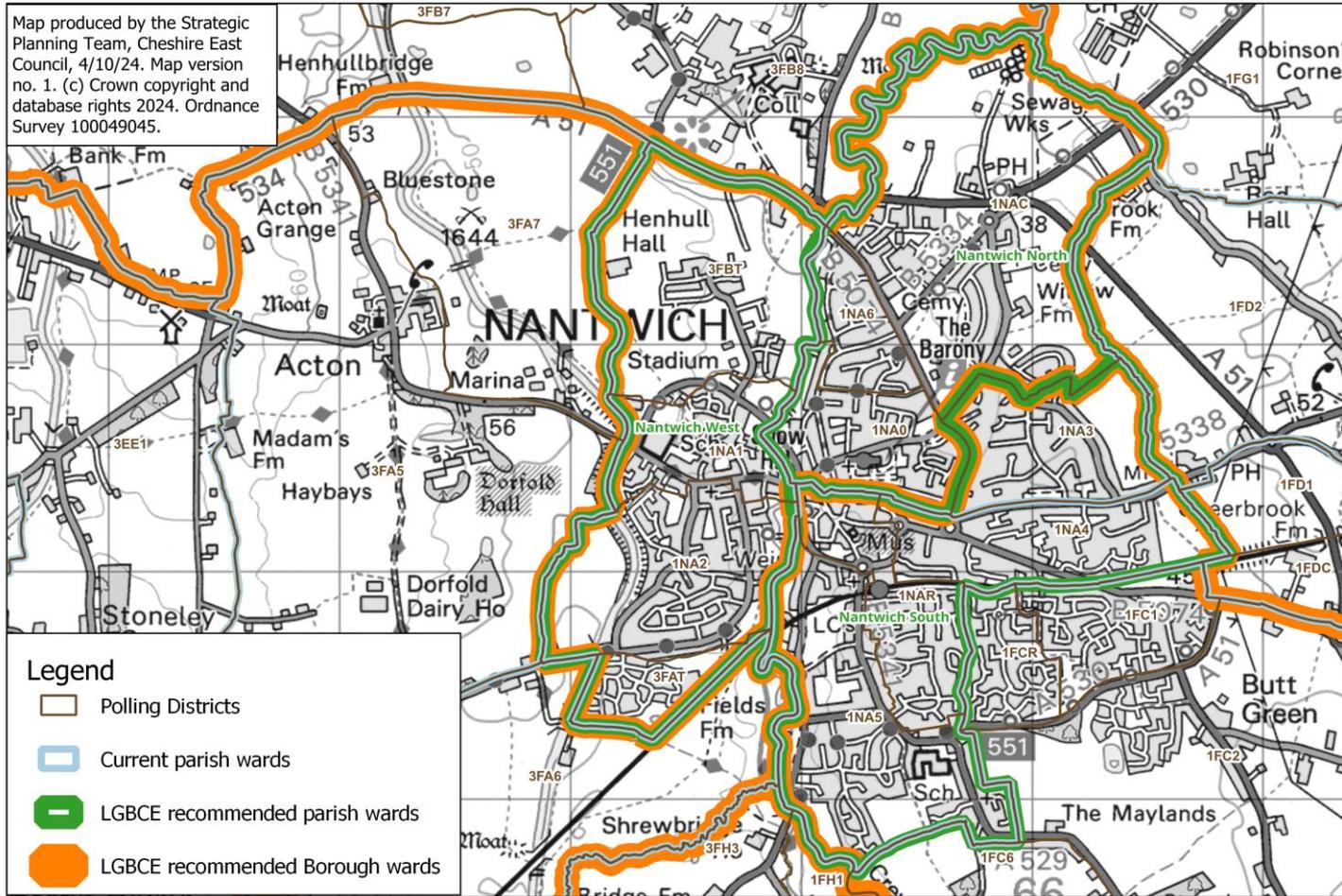
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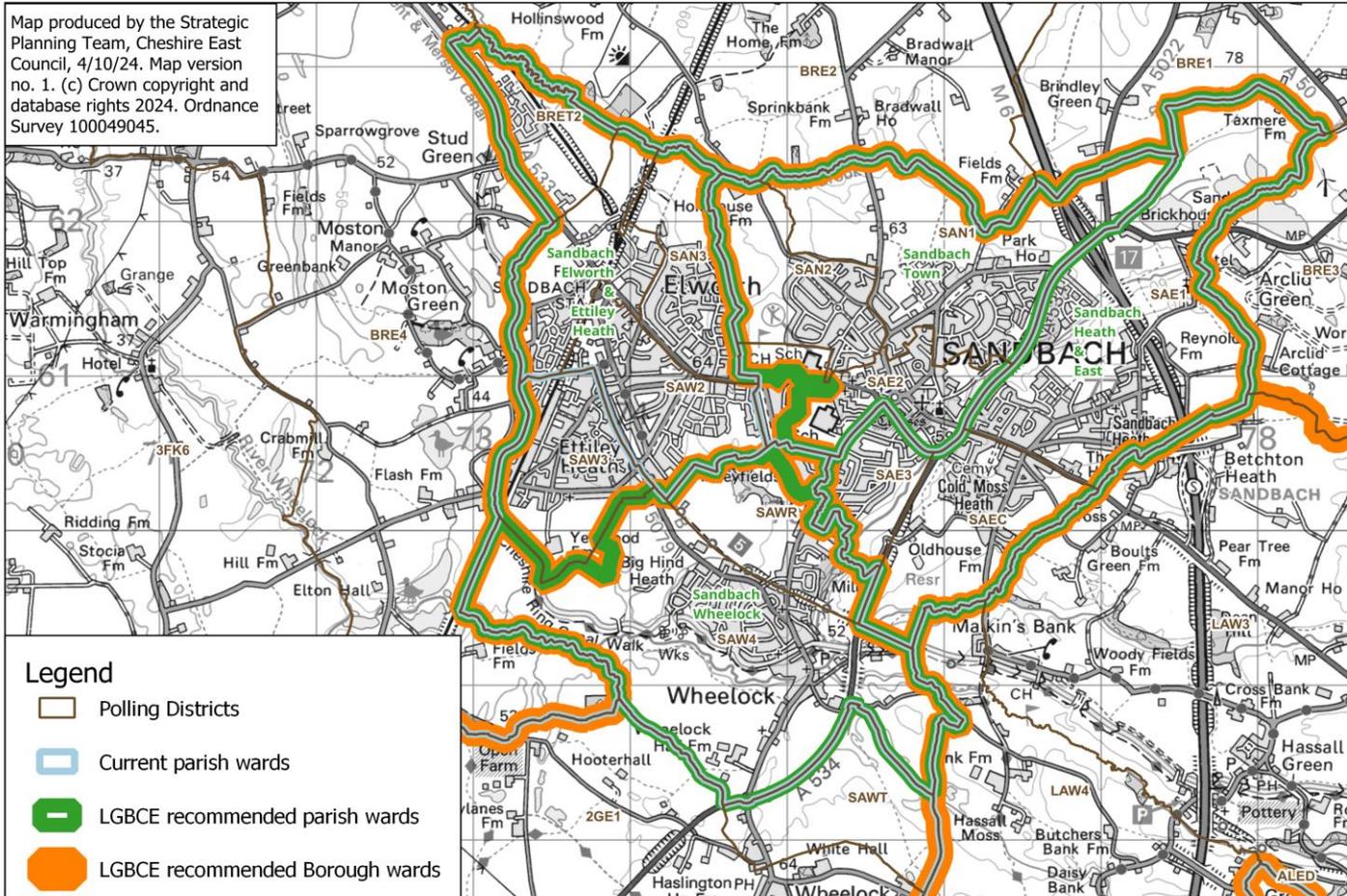


Map 31: Draft Recommendations parish warding – Sandbach

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Parish warding for Sandbach under the Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) draft recommendations

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Map 32: Draft Recommendations parish warding – Wilmslow

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Parish warding for Wilmslow under the Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) draft recommendations

