

## **DRAFT 2**

### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

#### **Crewe Community Governance Review – Stage 2 - Have your Say**

Following receipt of a petition from local residents recommending that a single town council is created in Crewe, Cheshire East Council has been conducting a Community Governance Review.

This review is considering future community governance arrangements, including whether a town council should be created in the unparished parts of Crewe, and has now entered its second stage.

Stage 1: Public consultations took place between September 1–30, where we sought the views of local residents (electors) and reviewed the options. A public meeting was held on 1 September at the Municipal Buildings, Crewe, and all residents in the area were sent a voting paper to express their views. Local organisations were also invited to respond. The council has reviewed all of the responses received, with the outcome being a vote not to have a town council.

Stage 2: The review is now entering stage 2 of the process; the Council has produced its draft recommendation which is “To accept the vote of the people of Crewe, and to reject the notion of a Town Council for Crewe at this time”.

During Stage 2, from November 30 to January 8, 2010, electors have the opportunity to put forward their views on the draft proposal. A final decision will then be made by the full Council in February.

The draft recommendations can be viewed at the Council Offices at Crewe and at Westfields, Sandbach and on the Cheshire East Council website: [www.cheshireeast.gov.uk](http://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk), where you will also find information about town councils and what this recommendation means.

You can submit your views in writing to:

The Elections and Registration Team Manager  
Cheshire East Council  
Westfields  
Sandbach  
Cheshire  
CW11 9DZ

**By email to: [communitygovernance@cheshireeast.gov.uk](mailto:communitygovernance@cheshireeast.gov.uk)  
or on the Cheshire East Council website [www.cheshireeast.gov.uk](http://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk)**