

## Boundary Commission for Scotland First Periodic Review of Scottish Parliament boundaries – City of Edinburgh Council area

The Boundary Commission for Scotland has reviewed its Revised Recommendations for Scottish Parliament constituencies in the light of representations received.

The Commission is proposing to amend the boundary between the proposed Edinburgh Southside constituency and the proposed Edinburgh Pentlands constituency to reduce the division of electoral ward 9 (Fountainbridge/Craiglockhart) and to unify the Craiglockhart area within the proposed Edinburgh Southside constituency. The Commission is also proposing amended names for some of the proposed constituencies. The Commission's Further Recommendations are:

Constituency	Designation	Electorate	Description
Edinburgh Central	Burgh Constituency	56,450	City of Edinburgh Council electoral wards 5(part), 6(part), 7(part), 9(part), 10(part), 11(part), 15(part)
Edinburgh Eastern	Burgh Constituency	57,770	City of Edinburgh Council electoral wards 11(part), 13(part), 14, 16(part), 17(part)
Edinburgh Northern and Leith	Burgh Constituency	56,690	City of Edinburgh Council electoral wards 4(part), 5(part), 12, 13(part)
Edinburgh Pentlands	Burgh Constituency	53,650	City of Edinburgh Council electoral wards 2, 7(part), 8
Edinburgh Southern	Burgh Constituency	55,550	City of Edinburgh Council electoral wards 7(part), 9(part), 10(part), 15(part), 16(part), 17(part)
Edinburgh Western	Burgh Constituency	57,170	City of Edinburgh Council electoral wards 1, 3, 4(part), 5(part), 6(part)

A copy of this notice and maps illustrating these proposals can be inspected at:

- City of Edinburgh Council, City Chambers, High Street, Edinburgh
- Edinburgh Room, Central Library, George IV Bridge, Edinburgh
- McDonald Road Library, 2 McDonald Road, Edinburgh
- Portobello Library, 14 Rosefield Avenue, Edinburgh
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The same material is also available from the Commission's web site at [www.bcomm-scotland.gov.uk](http://www.bcomm-scotland.gov.uk).

Representations about these proposals should be submitted by 3 October 2009 by e-mail to [representations@scottishboundaries.gov.uk](mailto:representations@scottishboundaries.gov.uk); by using the reply facility on the Commission's web site; in writing to The Secretary, Boundary Commission for Scotland, 3 Drumsheugh Gardens, Edinburgh EH3 7QJ; or by fax to 0131 538 7511. All representations should include full details of the correspondent's address and postcode. Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, representations will be made available to those interested in the Review except in very exceptional circumstances.

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