

## Community Review 2013

### Review of the Community Boundary And Electoral Arrangements Within The City And County of Cardiff **DRAFT PROPOSALS – APPENDIX E (Cardiff West)**



#### **CAERAU COMMUNITY**

##### **Draft Proposals**

Two submissions were received supporting that no changes be made to the community. Therefore it is proposed that no changes occur to the community of Caerau.

- No changes proposed.

##### **Rejected Submissions**

1) None rejected.

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**CANTON COMMUNITY**

**Draft Proposals**

Following a review of the submissions affecting the community, change proposals have been made:

- **CR008 –Creation of a new community of Leckwith**
  - A new community located to the West of the main railway line and the Penarth/Barry railway line.
  - The new community is to span the existing communities of Grangetown and Canton.
  - Map(s) have been provided of the proposal area.
  
- **CR015 –Llandaff/Fairwater/Canton Boundary Change. Consequential change to corresponding Cardiff Council electoral divisions.**
  - Move the boundary between these three communities from the railway line and Ely Road to Western Avenue and WaunGron Road
  - Map(s) have been provided of the proposal area.

**Submission Review: CR008 –Creation of a new community of Leckwith**

See Grangetown Community Submission Review CR008 for further details.

**Submission review: CR015 –Llandaff/Fairwater/Canton Boundary Change.**

See Llandaff Community Submission Review CR015 for further details.

**Rejected Submissions**

**1) Submission review: Riverside/Canton Boundary Change**

See Riverside Community rejected submission (1) for further details.

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**ELY COMMUNITY**

**Draft Proposals**

Following a review of the submissions affecting the community, change proposals have been made:

- **CR011 – St Fagans/Ely Boundary Change. Consequential change to corresponding Cardiff Council electoral divisions.**
  - Move all properties around Marguerites Way and its adjoining cul-de-sacs from St Fagans to Ely community.
  - Map(s) have been provided of the proposal area.
  
- **CR014 – Creation of a new community of “Michaelston-super-Ely”**
  - A new community comprising the area South of the Cardiff mainline railway within the current community of St Fagans and the area West of Michaelston Road within the current community of Ely.
  - This community will exclude the area covered under proposal CR011 unless CR011 is subsequently rejected.
  - The new community will traverse the communities of Ely and St Fagans.
  - Map(s) have been provided of the proposal area.

**Submission review: CR011 - Ely/St Fagans Boundary Change**

See St Fagans Community Submission Review CR011 for further details.

**Submission review: CR014 – Creation of a new community of “Michaelston-super-Ely”**

Three submissions were received requesting the creation of a new community that spanned part of the existing communities of Ely and St Fagans. These proposals are based on the premise that the area has its own local facilities of shops, school, post office and pub. The review of the submissions identified that whilst there was disparity within the submissions regarding the exact boundary of the area of Michaelston-super-Ely, that this was still a defined community with physical boundaries separating the area; namely the mainline railway line, Ely River, the A48, Michaelston Road and Western Cemetery. The review identified that the area around Marguerites Way was not a part of this community and should be treated as a separate proposal (CR011). If proposal CR011 is subsequently rejected it is anticipated that this area will then become a part of Michaelston-super-Ely as it would have no physical connection to St Fagans community.

Both historically and currently, Michaelston-super-Ely is an identifiable community. It is therefore recommended that the creation of a new community be proposed.

**Rejected Submissions**

- 1) None rejected.

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**FAIRWATER COMMUNITY**

**Draft Proposals**

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- **CR015 –Llandaff/Fairwater/Canton Boundary Change. Consequential change to corresponding Cardiff Council electoral divisions.**
  - Move the boundary between these three communities from the railway line and Ely Road to Western Avenue and WaunGron Road
  - Map(s) have been provided of the proposal area.

**Submission review: CR015 –Llandaff/Fairwater/Canton Boundary Change.**  
See Llandaff Community Submission Review CR015 for further details.

**Rejected Submissions**

**1) Submission review: Fairwater/Llandaff boundary change – Tangmere Drive**  
One submission was received requesting a relocation of the area around Tangmere Drive, North of the disused railway line, to be relocated from Fairwater to Llandaff. This submission was reviewed alongside the submission for the creation of a new community of Danescourt within Llandaff.

Upon review it was felt that whilst there was a degree of separation of the area from the rest of Fairwater, it is not a component of the community of Danescourt and is therefore better represented within its current community. The submission was therefore rejected.

**2) Submission review: Creation of a new community of “Pentrebane”**  
One submission was received requesting the creation of a community of Pentrebane. Upon review it was identified that whilst Pentrebane has an historic identity, it was not felt to be a current distinct community with a separate identity or separate physical barrier from the rest of Fairwater. It is therefore recommended that the submission be rejected.

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**LLANDAFF COMMUNITY**

**Draft Proposals**

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- **CR015 –Llandaff/Fairwater/Canton Boundary Change. Consequential change to corresponding Cardiff Council electoral divisions.**
  - Move the boundary between these three communities from the railway line and Ely Road to Western Avenue and WaunGron Road
  - Map(s) have been provided of the proposal area.
  
- **CR017 –Creation of a new community of “Danescourt”**
  - A new community located to the North West of the railway line.
  - The new community is to be contained within the existing community boundary of Llandaff.
  - Map(s) have been provided of the proposal area.

**Submission review: CR015 –Llandaff/Fairwater/Canton Boundary Change.**

Three submissions were received relating to the boundary between Fairwater, Llandaff and Canton communities, requesting it be moved to the larger physical boundaries between these 3 communities. This is based on the current road used being a secondary road and that the proposed new boundary should continue the use of larger, primary roads as the physical boundary; namely Western Avenue and WaunGron Road. Upon review it was identified that this change would improve clarity of the boundary and in the case of the Recycling/Refuse centre on WaunGron Road, it would future-proof the community allocation of the location if a change of use to residential were ever to occur on the site in the future.

**Submission review: CR017 –Creation of a new community of “Danescourt”**

One submission was received requesting the creation of a community of Danescourt. This submission was reviewed alongside submissions relating to relocating the Tangmere Drive area of Fairwater community to Llandaff community. Upon review it was identified that Danescourt is an identifiable, known long-standing community with strong physical boundaries of Llantrisant Road and the railway line separating it from Llandaff and Fairwater communities. The Tangmere Drive area of Fairwater was not felt to belong to the community of Danescourt. It is therefore recommended that a new community of Danescourt be created within the existing boundary of Llandaff community.

**Rejected Submissions**

**1) Creation of a community council for Llandaff community**

Two submissions were received proposing the creation of a community council for Llandaff. These submissions were rejected as the community review may not physically create a community council. The review has put forward draft proposals for boundaries of the community. Once the review has concluded, the onus is on the electorate within the community to form the community council.

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**2) Submission review: Llandaff/Riverside Boundary Change.**

One submission was received to move The Rise, Pen-Hill Road from Llandaff to Riverside Community in order to better reflect the physical location of the property. Upon review the property was identified as being non-residential, having no electors affected by the proposal and being inconsequential in its impact. This proposal was therefore rejected.

**3) Submission Review: No change request**

Three submissions were received stating that no changes should be made. As reasoned cases have been made for change, these 'no change' submissions will not be implemented.

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**PENTYRCH COMMUNITY**

**Draft Proposals**

Three submissions were received supporting changes be made to the community. Two of these submissions relate to altering the external County Council boundaries between Cardiff Council and RCT Council. As this is outside of the scope of the community review, it is proposed that no submissions be considered until the boundary matter between the two councils is reviewed and consensus reached.

- No changes proposed.

**Rejected Submissions**

**1) Submission review: Extend boundary of Pentyrch Community to include Grosfaen.**

These two submissions are outside the scope of this community review as they affect the external boundary of Cardiff Council. This matter is being reviewed separately to the community review.

**2) Submission review: Establish separate communities for each ward.**

One submission was received proposing the establishment of a separate community for each of the Pentyrch community wards. Upon review it was determined that the submission should be rejected until such time that the matter of the external boundary, rejected submission (1), is resolved.

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**RADYR AND MORGANSTOWN COMMUNITY**

**Draft Proposals**

Four submissions were received supporting that no changes be made to the community. It is therefore proposed that no changes occur to the community of Radyr and Morganstown.

- No changes proposed.

**Rejected Submissions**

2) None rejected.



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**RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY**

**Draft Proposals**

Following a review of the submissions affecting the community, change proposals have been made:

- **CR016 –Creation of a new community of Pontcanna**
  - A new community located to the North of Cowbridge Road East.
  - The new community is to be contained within the existing community boundary of Riverside.
  - Map(s) have been provided of the proposal area.

**CR016 –Creation of a new community of Pontcanna**

Two submissions were received proposing the creation of a community of Pontcanna in order to reflect the “*distinct areas of sharply differing character*” and to include the landmark location of Pontcanna Fields. Upon review it was confirmed that local businesses and community organisations use the name of Pontcanna and that there is a distinct and locally identifiable community of Pontcanna. It is therefore proposed that a new community be established to the north of Cowbridge Road East within the current community boundary of Riverside.

**Rejected Submissions**

**1) Submission review: Riverside/Canton Boundary Change**

One submission was received that proposed the transfer of a block of houses in Wyndham Crescent, Cowbridge Road East, Wyndham Place, Wellington Street, Leckwith Road and Llandaff Road to Canton. Upon review it was not found to have a strong, distinctive element that indicated that the area, and not that around it, should be a part of Canton. Our review did not identify a distinct populous nor a physical boundary that determined that these residents should be a part of Canton community. The submission was therefore rejected.

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**ST FAGANS COMMUNITY**

**Draft Proposals**

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- **CR011 – St Fagans/Ely Boundary Change. Consequential change to corresponding Cardiff Council electoral divisions.**
  - Move all properties around Marguerites Way and its adjoining cul-de-sacs from St Fagans to Ely community.
  - This proposal is linked to CR014
  - Map(s) have been provided of the proposal area.
  
- **CR014 – Creation of a new community of “Michaelston-super-Ely”**
  - A new community comprising the area South of the Cardiff mainline railway within the current community of St Fagans and the area West of Michaelston Road within the current community of Ely.
  - This community will exclude the area covered under proposal CR011 unless CR011 is subsequently rejected.
  - The new community will traverse the communities of Ely and St Fagans.
  - Map(s) have been provided of the proposal area.

**Submission review: CR011 - Ely/St Fagans Boundary Change**

Two submissions were received requesting a relocation of the properties around the cul-de-sac of Marguerites Way from St Fagans to Ely community. These submissions were based on the fact that this area has no direct road link to St Fagans community and that all its closest shops, schools and recreation areas are within Ely.

Upon review it was noted that these properties have to traverse the community of Ely to reach St Fagans community. This is a strong indicator that the area is in the wrong community. It is therefore proposed that these submissions are accepted and that this area changes community to Ely. If this proposal is subsequently rejected it is anticipated that this area will become a part of Michaelston-super-Ely by the adoption of proposal CR014.

**Submission review: CR014 - Creation of a new community of “Michaelston-super-Ely”**

See Ely submission review CR014 for further details.

**Rejected Submissions**

**1) Submission Review: No change request**

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#### **2) Submission review: Warding of St Fagans Community council**

A submission was received requesting that St Fagans be warded based around St Fagans village and Rhydlafer. This submission was based on the creation of a new community of Michaelston-Super-Ely. As this submission has been rejected and the St Fagans Community council has specifically stated that it does not wish amendments to its arrangements, this submission has been rejected.

#### **3) Submission review: St Fagans/Pentyrch Boundary Change**

One submission was received proposing the relocation of the properties in the area of Rhydlafer from the community of St Fagans to the community of Pentyrch. Upon review it was determined that the submission should be rejected until such time that the matter of the external boundary, Pentyrch rejected submission (1), is resolved.