

Appendices

Appendix 2

Draft recommendations for Durham County Council

	Division name	Number of councillors	Electorate (2022)	Number of electors per councillor	Variance from average %	Electorate (2028)	Number of electors per councillor	Variance from average %
1	Annfield Plain & Tanfield	2	7,957	3,979	0%	8,171	4,086	-2%
2	Aycliffe North & Middridge	2	8,362	4,181	5%	8,851	4,426	7%
3	Aycliffe South	3	11,571	3,857	-3%	11,793	3,931	-5%
4	Barnard Castle	3	11,658	3,886	-3%	12,265	4,088	-1%
5	Belmont	2	7,477	3,739	-6%	7,862	3,931	-5%
6	Benfieldside	2	8,154	4,077	2%	8,337	4,169	0%
7	Bishop Auckland	3	12,206	4,069	2%	12,604	4,201	1%
8	Bowburn & Coxhoe	3	12,414	4,138	4%	13,260	4,420	7%
9	Brandon	2	8,700	4,350	9%	8,768	4,384	6%
10	Burnopfield, Dipton & Ebchester	2	8,492	4,246	6%	8,712	4,356	5%
11	Castle Eden & Passfield	1	4,439	4,439	11%	4,466	4,466	8%
12	Chester-le-Street North	2	8,071	4,036	1%	8,153	4,077	-2%

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13	Chester-le-Street South	2	7,504	3,752	-6%	7,550	3,775	-9%
14	Chilton	1	3,584	3,584	-10%	3,823	3,823	-8%
15	Consett North	2	8,867	4,434	11%	9,005	4,503	9%
16	Consett South	3	11,314	3,771	-6%	12,275	4,092	-1%
17	Craghead & South Moor	2	7,975	3,988	0%	8,136	4,068	-2%
18	Crook	3	11,196	3,732	-6%	11,520	3,840	-7%
19	Dalton & Dawdon	2	8,236	4,118	3%	8,307	4,154	0%
20	Deerness	2	8,514	4,257	7%	9,081	4,541	9%
21	Easington & Shotton	3	11,887	3,962	-1%	12,454	4,151	0%
22	Elvet & Gilesgate	2	7,964	3,982	0%	8,668	4,334	4%
23	Evenwood	3	10,648	3,549	-11%	11,230	3,743	-10%
24	Ferryhill	2	7,914	3,957	-1%	8,147	4,074	-2%
25	Framwellgate & Newton Hall	3	10,746	3,582	-10%	11,322	3,774	-9%
26	Hornden & Dene House	2	8,144	4,072	2%	8,203	4,102	-1%
27	Lanchester	1	4,511	4,511	13%	4,568	4,568	10%
28	Langley & Esh	1	4,017	4,017	1%	4,160	4,160	0%

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29	Lumley & West Rainton	2	7,508	3,754	-6%	7,917	3,959	-5%
30	Monk Hesleden	1	4,341	4,341	9%	4,573	4,573	10%
31	Murton	2	7,946	3,973	0%	8,412	4,206	1%
32	Neville's Cross	2	7,745	3,873	-3%	8,010	4,005	-3%
33	North Lodge	1	3,773	3,773	-5%	3,935	3,935	-5%
34	Pelton	3	11,526	3,842	-4%	12,035	4,012	-3%
35	Peterlee	2	8,525	4,263	7%	8,700	4,350	5%
36	Pittington & Sherburn	1	3,659	3,659	-8%	3,781	3,781	-9%
37	Sacrison & Witton Gilbert	2	7,695	3,848	-4%	8,332	4,166	0%
38	Seaham	2	8,905	4,453	12%	9,027	4,514	9%
39	Sedgefield	2	7,575	3,788	-5%	7,873	3,937	-5%
40	Shildon & Dene Valley	3	12,106	4,035	1%	12,601	4,200	1%
41	Spennymoor	2	8,671	4,336	9%	9,134	4,567	10%
42	Stanley	2	8,141	4,071	2%	8,348	4,174	1%
43	Thornley & Wheatley Hill	1	4,308	4,308	8%	4,394	4,394	6%
44	Trimdon & Wingate	2	8,406	4,203	5%	8,824	4,412	6%

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45 Tudhoe	2	8,516	4,258	7%	8,929	4,465	8%
46 Weardale	2	7,960	3,980	0%	8,136	4,068	-2%
47 West Auckland	1	4,110	4,110	3%	4,411	4,411	6%
48 Willington & Hunwick	2	7,208	3,604	-10%	7,602	3,801	-8%
Totals	98	391,146	–	–	406,665	–	–
Averages	–	–	3,991	–	–	4,150	–

Source: Electorate figures are based on information provided by Durham County Council.

Note: The 'variance from average' column shows by how far, in percentage terms, the number of electors per councillor in each electoral division varies from the average for the county. The minus symbol (-) denotes a lower than average number of electors. Figures have been rounded to the nearest whole number.