#### **Urgent Decision under Delegated Powers**

## **Officer Requesting Decision**

Head of Governance & HR

## Officer Making the Decision

Chief Executive

#### Recommendation

To approve corrected polling districts maps (as appended) for the Sileby & Seagrave ward, the South Charnwood ward, and the Thurmaston ward.

#### Reason

To take action in relation to a matter which would otherwise have been submitted to full Council.

## **Authority for Decision**

<u>Delegation of Council functions</u> - Section 8.2 of the Constitution states that the Chief Executive, Strategic Directors and Heads of Service can take such action as is required in the case of an emergency or urgency subject to:

- (i) consultation with the Mayor, the Chair of the relevant committee, or, in the Chair's absence, the Vice-Chair;
- (ii) consultation with the Chief Executive and relevant Strategic Directors in each case; and
- (iii) a report on the action taken being made to the next meeting of the Council or relevant committee, as appropriate.

#### **Decision and Date**

Robert Mitchell (he, him, his) Chief Executive

11<sup>th</sup> November 2022

## **Background**

Some minor errors have been identified in the polling district maps for the Sileby & Seagrave ward, the South Charnwood ward, and the Thurmaston ward in the report considered by full Council on 7<sup>th</sup> November 2022 under agenda item 6.1 (REVIEW OF POLLING DISTRICTS, POLLING PLACES AND POLLING STATIONS – OUTCOME), page 75, and corrected maps are appended to this decision.

The errors have no effect on the recommendations as approved by full Council, or the location of the relevant polling places or polling stations as set out in the narrative of the report to Council.

However, the errors do need to be corrected urgently so that an updated electoral register can be published as legally required on 1<sup>st</sup> December 2022 and the final review report can be published.

#### **Comments from HR**

Not applicable.

### **Financial Implications**

There are no financial implications.

## **Risk Management**

There are no risks associated with this decision.

# **Consultation with the Mayor**

The Mayor has been consulted and supports this as being an urgent decision.

#### **Key Decision:**

N/A

### **Background Papers:**

N/A





