

TELFORD AND WREKIN COMMUNITY GOVERNANCE REVIEW 2025 – DHPC RECOMMENDATIONS

DHPC Properties and Electors as at January 2025 are as follows:

Parish Ward	No. of Properties (a)	No. of Electors (b)	Approximate No. of Electors per Property (b/a)	No. of Councillors
Aqueduct	1,353	2,161	1.6	3
Little Dawley	482	790	1.6	1
Horsehay	1,725	2,765	1.6	3
Smallhill Road	257	453	1.8	1
Nightingale Walk	75	129	1.7	1
TOTAL	3892	6298		9

* There is currently an average of 700 electors per councillor (6,298/9)

**Projected total no. of electorate as at 2032 = 7,513, an additional 1,215 electors. This data is not available by ward.

Dawley Hamlets Parish Council recommends the following changes:

Parish Ward	Location	Action	Rational	Approx. No. of Properties	Approx. No. of Electors
Nightingale Walk	Entire parish ward	Transfer to Madeley Town Council	In the Woodside Borough Ward	-75	-129
Smallhill Road (see map1)	Entire parish ward except for Lawley Gate which would move to Horsehay Ward	Transfer to Lawley & Overdale PC	In the Lawley Borough Ward, however, Lawley Gate sits on its own on the opposite side of Wellington Rd	-220 (-257+37)	-386 (-453+67)
Aqueduct (see map 2)	Ellis Peters Drive, Aqueduct	Transfer from GDTC	Better served in DHPC, Aqueduct ward	+74	+118
Horsehay (see map 3)	Wellington Rd, south of Myford, including Myford, Woodlands Lane and Roundhouse Park	Transfer from The Gorge PC	All of Wellington Road area would then be in the Parish	+64	+102
Horsehay (see map 4)	Upper Pool Hill Road	Transfer from GDTC	Currently the left side of the road is in our Parish and the right-hand side is in GDTC	+15	+24

Horsehay (also see map 4)	Station Road	Transfer from GDTC	Bridge Road which is in the Parish leads onto Station Road	+15	+24
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Dawley Hamlets Parish Electorate Numbers Including Recommendations:

Parish Ward	No. of Electors as at January 2025 (a)	Recommended Change (b)	Total No. of Electors (a+/-b)	No. of Councillors
Aqueduct	2161	+118	2279	4
Little Dawley	790	0	790	1
Horsehay	2765	+217 (+67+102+24+24)	2982	4
Smallhill Road	453	-453	0	0
Nightingale Walk	129	-129	0	0
TOTAL	6298	-247	6051	9

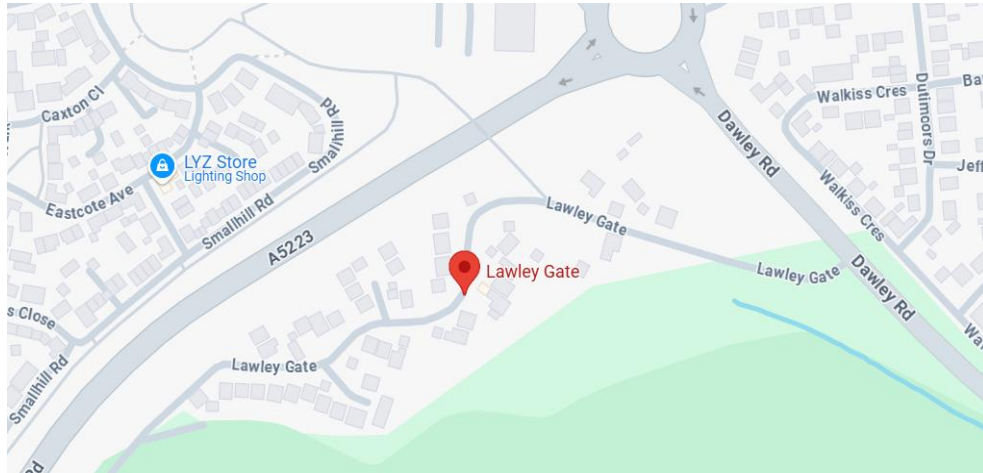
* The recommendations will equate roughly to an average 672 electors per councillor (6,051/9)

** The projected total number of electorates is estimated to increase by 1,215 electors by 2032, the total number of electors including the recommendations put forward would be 7,266 (6,051 + 1,215) this means that there would be an average of 807 electors per councillor if the Parish Council retains nine councillors.

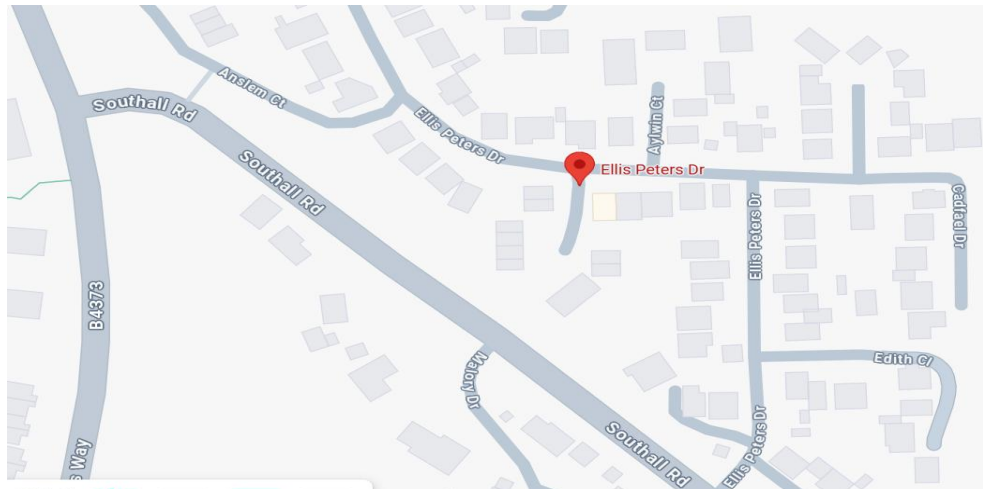
On completion of the review Dawley Hamlets Parish Council should consist of three wards, Aqueduct, Horsehay and Little Dawley, it should retain its current name and remain a Parish Council.

All figures are approximate.

Map 1 - Lawley Gate, Lawley:



Map 2 – Ellis Peters Drive, Aqueduct:



Map 3 - Wellington Rd, South of Myford, Horsehay



Map 4 – Upper Pool Hill Road and Station Road, Horsehay

