

## **MIDLOTHIAN COUNCIL**

### **Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973**

#### **Proposed Amendments to the Council's Scheme for the Establishment of Community Councils**

Notice is hereby given, that Midlothian Council, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Section 53 (1) of the above mentioned Act, proposes to amend the Scheme for the Establishment of Community Councils.

The consultation process will be held over 90 days, finishing on Wednesday 19 May 2021. The consultation period shall address the **Proposed merger of Bonnyrigg and Lasswade Community Council and Poltonhall and Hopefield Community Council.**

The proposal will see the creation of a new community council, Bonnyrigg and District, with the boundary encompassing the two existing community council areas.

A plan of the proposed amendments to community council areas and disposition may be examined:-

On the Council's website, at:

[https://www.midlothian.gov.uk/info/200284/your\\_community/534/community\\_councils/3](https://www.midlothian.gov.uk/info/200284/your_community/534/community_councils/3)

Any person or organisation wishing to make written representations on the proposed amendments should email them to [CLL@midlothian.gov.uk](mailto:CLL@midlothian.gov.uk) within a period of 90 days from publication of this Notice.

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