

# LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH ACT 2007

## The Northumberland (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Parishes of Blyth and Seaton Valley) Order 2018

Made ---

7th March

2018

*Coming into force in accordance with article 1(2)*

Northumberland County Council (“the council”), in accordance with section 82 of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 (“the 2007 Act”), has undertaken a community governance review and made recommendations dated 1 November 2017.

The council has decided to give effect to those recommendations and, in accordance with section 93 of the 2007 Act, has consulted with the local government electors and other interested persons and has had regard to the need to secure that community governance reflects the identities and interests of the community and is effective and convenient:

The council, in accordance with section 100 of the 2007 Act, has had regard to guidance issued under that section:

The council makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 86, and 240(10) of the 2007 Act.

### **Citation and commencement**

1. (1) This Order may be cited as the Northumberland (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Parishes of Blyth and Seaton Valley) Order 2017

(2) It shall come into force on the day after which it is made

### **Interpretation**

2. In this Order—

“county” means the county of Northumberland}

“map” means the map marked “Map referred to in the Northumberland (Reorganisation of Community Governance) (Parish of Blyth and Seaton Valley) Order 2017” and deposited in accordance with section 96(4) of the 2007 Act: and any reference to a numbered sheet is a reference to the sheet of the map

which bears that number;}

“registration officer” means an officer appointed for the purpose of, and in accordance with, section 8 of the Representation of the People Act 1983.

### **Effect of Order**

3. This Order has effect subject to any agreement under section 99 (agreements about incidental matters) of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 relevant to any provision of this Order.

### **Alteration of Parish Wards**

4. (1) The area hatched and designated by the letter “A” on the map shall cease to be part of the parish of Blyth and shall become part of the parish of Seaton Valley.  
  
(2) The area hatched and designated by the letter “B” on the map shall cease to be part of the parish of Seaton Valley and shall become part of the parish of Blyth.

### **Electoral register**

5. The registration officer for the county shall make such rearrangement of, or adaptation of, the register of local government electors as may be necessary for the purposes of, and in consequence of, this Order.

### **Order date**

6. 1st April 2018 is the order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) (England) Regulations 2008.

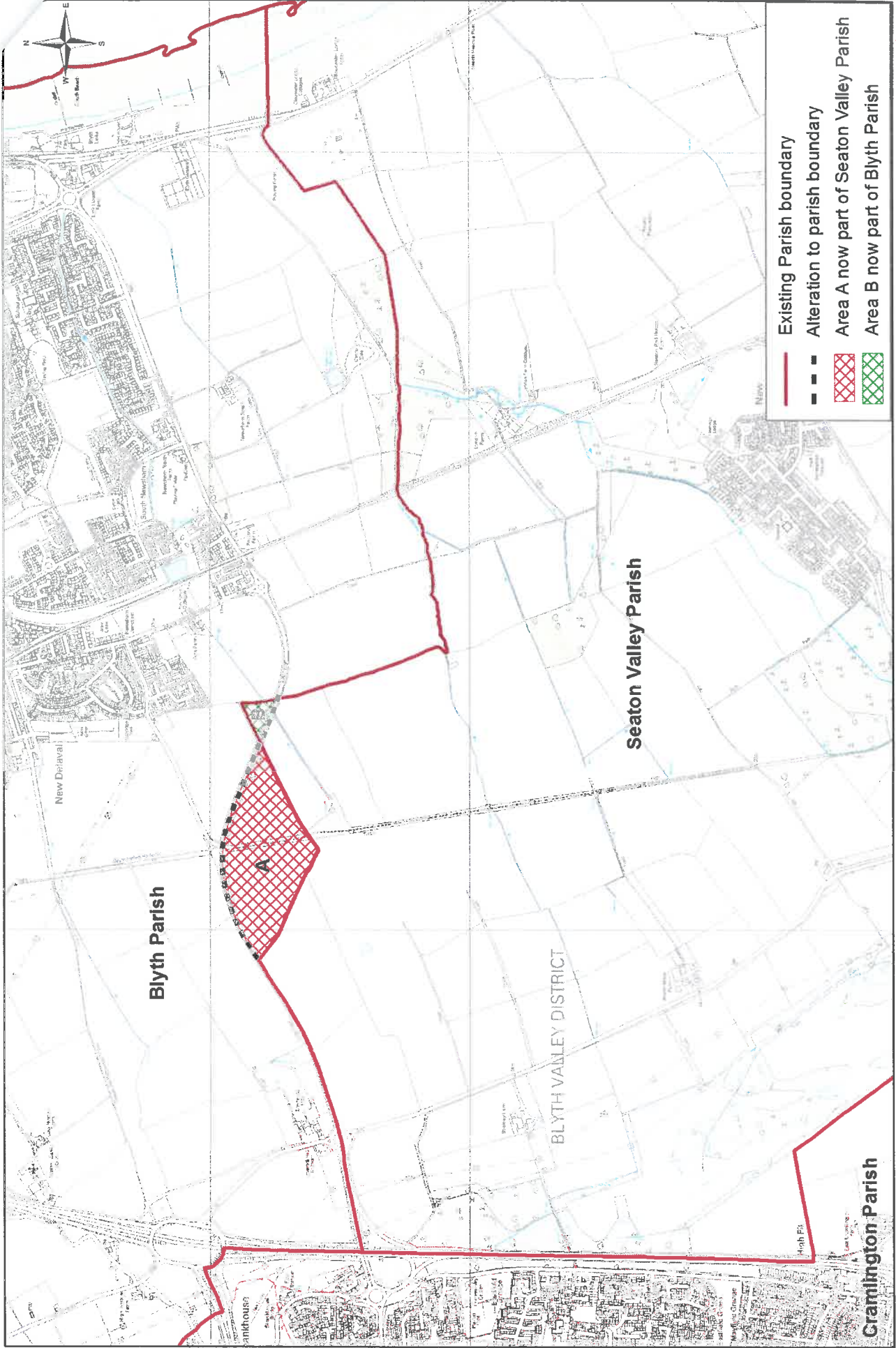
Sealed with the seal of the Council on 7<sup>th</sup> day of March 2018

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**Jackie Roll**  
**Democratic Services Manager**

**Authorised Signatory**

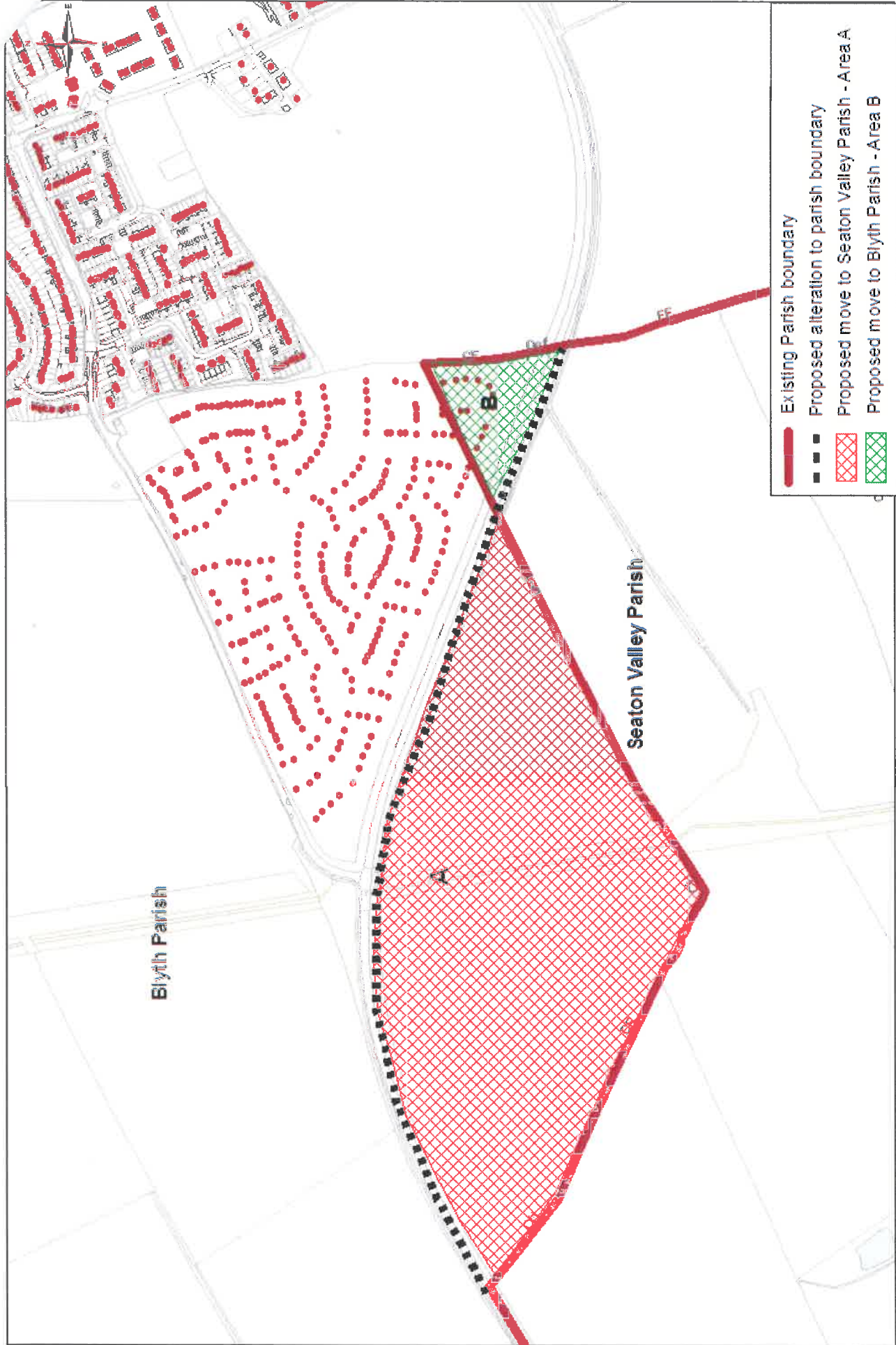




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## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order gives effect to recommendations made by Northumberland County Council for an area of the parish of Blyth to be transferred to the parish of Seaton Valley and for an area of the parish of Seaton Valley to be transferred to the parish of Blyth.

Article 4(1) provides for an area of the parish of Blyth as detailed in the map defined in Article 2 to cease to be part of that parish and to become part of the parish of Seaton Valley.

Article 4(2) provides for an area of the parish of Seaton Valley as detailed in the map defined in Article 2 to cease to be part of that parish and to become part of the parish of Blyth

Article 5 obliges the Electoral Registration Officer to make any necessary amendments to the electoral register to reflect the new parish boundaries.

The map defined in article 2 shows the extent of the area the subject of the Order. It is available, at all reasonable times, at the offices of Northumberland County Council.