

Local Government Elections 2022 – Polling Scheme approved – Authority to Returning Officer.

6 There was submitted a report by the Chief Executive regarding the arrangements for the Local Government Elections on 5th May 2022, advising

- (1) of the proposed polling scheme for the Local Government Elections 2022;
- (2) that Education Services had confirmed that Poll Day would be an in-service day; and
- (3) that due to the on-going review of the UK Parliamentary Constituencies by the Boundary Commission for Scotland, a complete review of all Polling Places and Districts was scheduled for late 2022/early 2023 where all aspects of the Scheme would be examined in consultation with elected representatives and the general public.

After consideration, the committee

- (a) approved the Polling Scheme for the Local Government Elections 2022, as detailed in the report;
- (b) noted that a complete review of all Polling Places and Districts was scheduled for late 2022/early 2023 where all aspects of the Scheme would be examined in consultation with elected representatives and the general public; and
- (c) authorised the Returning Officer to resolve any outstanding issues in consultation with the relevant local members.