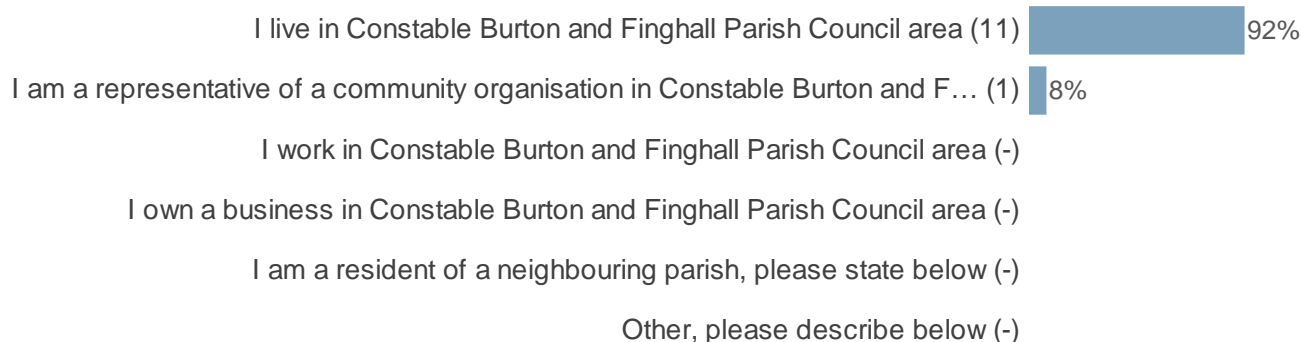


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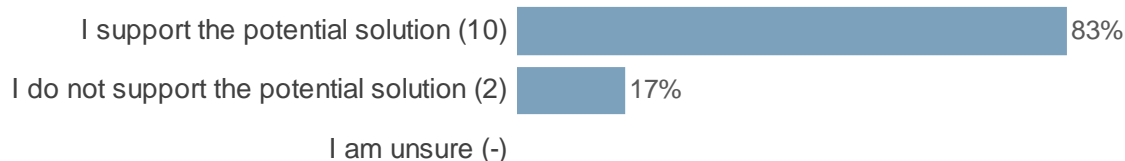


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What is your opinion with the following potential solution to rectify the issue at Constable Burton and Finghall Parish Council?

**Retain the civil parish of Constable Burton with two councillors;
Merge the four civil parishes of East Hauxwell, West Hauxwell, Barden and Garriston to form a new single civil parish represented by two councillors;
Merge the three civil parishes of Finghall, Akebar and Hutton Hang to form a new single civil parish represented by two councillors, with all three civil parishes forming a grouped parish council retaining a council size of six councillors.**



Please give reasons for your response:

The solution highlighted would appear to be the best in the circumstances to comply with the requirements.

This seems to provide fair representation for each of the villages within the civic parishes.

So what is changing it will still be the same? Its change for changing sake. There has always been 2 Councillors for Constable Burton two for Finghall I for Hauxwell I for Barden which totals six supporting this is supporting something that has been in situ forever and worked perfectly well. So what needs merging? It is not a solution is it? As Akebar has hardly any properties same for Hutton Hang is this a way of extending a civil parish.

TO allow the Parish Council to operate under the given regulations.

We do not see any reason to change existing arrangements in the parish which have worked well and we do not recognise sufficient case for change simply because the current crop of councillors haven't increased their number sufficiently.

The areas involved each have their own character and should be properly represented. The challenges faced in Garriston will be different to those in Finghall or Akebar. The number of councillors proposed should enhance meaningful communication in the areas grouped in the proposal.

Common sense, the parishes are so small they lack people who may be interested in representing their parish. By grouping them together this solve the problem.

The merger of the four civil parishes to form a new single civil parish seems sensible given the size of those parishes.

This seems a sensible solution and councillor feel it would work well. Kind regards, Clerk to Constable Burton & Finghall PC

Is there anything further you would like to add about this community governance review?

No

There does not seem to be any viable reason to make these changes in this immediate area and cost the Council money in employing people to work on this project.

We were disappointed that the letter to residents didn't explain the situation and potential solution. Very clear to understand once on the website but councillors felt that many wouldn't have understood and so wouldn't have gone onto the website.