

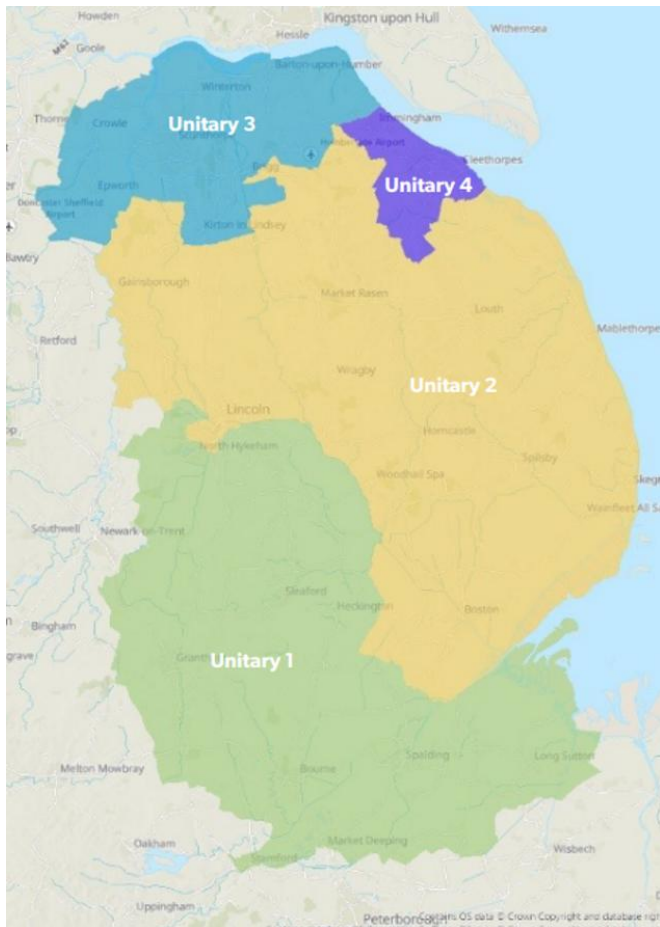
Local Government Reorganisation Decision

July 2026

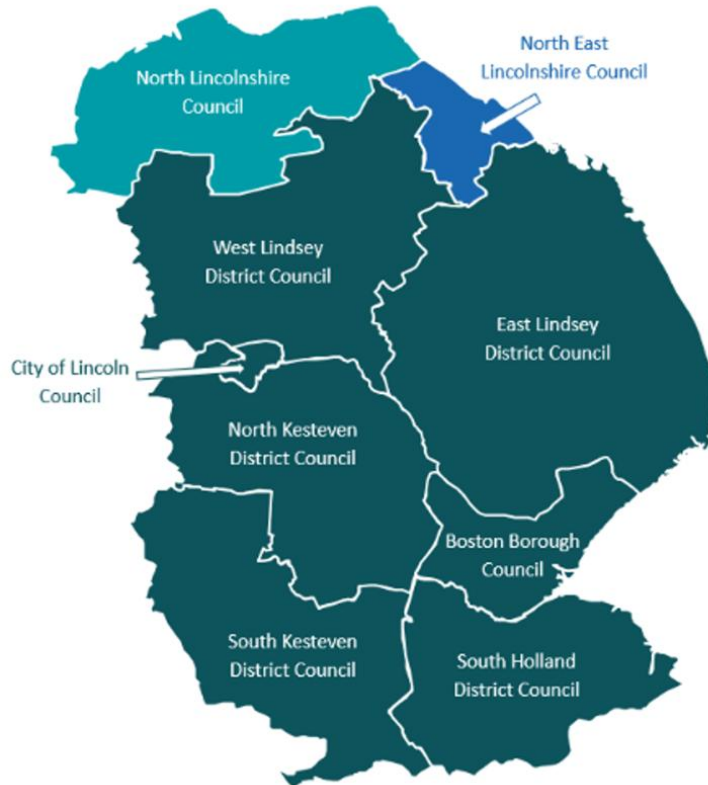


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Recap – 4 Proposals



SK NK Proposal



County Proposal





- 1 Lincoln
- 2 Rural Lincolnshire
- 3 North Lincolnshire
- 4 North East Lincolnshire

**City of Lincoln
Proposal**



SELP Proposal



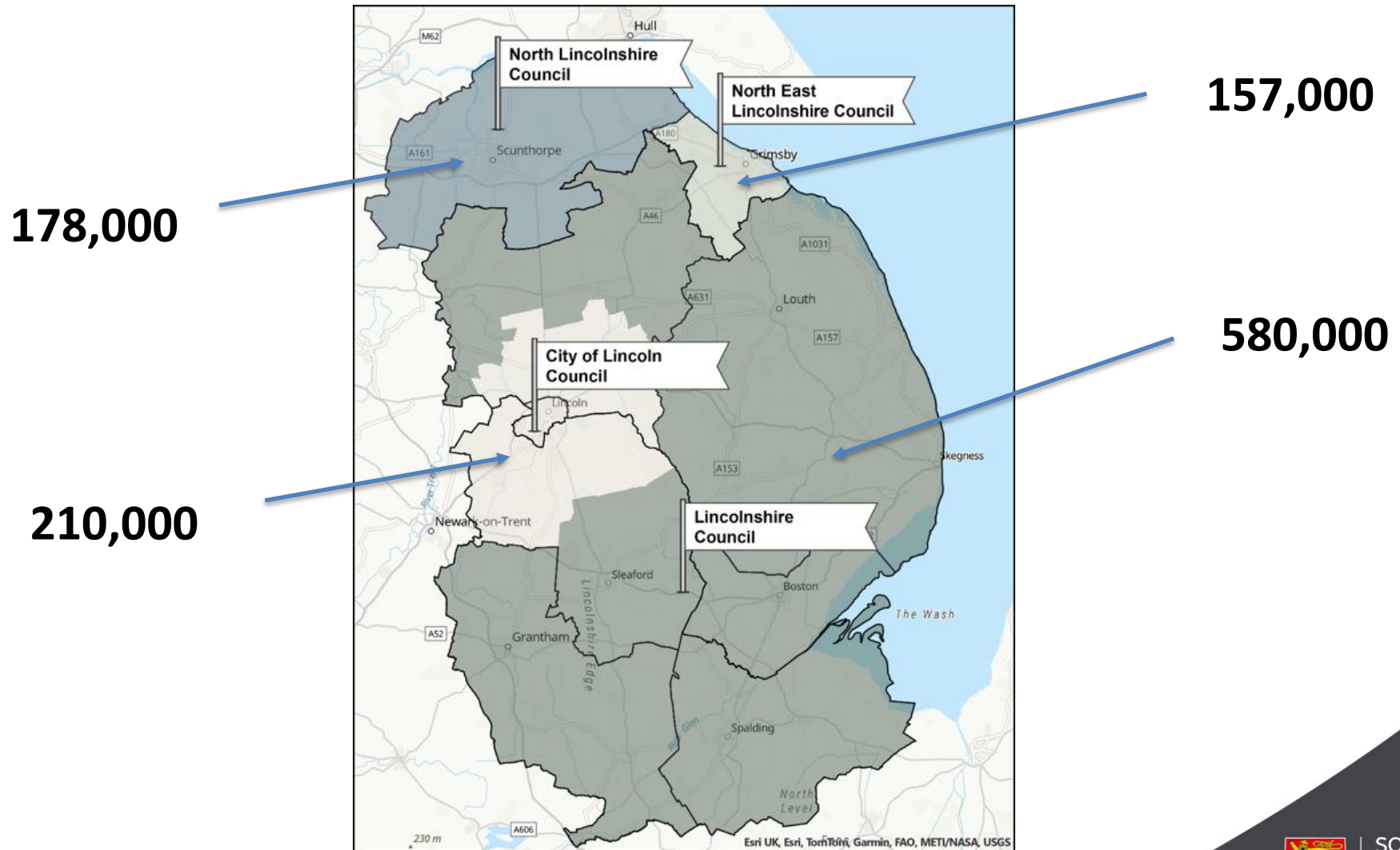


Steve Reed
Previous Secretary of State for MHLCG
took the decision!



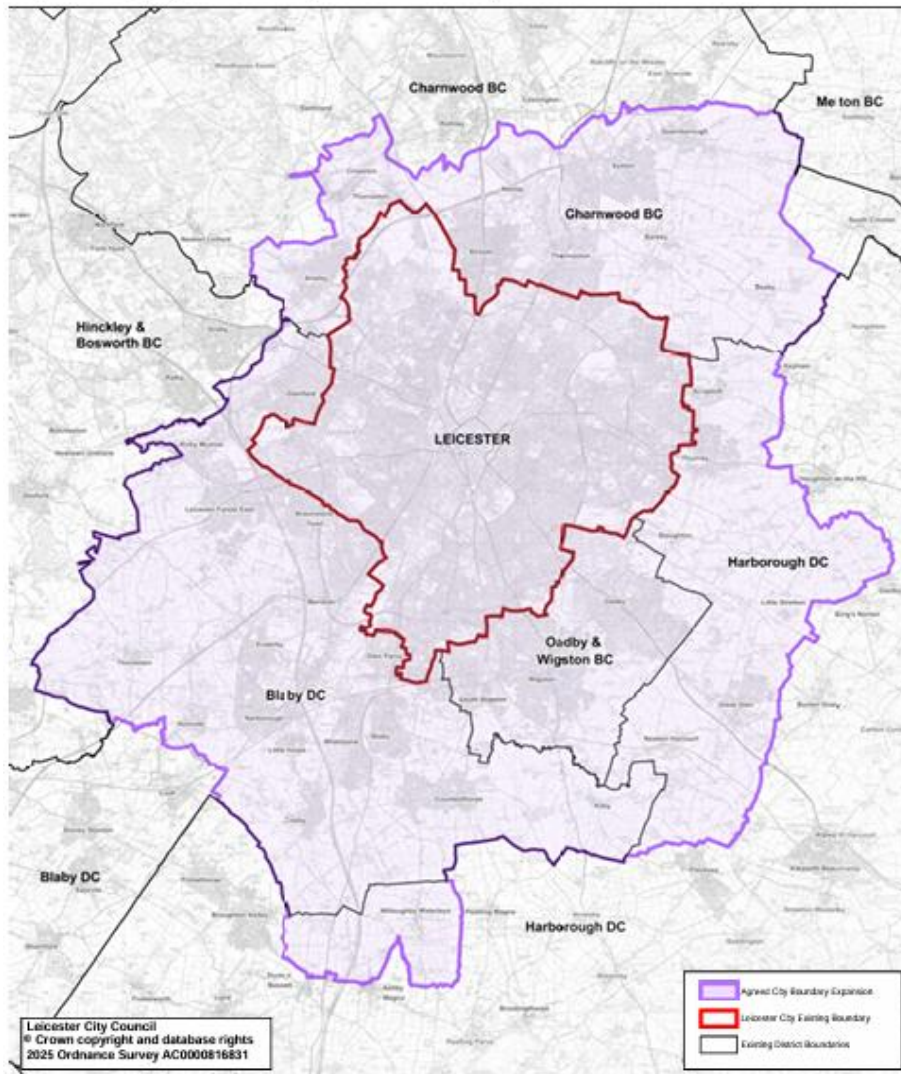
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The Selected Proposal



Leicestershire

Leicester City Council Local Government Reorganisation City Boundary Expansion Plan (Decision Outcome)



Nottinghamshire

LGR | **FUTURE**
NOTTINGHAMSHIRE
Option confirmed

Unitary One

Unitary Two



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Derbyshire

Option B1

Northern unitary council

Southern unitary council



KEY

1 = High Peak

2 = Derbyshire Dales

3 = South Derbyshire

4 = Erewash

5 = Amber Valley

6 = North East Derbyshire

7 = Chesterfield

8 = Bolsover District

9 = Derby



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UA1 – Lincoln Council
65 Councillors

UA2 – Lincolnshire Council
100 Councillors

*Warding yet to be decided. Submission by 17th August 2026



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MHCLG



Angela Rayner
Secretary of State for
Housing, Communities
and Local Government



Jim McMahon
Parliamentary
Under-Secretary



Matthew Pennycook
Minister of State



Florence Eshalomi
Minister of State



Appointments

- Implementation Team Leader
(Senior Responsible Officer -SRO) – Andrew Crookham
- UA1: Deputy Implementation Team Leader
- UA2: Deputy Implementation Team Leader



Voluntary Joint Committee

UA1

8 Members

- 4 Lincolnshire County Council
- 2 City of Lincoln
- 1 North Kesteven District Council
- 1 West Lindsey District Council

UA2

12 Members

- 6 Lincolnshire County Council
- 1 South Kesteven District Council
- 1 North Kesteven District Council
- 1 Boston Borough Council
- 1 South Holland District Council
- 1 West Lindsey District Council
- 1 East Lindsey District Council



Formal Joint Committee March 2027



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Elections

District Elections postponed

Shadow Authority Elections May 2027

LCC & District Councillors continue until 31st March 2028

Shadow Authority Councillors May 2027 – March 2028



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Timeline

- 17th August - Key positions
- Warding
- Voluntary Joint Committee: September 2026 – March 2027
- Structural Change Order: Before Parliament March 2027
- Formal Joint Committee: March 2027 – May 2027
- Shadow Authority: May 2027 – March 2028
- Vesting Day: 1st April 2028

