

No.



**BRACON ASH & HETHEL PARISH COUNCIL**

Carole Jowett



11<sup>th</sup> August 2017

South Norfolk Council  
Electoral Arrangements Review Committee

Dear Sir/Madam  
**Community Governance Review**

Bracon Ash and Hethel Parish Council considered the proposals in the second phase of consultation and unanimously voted to object most strongly to the proposal to reduce the number of parish councillors from 9 to 7.

The parish council is a vibrant, active body and values the number of councillors to share the responsibilities and to provide a wider range of views to successfully represent the community.

A reduction in the number of its members would have a detrimental impact on the council and the community. There has never been any difficulty in filling the council with active members.

Yours faithfully,

Carole Jowett

Clerk to Bracon Ash & Hethel Parish Council