

## HAVE YOUR SAY: THE FUTURE OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN OUR AREA

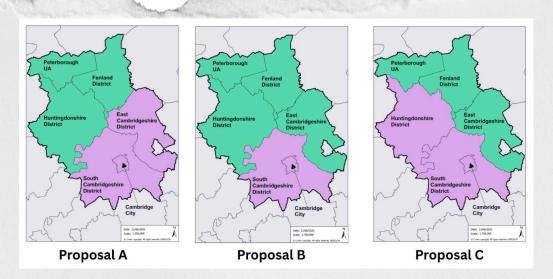
The Government is proposing a major overhaul of local government across Cambridgeshire & Peterborough. By April 2028, the current two-tier system of County, District, & City Councils will be replaced with larger, single-tier "unitary authorities" - responsible for all local services like roads, schools, planning, bins & care.

This is a once-in-a-generation opportunity to help shape what this new structure looks like - your voice matters.

## **Why This Matters to Bottisham**

East Cambridgeshire District Council (which includes Bottisham) serves around 90,000 people. The Government wants new unitary councils to serve 500,000+, meaning we'll be grouped with other areas to form these new, larger authorities.

There are 3 options on the table. Where Bottisham ends up depends on what residents say. For many of us in Bottisham, the answer is clear: our ties to Cambridge and the South Cambs area are strong (A). We use the services, transport links, colleges, hospitals, and amenities in and around Greater Cambridge far more than we do in Fenland or Peterborough.





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