

East Riding of Yorkshire

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Related subject: Hessle Ward

I Think the current arrangement in Hessle is about right, we have 3 Ward councillors representing approx 1500 people and the ratio of 1:5000 seems about right. The Town Council is split into 4 districts which I find is quite arbitrary. I think it would be more sensible to have a whole Town election and the councillors assigned on a proportional basis. A few years ago in 2019 all the 15 elected councillors came from 1 party which cant be good for democracy. A proportional split would have been 10:5.

Generally wards should follow the pattern of natural communities and boundaries should follow natural features, such as fields , rivers, dyke and roads

Attached Documents:

None attached