



Somerset

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The current Somerset Council divisions for Minehead separate a large section of Alcombe and Ellicombe from the rest of the town, resulting in this area being part of more rural division. The electoral separation of this area from the rest of Minehead inevitably creates a lot of confusion amongst residents, many of whom are uncertain about who their division councillor is.

The most logical boundary adjustment would be to change boundaries to be broadly inline with those of Minehead Town Council.

There are also one or two dwellings, as noted in red on the attached image, which for some unknown reason, currently fall outside Minehead Town Council's boundary but which should, for clearly obvious reasons, be included within the redrawn Somerset Council boundaries (and the Minehead Town Council boundary). The ward boundary should also be changed to include the entirety of Seaward Way, as noted on the attached image.

Instead of the town being divided into two arbitrary wards, it would be far more efficient for Minehead to be represented as a whole by two Somerset Councillors who would be able to assist each other in managing their duties and work loads; this would also make it less confusing for residents when they need to contact their ward councillor.

Attached Documents:

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You can use this map to explore the existing arrangements.

Click on the layers on the list in the bottom right hand corner of this map to switch between the different boundaries.

Click on the 'Have your say' button below this map to tell us where you think the new boundaries should be.

