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Hello

I am writing to give my views on the Review of Ward Boundaries in Milton Keynes, in particular on the proposals relating to the village of Moulsoe. I don't think it would be a good idea to include Moulsoe in the same Ward as Broughton and Milton Keynes, due to the differences in the nature of the areas. Moulsoe, where I live, is a rural area and consists mostly of farms and older people, given that the village does not have a school and therefore few young families or younger people. It is a place of rural peace and this does not seem to me to fit in with the demographic of Broughton in particular.

This is not to denigrate Broughton, but it would seem that there are few areas of overlap in administering these areas, rural vs urban; younger and thrusting vs older and settled.

I can see no benefit from either side in being tied together and I do fear, with Moulsoe being the junior partner, it being ignored and not treated with the expertise in rural matters and the respect it deserves.

We use Newport Pagnell as our postal area – it would seem to me that we are more aligned with Newport Pagnell, or Olney, in our needs and interests. Surely it would make more sense to make the demarkation line the new boundary road with Milton Keynes East? These new houses would fit with Broughton and contain people with similar aspirations and needs.

I do not want to live in a village which becomes a square peg in a round hole – you only have to drive through the works near J14 and then suddenly come upon the beautiful and well-established village of Moulsoe to realise that the new housing and industrial areas belong under different administration.

Thank you for your attention to this heartfelt submission.

Attached Documents:

None attached