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Related subject: Hurworth Ward Council Boundaries

I have read and understand the rationale behind the boundary changes and the need to reduce the current number of DBC councillors. My preferred options are as follows;

1. The current Hurworth boundaries remain as they are, except one boundary stops at the A66.
2. The boundaries remain as they are and include the estates current and to be built opposite the Darlington Arena.
3. Option 2 and incorporate Neasham, which is close to the current ward boundary.

I would prefer not to see the ward boundaries increase in population as I feel we would lose the village feel and perspective. This has already been impacted on by DBC allowing the construction of the Bellway and Miller estates on Roundhill Rd.

Within plans for the new ward boundaries, I would hope that there is still room for a relatively smaller rural ward, even if it means going from 2 to 1 ward councillor.

Attached Documents:

None attached