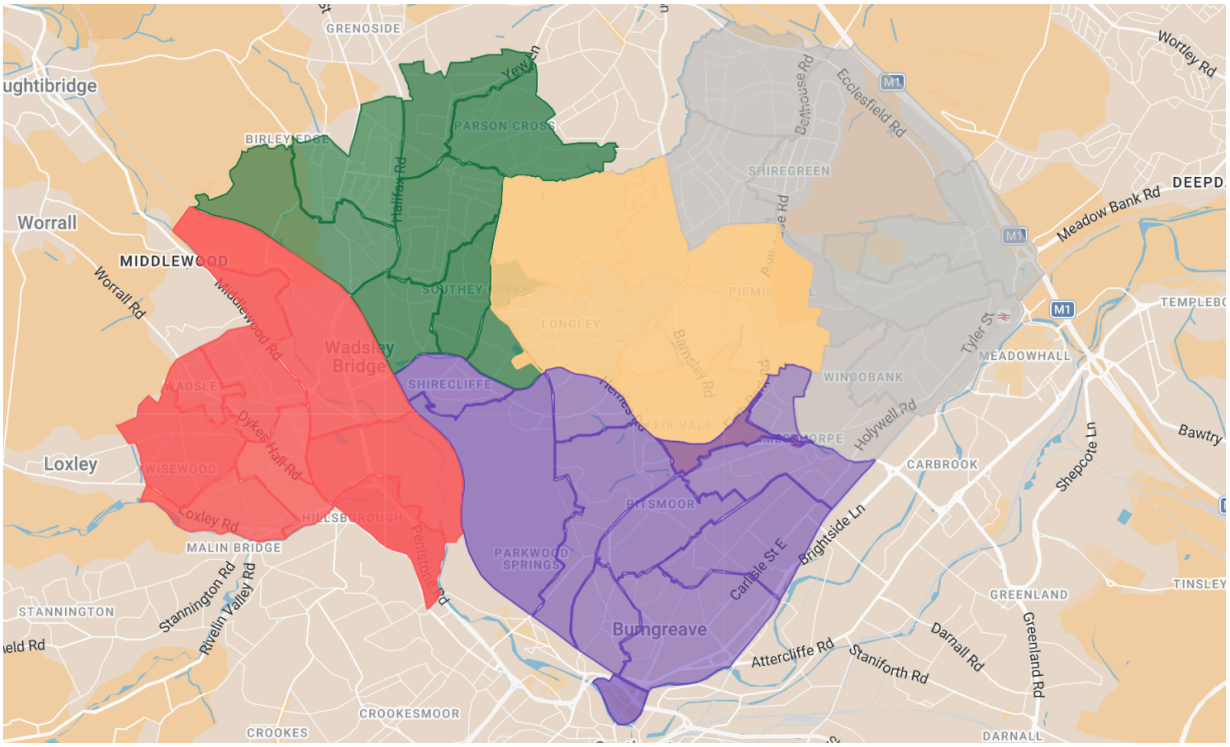
Sheffield Local Boundary Review - Sheffield Brightside and Hillsborough Labour Party Submission on Warding

About you:
Sheffield Brightside and Hillsborough Labour Party is Labour's constituency organisation for the five wards of Burngreave, Firth Park, Hillsborough, Shiregreen & Brightside and Southey wards, in the North East of Sheffield.

This submission on warding arrangements is based on the decision to retain the council size at 84 councillors in 28 wards, with the population of Sheffield is forecast to be 414,897 electors by 2032, with this meaning that an average ward size is 14818

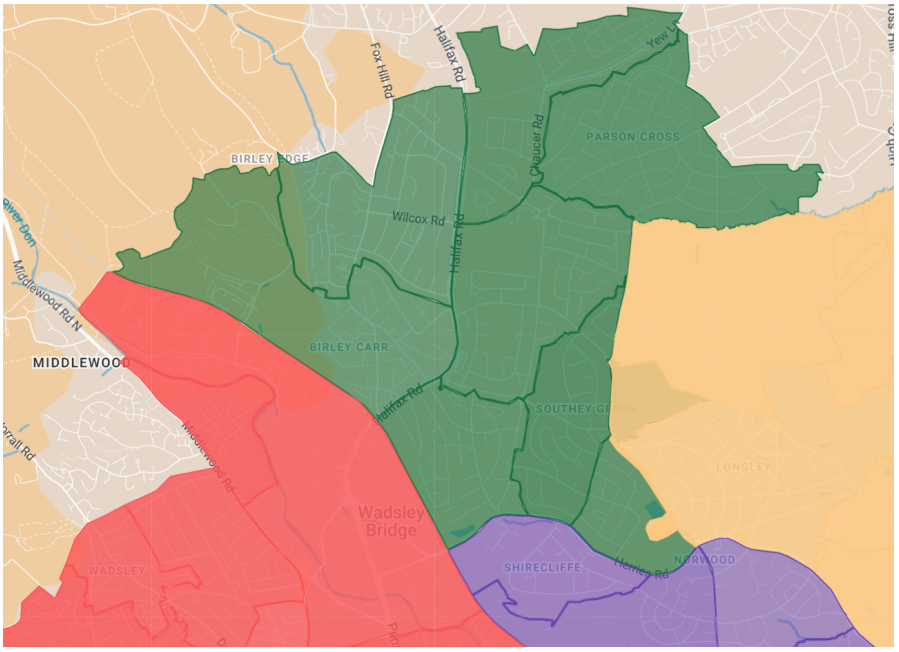


Sheffield Brightside and Hillsborough Wards

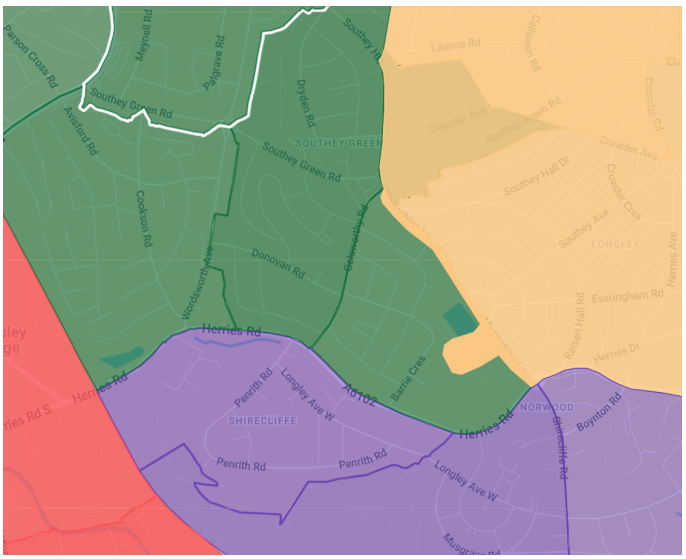
Southey

Electors: 14797 (deviation from average -0.14%)

Changes: WH box moves to Burngreave. The Firth park MG box splits, West of Moonshine Lane/Moonshire Way and Southey Hill moving into Southey, with the rest staying in Firth park (all of Moonshire Lane/Way stays in Firth Park).



New boundary of Southey ward, with the WH box moving into Burngreave, and half of the MH box moving from Firth Park into Southey ward



Zoomed in look at the boundary change around WH and MH

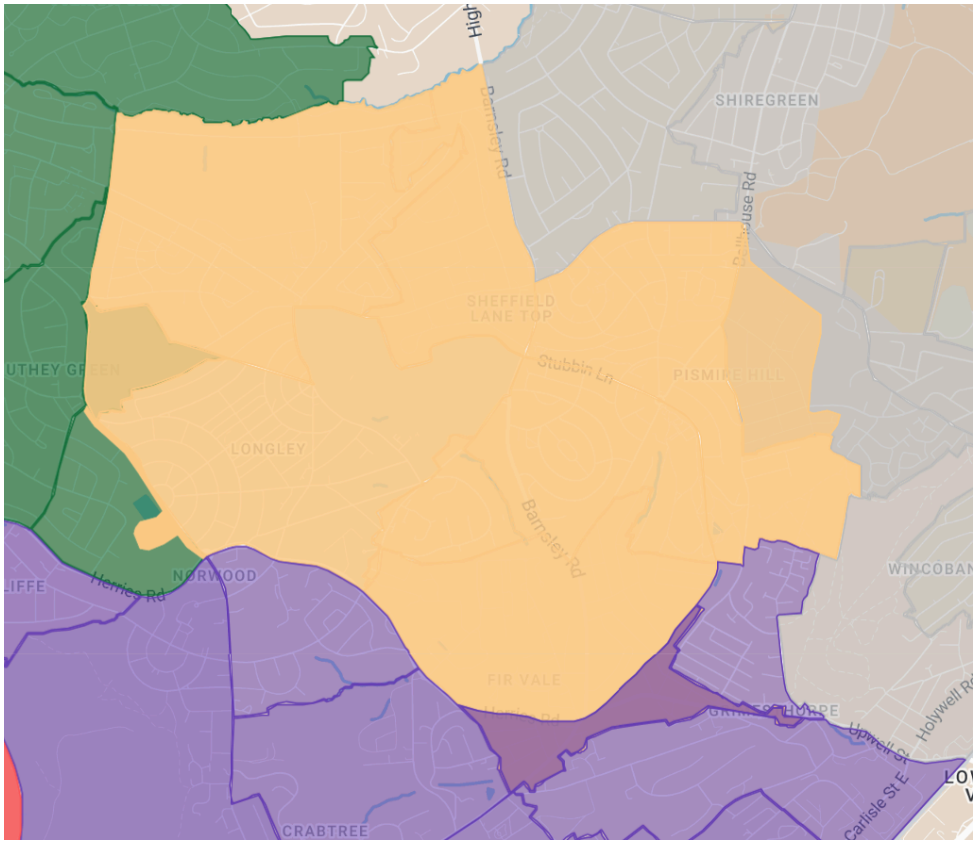
Rationale: This change will unite the historic Southey Green area (MG). Currently the border between Southey and Firth Park cuts the Galsworthy estate in half. This change will put the whole estate into Southey Ward. Similarly the current border with Burngreave cuts the Shirecliffe area in half, the proposed change puts all of Shirecliffe (WH), into Burngreave ward, including Scraith Wood as the natural border line lies along Herries Road.

Alternative: No change 14565 Electors (-1.71% deviation)

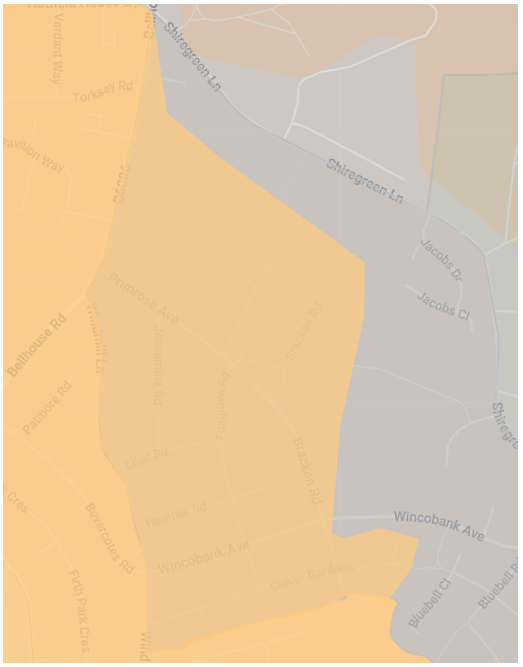
Firth Park and Longley

Electors: 14591 (deviation from average -1.53%)

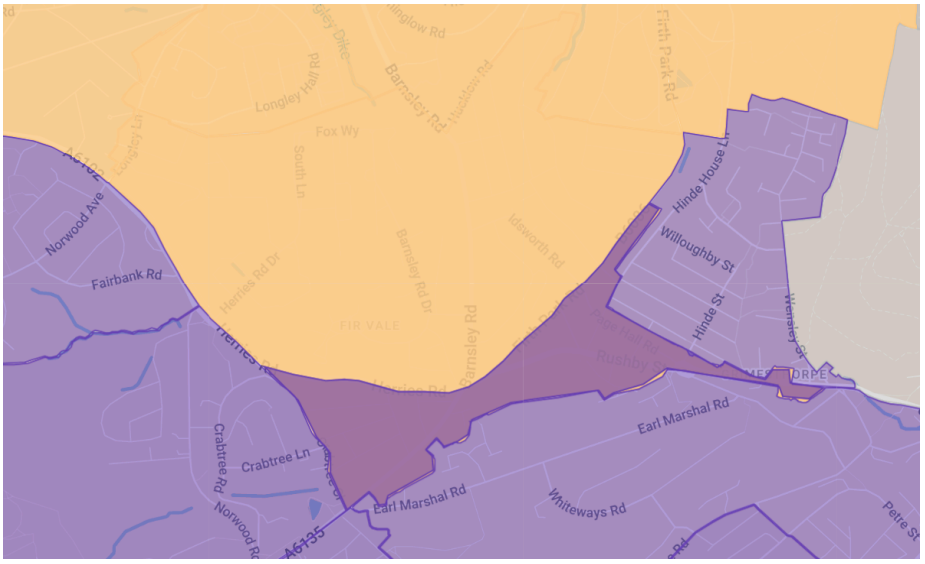
Changes: The Burngreave FD box is split, with the area north of Herries Road and Firth Park Road moving into Firth Park ward. The Firth Park MH box is split with the roads east of Bracken Road, moving into Shiregreen and Wincobank. As above, the Firth Park MG box is split, with the area west of Moonshine Lane/Way and Southey Hill moving into Southey, with the rest staying in Firth Park.



New boundary of the newly named Firth Park and Longley ward, with the FD box north of Herries road and Firth Park road moving into Firth Park Ward, and half of MH and MG box moving into Shiregreen and Southey respectively



New boundary within the MH box, which keeps Bracken Road and side streets staying in Firth Park



New Boundary in the FD box, with the roads north of Firth Park Road and Herries Road moving into Firth Park and Longley from Burngreave

Rationale: These changes unites all communities around Firth Park into the new Firth Park and Longley ward and allows the historic Southey Green area (MG) to move into Southey Ward.

Residents moving from the current Burngreave FD into Firth Park consider themselves to live in lower Firth Park and Firth Park Road/Herries Road form a natural border. The roads moving into Shiregreen & Brightside ward are part of the Wincobank area, the majority of which is already in Shiregreen ward.

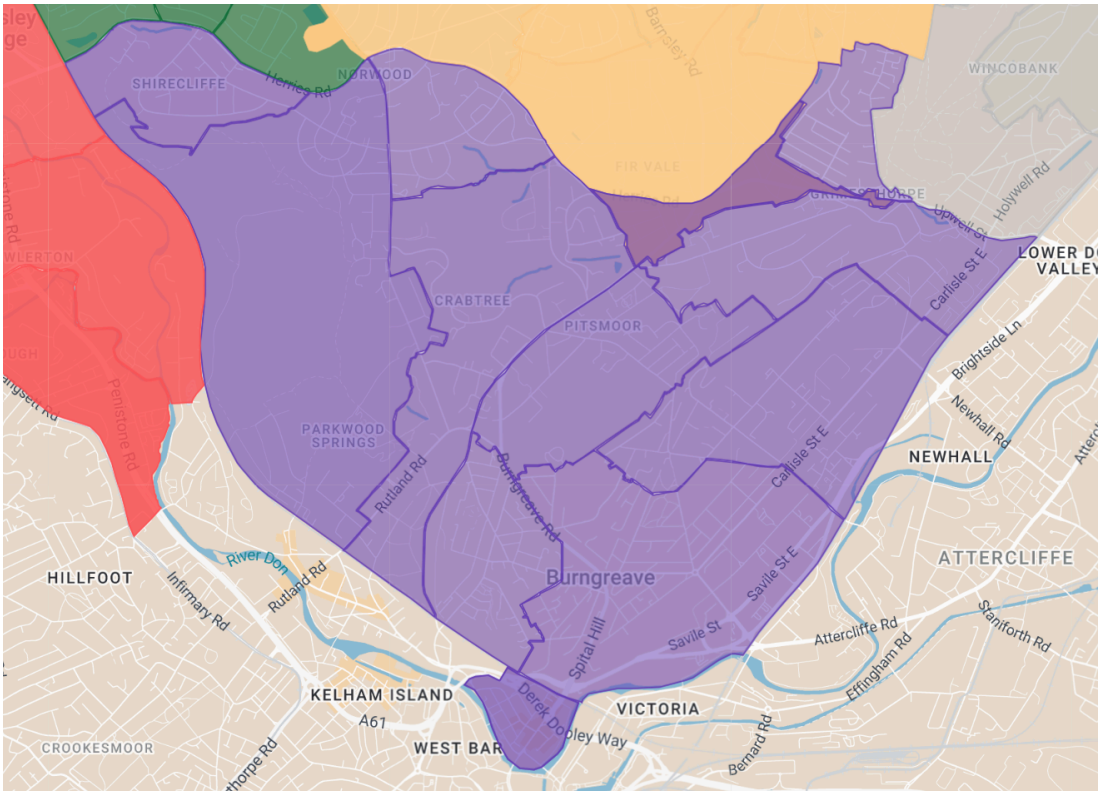
We propose to change the name of the ward to Firth Park & Longley, which better reflects the area - currently many residents in the west of the ward do not identify with Firth Park.

Alternative: No change 14964 electors (+0.98% deviation)

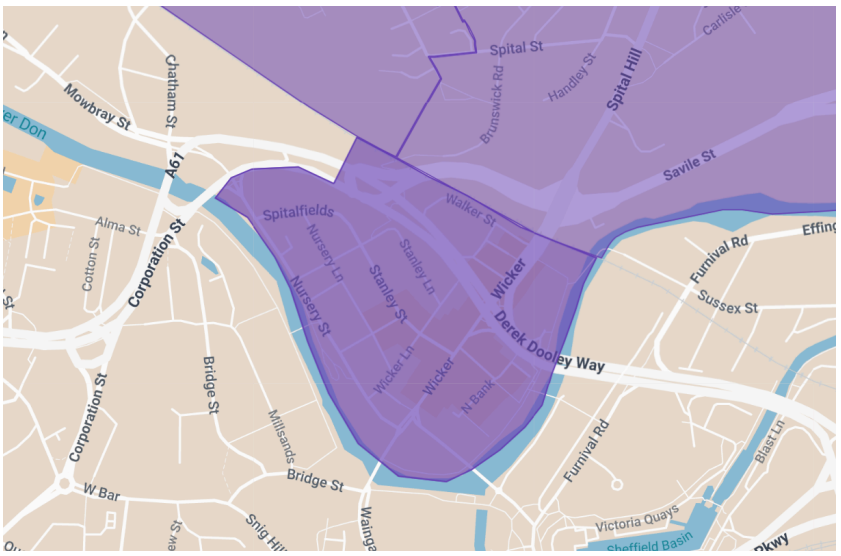
Burngreave and Shirecliffe

Electors: 14718 (deviation from average -0.68%)

Changes: The Southey WH box moves into Burngreave and Shirecliffe. Part of the GE box from City ward along Nursery Street and the Wicker moves into the Burngreave. The FD box from Burngreave is split, with the area north of Herries road and Firth Park road moving into Firth Park ward.



New boundary of Burngreave ward, with WH moving from Southey into Burngreave, part of the GE box around Wicker moving into Burngreave, with FD box split and the north half moving into Firth Park



New boundary around the Wicker and Nursery Street

Rationale: As above, the move of the WH box from Southey will unite Shirecliffe which is currently split between two wards. Herries Road forms a natural boundary with Southey, with Scraith Wood also moving into Burngreave ward. The movement of Nursery Street and Wicker, part of the GE box from City Ward, into Burngreave means that the community organisation SADACCA is in the ward where the majority of the communities it serves are based and unites the shopping areas of Wicker and Spital Hill. Moving part of FD into Firth Park reflects the identity of the residents of lower Firth Park.

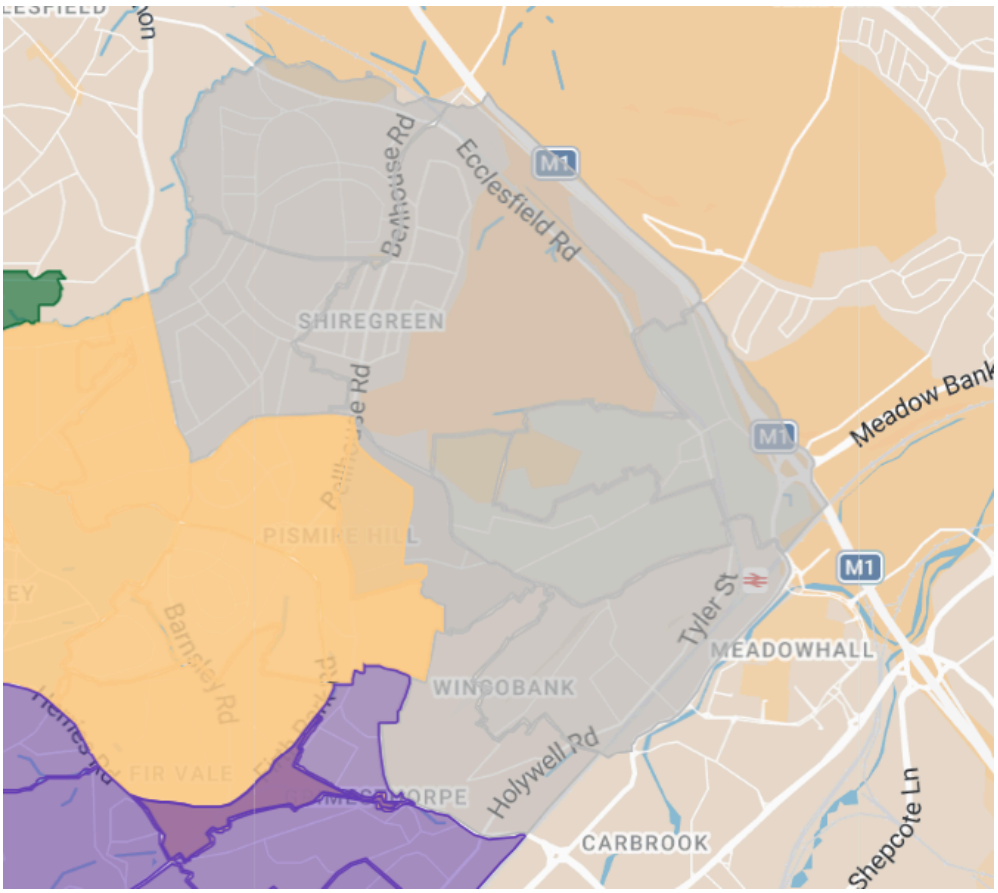
We propose to change the name of the ward to Burngreave and Shirecliffe, better reflecting the geography of the area.

Alternative: No change 15276 electors (+3.09% deviation)

Shiregreen and Wincobank

Electors: 15271 (deviation from average +3.06%)

Changes: Part of the Firth Park MH box moves into Shiregreen and Brightside, with the part west of Bracken Road remaining in Firth Park, and the part east of this around Honeysuckle Road moving into Shiregreen and Brightside.



Rationale: Moves more of upper Wincobank and all of Shiregreen Road into Shiregreen and Brightside. As above this will bring all of Wincobank into one ward.

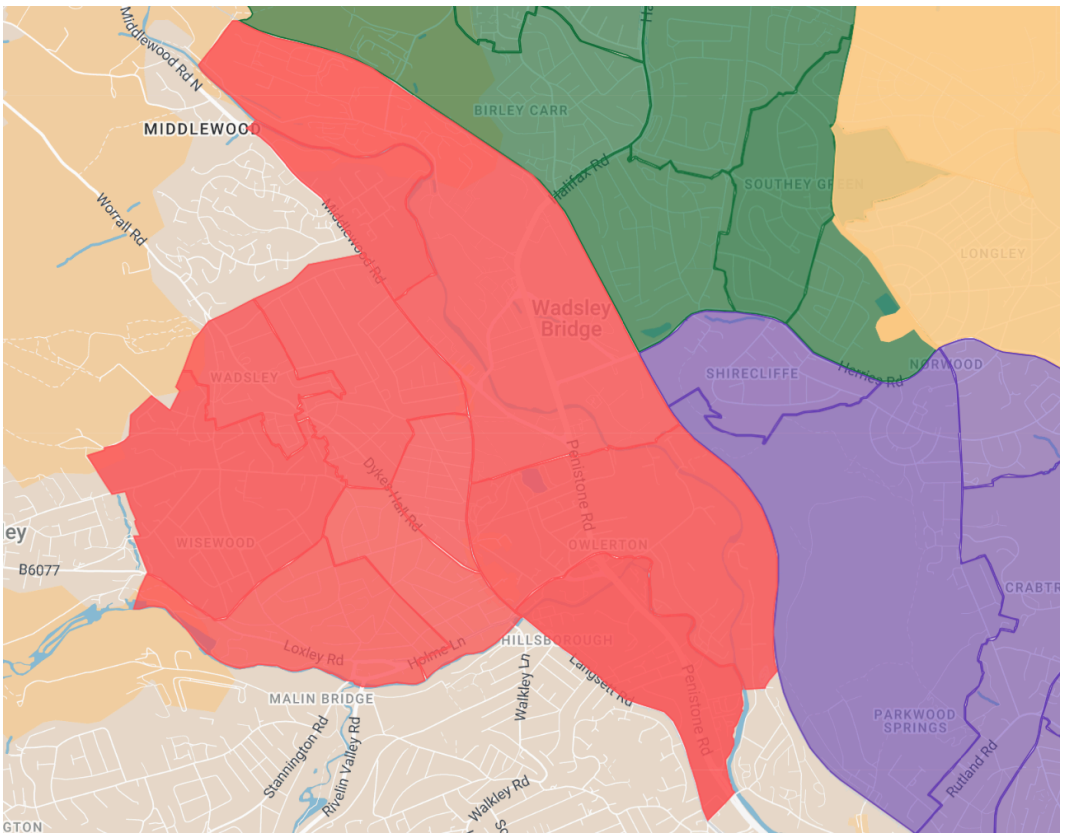
We propose to change the name of the ward to Shiregreen and Wincobank, which better reflects the names that residents use to describe where they live.

Alternative: No change 14222 (-4.03% deviation)

Hillsborough

Electors: 14943 electors (deviation from average +0.85%)

Changes: The QI box of Hillsborough is split, with the area North East of the A61 (Neepsend) going into a new City and Kelham Island ward, and the South West of the A61 (along Infirmary road) going into Walkley.



Rationale: This change means that the developing Neepsend community is able to unite with the neighbouring community in Kelham Island, with the Infirmary road communities being able to unite into Walkley ward. This also removes a part of the ward that sits within the Sheffield Central Parliamentary constituency while the rest of the ward sits within Sheffield Brightside and Hillsborough.

Alternative: No change, 16265 electors (+9.77% deviation)

Appendix - Box Data

Ward	Box	2032 Electorate Forecast
Southey	WA	1556
Southey	WB	1937
Southey	WC	2135
Southey	WD	2216
Southey	WE	1448
Southey	WF	3003
Southey	WG	1495

Southey	MG	1007
Southey	**Total**	**14797**
Burngreave	WH	775
Burngreave	FA	1857
Burngreave	FB	1162
Burngreave	FC	921
Burngreave	FE	1872
Burngreave	FF	1266
Burngreave	FG	1306
Burngreave	FH	1379
Burngreave	FI	1584
Burngreave	FJ	1154
Burngreave	FD	1091
Burngreave	GE	350
Burngreave	**Total**	**14718**
Firth Park and Longley	FD	1683
Firth Park and Longley	MA	2496
Firth Park and Longley	MB	1720
Firth Park and Longley	MC	1498
Firth Park and Longley	MD	2902
Firth Park and Longley	ME	2147
Firth Park and Longley	MH	764
Firth Park and Longley	MG	623
Firth Park and Longley	MF	758
Firth Park and Longley	**Total**	**14591**
Shiregreen and Brightside	MH	1049
Shiregreen and Brightside	VA	2898

Shiregreen and Brightside	VB	1973
Shiregreen and Brightside	VC	2928
Shiregreen and Brightside	VD	2294
Shiregreen and Brightside	VE	1478
Shiregreen and Brightside	VF	862
Shiregreen and Brightside	VG	1789
Shiregreen and Brightside	**Total**	**15271**
Hillsborough	QA	720
Hillsborough	QB	1476
Hillsborough	QC	2007
Hillsborough	QD	2286
Hillsborough	QE	2187
Hillsborough	QF	2804
Hillsborough	QG	1181
Hillsborough	QH	698
Hillsborough	QK	659
Hillsborough	QJ	925
Hillsborough	**Total**	**14943**