

Wokingham Borough Council

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We have lived in Maiden Erlegh since 1976, I am a former District/Borough Councillor having served 16 years, and am currently at the end of my 32nd year as a Town Councillor. We have been through this debate at least twice in that period. The existing layout of wards has proven a fair representation for us, and has been the best iteration so far. The ward is centred around local facilities such as Sol Joel Park, a secondary school and mainly two of the three primary schools, thus the representation is remarkably "tidy". Historically and practically the current boundaries are clear and understood by the residents. Major changes, with elongated shapes are unwarranted. The only practical problem is that of suitable representation for the University students who no longer take the same interest, despite the proximity of voting, thus a few hundred of those entitled to register for voting do not get involved.

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