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Dear Boundary Commission

I am Cllr Jane Brophy, representing TIMPERLEY WARD, of Trafford Council.

Please see below a suggestion that helps balance the numbers from the proposal of my colleague Cllr Julian Newgrosh of the current Village Ward.

To keep the Broomwood Estate of the current Village Ward (Timperley Central) complete, the population of the new "Timperley Central" will rise. To balance the numbers of residents in each of the two Timperley wards, a small part of the existing TIC district should form part of the proposed "Timperley North" ward.

The Lib Dem councillors as well as some residents in Timperley feel strongly that Green Walk, Green Drive, Hardy Drive (and maybe the top of Grove Lane) should be included in "Timperley North", otherwise it disconnects the community around the Moss Trooper pub, Pickering Lodge Park and the area around the Moss Lane shops from everyone else who uses those facilities who live in the existing TIB district.

"Timperley North" ward needs to keep Pickering Lodge Park from a boundary perspective because this ward has one of the lowest amounts of green space per person in Trafford. Removing Pickering Lodge Park from "Timperley North" will exacerbate this issue of low public green space.

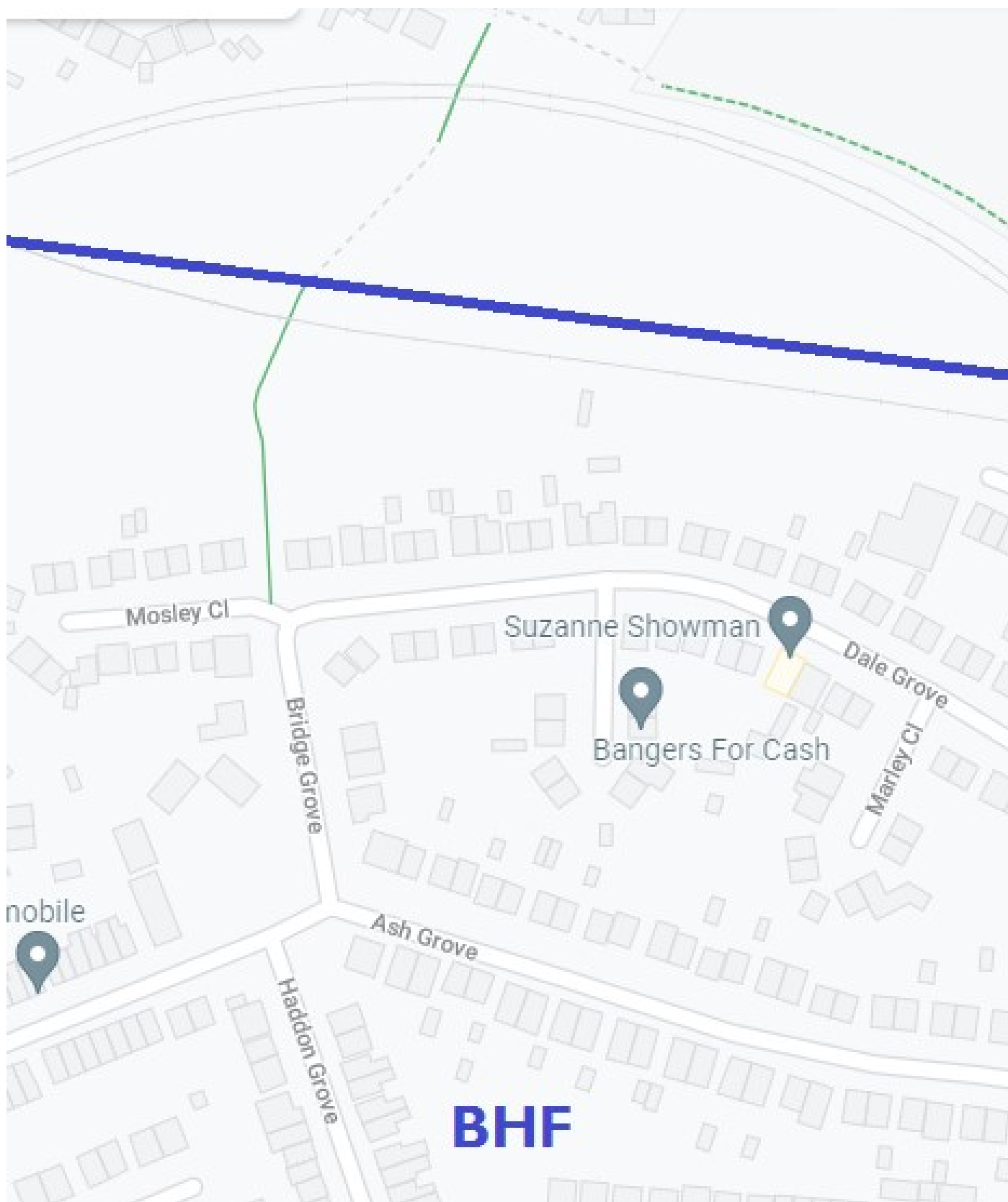
The Friends of Pickering Lodge Park are a group of activists joined together in a non-political basis, with key activists and volunteers living in the area of "Timperley North", who will find themselves in a different ward from the park which they have supported for so long.

By moving Pickering Lodge Park and the surrounding streets into a different ward to the current TIB, the new boundaries would separate the Park from the activists that do so much to support it. Parks Groups like this are needed more than ever in today's economic climate to maintain these public spaces. This current boundary proposal risks breaking up that community and depriving the Park of much-needed voluntary support.

Additionally, the Moss Trooper pub is at the centre of this community and it makes sense for the residents of Green Walk, Green Drive and Hardy Drive to the east of the pub to be in the same ward as the streets in BHF to the west of the pub already are.

By bringing Green Walk, Green Drive, Hardy Drive and possibly the top of Grove Lane into "Timperley North" alongside all of the existing BHF district, the Moss Trooper pub forms the centre of that community.

Please find below a map that gives the details of this area.



Kind Regards

Jane

Cllr Jane Brophy
TIMPERLEY WARD

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