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I have lived on the Blossom Bank development for just over a year. I would oppose any move which puts us in a ward with communities in south west Tonbridge. We look towards different places for our services. While there are local shops and services south of the railway line, for us we use the M&S development on Cannon Lane much more, something we share in common with people living on the Hadlow Road and also in the south east of town in the houses by Hillview School. We feel well represented by our local Councillors in Medway ward. They are extremely proactive and hard working. We have found that the shared experiences that we have with Somerhill Green, another new development, makes sure both are well represented as these are the two most recently built developments in Tonbridge, so I would like them to stay in the same ward. Since living here we have spent a lot of time exploring the local area. We have lovely long walks on the River Medway to the east of Cannon Lane that are very accessible, and Swanmead is the nearest formal area of green space. This contrasts with areas west of the High Street which is much closer to Tonbridge Racecourse Sportsground. Therefore I would be keen that the current Medway ward stays as it is, as far as possible, and if more people are needed then it might be a good idea to bring roads such as Yardley Park Road and The Ridgeway into the ward, where the housing is very similar to that on Hadlow Road.

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