

## Bolton Borough Council

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### Comment text:

I wish to register my objections to the proposals that the Boundary Commission have published for Bolton and in particular for the Astley Bridge ward. I am a local resident of Astley Bridge and believe that the proposals as they stand to would split a thriving community in half. Astley Bridge is a distinct geographic area with a long history, the current boundaries reflecting hundreds of years of local history. I believe that the estates centred around Templecombe Drive, Andrew Lane Park and Eagley Bank should remain a part of the Astley Bridge ward, as it is naturally where they belong. Residents in these areas have a strong connection to the ward, taking part in local community groups, churches, and the local facilities all exist within the current ward. Meanwhile the affected residents have no real connection to the other areas such as Egerton which are included in the South Turton ward. For the most part, these residents have no direct access to the new ward. The proposals to divide the current Astley Bridge ward into part of a new South Turton ward should therefore be reconsidered and revised.

### Uploaded Documents:

None Uploaded