

Stockton-on-Tees Borough Council

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Dear Sir/Madam I am a resident of Stockton on Tees, and have taken a keen interest in the process adopted by the Commission and the responses to the recommendations by various Political Groups, residents, Parish representatives, etc. Although change is always inevitable, it is not always welcome. I viewed the proposed boundary review by the commission as a great opportunity to resolve the community identity for Fairfield once and for all. The area has been picked over by some local politicians for their own purposes. The proposal by the Conservative Group and initially supported by the Commission appeared to finally get it right. However the commission appear to have moved their position. I have extended family who reside in Fairfield. They wish to be associated with Fairfield, I want them to be identified as living in Fairfield, and not represented by a Councillor (Carol Clark) who has made it known in the local media that she is only interested in Grangefield. She spoke unwisely of neighbouring residents and showed her intention is political rather than fairness for community representation. Fairfield is Fairfield and should be represented by a Councillor interested and pushing for the whole of Fairfield. My extended family in Fairfield are wondering why the two present Councillors are only interested in 'part' of Fairfield. Should you wish to visit Fairfield I am only too happy to meet you and show you around Fairfield, and demonstrate why it is not Grangefield. Finally, the commission have this opportunity through the further consultation to put the wrong, right? With Regards to employing another Councillor to accommodate the wishes of Kirklevington Parish Council is simply nonsense, the original proposal by the Commission to have all three Southern Villages in one ward, made for perfectly good common sense. To attempt to make wards fit snugly with Parish Boundaries is simply, the majority of the time, impossible.

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