

## Liverpool City Council

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### Comment text:

I prefer wards to have at least 2 councillors because this allows councillors to work together and cover for each other. I fear single member wards will disproportionately inhibit female candidates with caring responsibilities. The logic of single member wards has not been properly explained and I do not think it will lead to greater accountability. It has been justified as a "reset" which seems to be a simple case of change for change sake. I live in the current Greenbank ward which has three effective councillors from two different parties. The ward will be, split with one 2 member and 2 single member wards being formed. I see no gain in this although the borders have been amended to fit natural boundaries, e. g Smithdown Rd more closely. Given the review will take place I would prefer a review to generate a larger number of two member wards, which I see as the minimum necessary to ensure equity in access for women wishing to be councillors.

### Uploaded Documents:

None Uploaded