

Tunbridge Wells Borough Council

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I strongly object to the boundaries in the south of Royal Tunbridge Wells. This must be about similar demographics (and hence concerns) as much as it should be about numbers. Putting more affluent areas such as the Pantiles and Mount Sion into the same ward as less affluent areas such as Ramslye and Showfields will lead to councillors who represent either the interests of the more affluent, the less affluent, but not both. This will basically means one group unrepresented as all three councillors will likely receive their votes from one group alone. This is tantamount to gerrymandering. The existing ward boundaries are based on historic boundaries, housing types and socio-economic groupings. There's no real need to change things this radically to resolve the numbers issue.

Uploaded Documents:

None Uploaded