

# Gateshead

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## Comment text:

**Related subject:** Reduction of councillor seats

It is my opinion that there shouldn't be a reduction in the councillor seats as the workload is greater than ever with the challenges facing residents, and the council. There is a large amount of paperwork to read through for each committee and the case work is more complex.

In addition there are other outside bodies that many councillors attend and this increases the workload. To reduce the number of councillors would increase this workload further and I believe would be unmanageable and Unsustainable.

## Attached Documents:

*None attached*