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Related subject: Widdrington Station

I completely disagree with the proposed changes to the boundaries.

It's like have an East & West with the train lines as the wall .

The community here is physically divided by the rail lines already and many people including local Parish Council , local community groups and the public have for years built up this community as a whole not a this side of the lines or that side .

If we have to deal with separate County Councillors for each side (we already do for Stobswood) then what happens in an emergency like the storm last year ? I know one county councilor who was out all night , the other for this area no where to be seen.

I know as I was a serving Parish Councillor at this time and we implemented a pre planned emergency plan to assist our community.

What happens with planning and who will residents have to consult if concerned .

It would be much better to have us part of Duridge Bay Ward all together it will make sense and easier for election times and for elderly residents to know how they stand .

Whilst this will not directly effect the food bank as we will always supply our community In need , it would be make it hard to have to deal with two sets of councillors or a whole new system of Parish Council etc .

Please consider this idea carefully and either encompass the whole of Widdrington Station in one ward or leave it how it is .

Kind regards [REDACTED]

Attached Documents:

None attached