

Gateshead

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Related subject: The boundary changes at Barmoor/crawcrook

As a 62 year old Rytonian I would like to strongly disagree with the proposed boundary changes to Barmoor and Fairfields in Ryton.
For the following reasons,

- . Barmoor has not got an affiliation to Crawcrook .
- . Barmoor,also known locally as west Ryton has closer ties to Ryton village historically.(Most of the workforce in Barmoor pit were Ryton born and bread as I am)
- .Our local councillors have admitted that it is purely a number crunching exercise with Barmoor fitting the correct number.
- .This decision was made without full local consultation with the residents.

(We believe that we may have a legal case against Gateshead Authority if this goes through)

.the other options include moving Stella boundaries to Blaydon (the residents are more affiliated with blaydon historically.

If you could also consider Stella riverside as this is a new community with no historical ties.

I understand that the boundaries Commission has the power to allow above or below the 10% variations as they are guidance and not law.

. Ryton and crawcrook are two separate entities with different communities,football teams and outlooks.

As a resident I wish to strongly disagree with the proposed boundary changes and urge you to arrange a local meeting for people to air their views.

Regards [REDACTED]

Attached Documents:

None attached