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Related subject: Ryton, Crookhill and Stella

Strong opposition to change of Barmoor from Ryton, Crookhill and Stella to Crawcrook and Greenside Ward:

Subject: Strong opposition to the change of ward for Barmoor and associated residents for the following summarised reasons:

- Barmoor has always been in Ryton for well over 100 years.
- green belt between Barmoor and Crawcrook has been maintained to differentiate between communities.
- Barmoor as a community identifies with Ryton significantly more so than Crawcrook.
- There is a high chance property value will be impacted by the change in ward, something that has not been properly considered.
- new housing developments are being given priority over a community that has long before been associated with Ryton.
- Polling station is currently at the rugby club opposite Barmoor residents. The proposed change would result in an increase in travel time to the station for an aging community.
- Many residents are invested in charitable organisations such as Brighten Ryton.
- Stella estate would end up in Ryton ward as part of the changes, Stella is so much further from Ryton.

Summary: Barmoor as a community identifies with Ryton and not Crawcrook. This move would be hugely detrimental to Barmoor.

Attached Documents:

None attached