

Bradford

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Comment text:

Dear Sir/Madam

I write in respect of the review of the boundary of Baildon ward (ward 1) in the Bradford Metropolitan District.

I have lived in Baildon ward for over 50 years and between 1997 and 2012 I was one of the Baildon ward councillors on Bradford MDC.

I have been alerted to a proposal to slice away part of the current Baildon ward and add in part of Eldwick (currently in Bingley ward). I object most strongly to this proposal. Eldwick and Baildon are separated by a 2 mile drive over Baildon moor. There is zero community connection. I can understand this proposal only as an exercise by some political party in gerrymandering,

Prior to 2004 Higher Coach Road (incorporating Titus Salt School) was part of Baildon ward. This polling district currently sits within Shipley ward, but also sits within the boundary of Baildon Town Council. It has a natural affinity with the rest of Baildon.

I gather Baildon Town Council has made its own submission to your review. I assume you have sight of that. I support fully the Town Council submission.

I would be grateful if you would take my comments into consideration.

Yours faithfully

[Redacted signature]

Attached Documents:

None attached