

# Westmorland and Furness

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**Related subject:** Eden Valley and North Pennines AONB

Living on the edge of the North Pennines AONB I feel that the current county boundaries are an unsatisfactory fit for our area. Culturally and economically I feel very much a part of the current Cumberland with Brampton and Carlisle being our centres for shopping and social activities. Our secondary centre is Penrith as we have a once per week Fellrunner service to the town and the town retains a feeling of old Cumberland than any real connection with Barrow and the South Lakes.

Politically we are in the constituency of Penrith and the Solway and it feels unnatural to belong to a North Cumbrian constituency for national politics yet South Cumbria for local government and services.

I strongly believe that the Eden Valley should be locally governed within a Cumberland Council .

## Attached Documents:

*None attached*