

Somerset

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Comment text:

I think it should stay the same, two councillors for each area/ward and the number of wards should stay the same. the case work for the number of councillors is already very high and the remuneration very low and if you increase the workload any more by reducing the number of councillors and making the areas they cover larger populations then the only people who will be able to afford to stand as councillors are white males who are retired or who have large private incomes from pensions. you will harm the diversity on the council and erect barriers to people with disabilities and from ethnic minorities

Attached Documents:

None attached