

# Somerset

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**Related subject:** Monkton and North Curry

I would be greatly disappointed if the plans to separate Stoke St Gregory, where I am a resident, and North Curry are put into action.

The two places are inextricably linked geographically, logistically, socially and historically. There is nearly continuous housing between the two villages, meaning that a wide range of services in both villages are accessed by people from either village. For example, the children from North Curry often attend the preschool at Stoke St Gregory, toddler groups in both villages have a mix of attendees, children from either village may attend Stoke school, events in both villages are attended by people from either place. Also, the C of E churches are covered by the same Reverend, who lives on the outskirts of North Curry, but is an important part of the life of Stoke St Gregory. Also a frequent bus user, we have one bus service that runs from Stoke into North Curry and on into Taunton. Finally, during the winter it is common for Stoke to be cut off from Curry Rivel, while the roads to North Curry remain open.

Having read the 2023 Boundary Commission for England Review, I notice that this suggests the villages should be kept together also, I hope that this is understood by the council. Thank you.

## Attached Documents:

*None attached*