**To The Boundary Commission for England**

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**Re. Milton Keynes Ward Boundary Review**

1. Simpson and Ashland Parish Council (S&APC) wishes to thank those responsible for the review and report, and the careful consideration that it embodies.
2. S&APC is content with the outcome and recommendations as they directly affect the parish. We are particularly grateful to read recognition of our wish to remain within the same ward as our immediate neighbours, Old Woughton Parish Council (OUPC) (Para 54; p.13).
3. S&APC regards the Ouzel Valley name as appropriate for the newly-formed MKCC ward. We are aware of the concerns of OWPC about the potential confusion regarding references to Woughton in the recommendations and are content with their proposal to name the ward Ouzel Valley and Old Woughton.