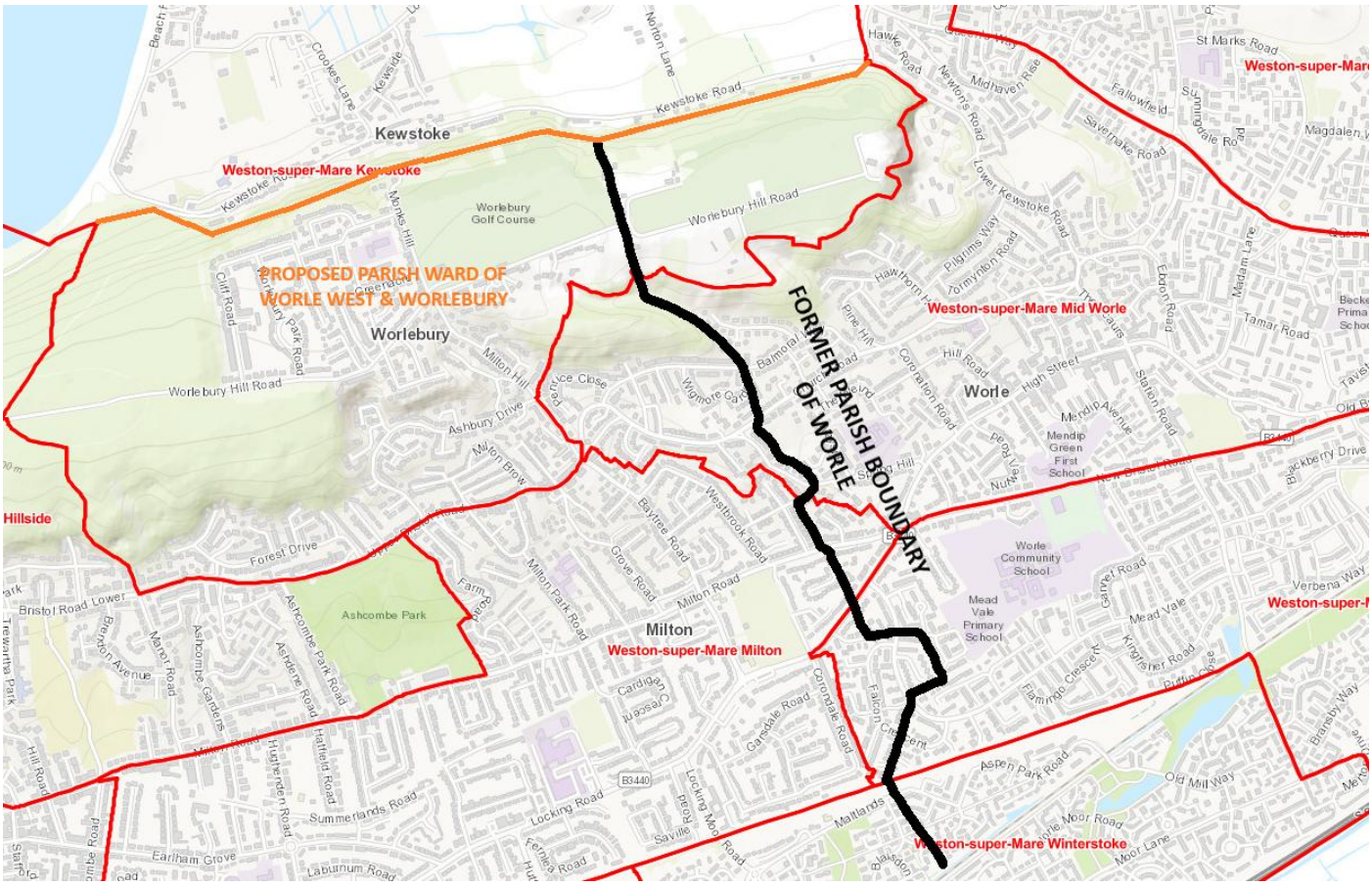
NORTH SOMERSET ELECTORAL REVIEW 2026

COMMENT ON DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

I would like to express my support for the Commission's draft recommendations for all unitary and parish warding arrangements, with one exception in the Worlebury area of Weston-super-Mare.

The Commission has proposed a parish ward named "Worle West and Worlebury", however the residential areas contained within this ward do not include any part of what anyone would consider Worle, and so the Worle West part of this proposed ward's name is redundant.

Admittedly there is no current administrative boundary dividing Weston-super-Mare and Worle but we can make reference to the former parish boundary between the two which existed before Worle was absorbed into Weston-super-Mare parish.



As can be seen, with the exception of a tiny number of rural properties at the east end of the ward, all the major residential areas in this proposed parish ward are nowhere near the former parish of Worle and thus would not be considered part of Worle by anyone today.

Indeed one of the major thoroughfares in the centre of this ward is named Ashbury Drive, a portmanteau name indicating that it leads from Ashcombe Park to Worlebury.

So the parish ward should simply be named "Worlebury", and the Commission should also give consideration to renaming the proposed district ward "Weston-super-Mare Kewstoke and Worlebury" to reflect this.

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Attached Documents:

- nsc-electoral-review-2026-comments.pdf