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Related subject: Ward boundary consultation - Wraxall - The Elms

I am writing to object to the recommendation in paragraph 56 that the Elms should be included within a Nailsea ward. The proposal refers to 'the area’s urban
character', but I would not describe it as urban at all. It is semi-rural, lying adjacent to open countryside and with a valued duck pond, and that is the reason why I chose to live here.
My understanding is that the recommendations seek to reflect community identity. I wish to emphasise that I feel part of Wraxall and Failand Parish, not Nailsea. There have been various consultations in recent years in which residents of the Elms overwhelmingly indicated a wish to remain as part of Wraxall and Failand, and therefore of Long Ashton Ward. If the LGBCE goes ahead with this change, it will put a semi-rural community into an urban ward against the wishes of residents, causing disruption and fracturing local ties.

Attached Documents:

None attached