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Related subject: The Elms, WRAXALL (not Nailsea!).

DEMOCRACY IS UNDER ATTACK:
The residents of The Elms, Wraxall, have already given their overwhelming decision on the proposal to 'adopt' The Elms in to Nailsea. Last year, under North Somerset Council's Community Governance Review the residents responded to the proposal to adopt The Elms in to Nailsea as a resounding NO. We now have to respond to the same proposal but this time delivered by a QUANGO and [redacted]. ([redacted] It is obvious that a QUANGO and a cynical Councillor are determined to ignore democracy...shame on you all.
Wraxall is aligned with The Elms, as is The Elms with Wraxall. To say the residents of The Elms use the 'facilities' of Nailsea is a farce.It could be said of any village, with no facilities/amenities, that they are more aligned with the local town where the requisite facilities are available. For example, Banwell has few amenities and the residents have to use the resources of Weston-Super-Mare, however they are not considered to be part of Weston.
The LGBCE, if they were truly concerned about equality and governance should have been involved in 1998, when The Elms was being constructed, to resolve the issues they now say exist. The only reason the LGBCE are involved,now, in July 2026, is because a spiteful Nailsea Town Councillor, who has already been defeated by democracy, is using you, a non demographic channel, of achieving a personal vendetta.
The points of referral used by Nailsea Town Council in the North Somerset Community Governance Review or exactly the same points now being delivered by the LGBCE (wording altered). The original proposal was rejected by the residents of The Elms, so please do not (as a QUAGO) ingnore DEMOCRACY.

Attached Documents:

None attached