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**The Review Officer (Reigate and Banstead)
Local Government Boundary Commission for England
14th Floor Millbank Tower
London
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Dear Sir

I write in respect of the proposed ward boundary changes for Reigate and Banstead with particular reference to the important local communities of St John's and Meadvale. We discussed this at a recent Society meeting and suggest that the proposed new boundary be amended to include a larger part of the original ward, thus avoiding the division of Meadvale. Without access to the voting numbers we cannot suggest precisely where the boundaries should be drawn but it seems that there would be scope to compensate by adjusting the southerly boundaries. We would also urge that the names of the two distinctive village areas be retained and suggest "Meadvale and St John's with Earlswood Common".

Yours sincerely

