Warwick District

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As a Warwick Town and District Councillor for the Woodloes Ward in Warwick, I am very pleased that the Commissioners have accepted the recommendations made in the WDC submission by recognising the communities of Warwick when deciding the proposed new Warding. However I would like to plead for the name to be changed from the proposed Woodloes Ward to the more generic Warwick North Ward, as the WCC Division is also called. While I understand that the Ward and the Division are not totally coterminous the area is commonly know either by the two individual estates; Woodloes and Percy collectively as Warwick North and I know resident would prefer the Ward to be known in this way, especially as this was the name of the ward prior to the last WDC review! The other issue I would like you to review is the small area north of the Emscote Road, which has been incorporated in the Myton and Heathcote Ward but this is not how these resident see themselves. The development off Campriano Drive along side the railway line is very much part of the Emscote Road community and therefore the Warwick North community. Similarly the rest of this little area from Wharf Street northwards looks towards the Coventry Road (Cliffe Hill, Cliffe Way etc) and would, therefore align with the Saltisford Ward. You may argue that this is not how they have been warded in the past however this is the time to correct past anomalies within the community areas. In effect the Myton and Heathcote Ward should cease along the Emscote Road and the areas to the north be incorporated into both your proposed Woodloes and Saltisford Wards to truly reflect the known communities of the area. I realise I do not have the electoral numbers for these two areas but they are fixed in that there will be no development in these areas to alter the numbers in the future so the change can be accounted for with some assurance. It just feels like this small area of the town has been tagged onto the Myton & Heathcote ward, I am suspecting due to numbers and I would ask that you look again at this small anomaly. Thank you Cllr Moira-Ann Grainger

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