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Dear Local Govt Boundary Commission

I write as a longstanding Cllr of 15 yrs in District and 28yrs on Parish, born in Coniston with family business connections in the represented Crake Valley.

My fear in creating 2 Member Ward, not only goes against Electoral Cycle of SLDC which in a four year cycle results in this area of a very high turnout at Elections. A more frequent voting regime would not only lead to VOTING FATIGUE - but restrict the opportunity for Councillors to start and see through Projects.

VOTING BY THIRDS DOES NOT SUIT SLDC- Single Member Wards in Rural Areas voted in for having Local Knowledge with All Out Elections are preferred Option. But being where we are with the ruling Liberals ( Most of whom do not want these new proposals) I would ask that you view the Conservative proposals as the least damaging.

Coniston, one of suggested two member wards once asked the nearby Community if on changing the name of their Twinning organisation to include ' And District ' to the name asked "would you like to join in and were told in no uncertain terms " who did we think we were, asking them to play second fiddle'. , ! How I ask with responses like that can you work constructively in 2 member wards

Individual Representation by people who know residents and needs of the locality is what people want AND the reason we currently get High Voting Turnout- Don't Kill that interest.

Yours

Anne Hall

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