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The Eastern end of the ebbsfleet new town is geographically part of Swanscombe and by adding it to the Greenhithe borough seems a little strange. Surely the dividing line for the ward should bisect the ebbsfleet new town area splitting it equally between Swanscombe and Greenhithe. The figures forecast the greenhithe ward population virtually doubling to 10,000 with only 3 councillors. While Swanscombe ward stays around 5-6000 with the same number of councillors. This seems a poor division of population. By separating the ebbsfleet section from Swanscombe you further increase the divide between two communities that will (and in the shape of a pub and school already do) share a lot of facilities as well as being impacted by a lot of the same issues. A re-examination of this boundary would make sense to me - At the very least consider creation of a new ward for the ebbsfleet new town area taking perhaps one councillor from the total in Swanscombe and Greenhithe?

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