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From: Parish Clerk [REDACTED]

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To: reviews <reviews@lgbce.org.uk>

Subject: Proposed Lincolnshire Ward Boundary Changes

Please find attached letter regarding proposed ward changes in Lincolnshire.

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31 May 2016

Review Officer (Lincolnshire)
Local Government Boundary Commission for England
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Electoral Review of Lincolnshire – Further Limited Consultation

Dear Sir

Morton & Hanthorpe Parish Council would like to comment on the proposed changes put forward in the latest Electoral Review recommendations.

The latest proposal for changes to the boundaries show that the hamlet of Hanthorpe and part of Morton village is to be separated from the main body of the parish (Morton & Hanthorpe Parish) and will be included in Folkingham Rural.

This will mean that, in future, our parish will have two county councillors, one representing the main body of Morton and the other representing the West part of Morton and Hanthorpe.

As Folkingham Rural will be fairly extensive in area the councillor for Folkingham Rural would have a number of small parish councils to represent and electors would have to travel several miles for future County Council elections, instead of the ½ to ¾ mile presently required.

Parish Councillors consider that the latest proposal is an impractical and unnecessary change and suggest that the proposal for Morton & Hanthorpe Parish is reconsidered and that the whole of the parish is dealt with together, as suggested in the earlier – December 2015 - proposals.

Yours faithfully

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