



WOMEN'S WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP
St. Christopher's Church, Hinchley Wood.

Chairman: Jean Hayes, [REDACTED]

21st July 2015

The Review Officer [Elmbridge], London Government Boundary Commission for England,
14th Floor Millbank Tower, Millbank, London, SW1P 4QP

Dear Madam / Sir,

RE: Elmbridge Ward Boundaries Change – consultation on draft recommendations by 24.08.15.

I am writing on behalf of the above organisation. We meet monthly for talks and companionship, we organise outings and each year we have a specific charity for which we raise money. Currently we use Hinchley Wood Senior School on Claygate Lane for meetings as our church premises are used for other activities on Wednesday evenings.

I wish to agree with the plan to keep Hinchley Wood with Weston Green and prevent the splitting of Hinchley Wood community, as was the previous plan. However, I object to taking Lynwood Road development out of this, as this still splits our small area off from our village and all the amenities we use.

I object on Criteria 2 'Reflecting the interests & identities of local communities'. We have nothing in common with Long Ditton. We have no members from long Ditton. All our local ties are with Hinchley Wood. We walk to the shops in the parade, we have a lunch club at Georgies' Coffee Bar, we meet friends there. We walk to Hinchley Wood station. We use those shops and transport links. We welcome ladies [& gentlemen & visitors] of any faith or none and so play a role in furthering tolerance and cohesion in our community. Thus we aid our church in its role as a Community Hub. Our boundary is not along the small one track railway southwards to Hinchley Wood station but along the main line which separates us from long Ditton.

I object on Criteria 3 'Promoting effective and convenient local government'. Our meetings have featured our local councillors and a past Mayor, Janet Turner, who is also our local councillor and happens to be a current member of Fellowship. Communication between the council and our group is easy at present and it would be ridiculous if some of our group, including myself, had to relate to a councillor representing Long Ditton.

As to Criteria 1 which seeks to make all wards 'equal' numbers – national constituencies are not equal so why should you ignore my points above in order to try for so-called 'equal' numbers?

As we are about to hold our Annual Garden Party at our vicarage in Manor Road North [across your proposed boundary line] I will ask some of the members to sign this letter to signal their agreement.

Yours faithfully,

Jean Hayes, [REDACTED]

NAMES x

Signatures on 2 pages overleaf.

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NAME

Signature

1. HIDI/HIGHLEY
2. VALERIE HIBBERD
3. PAULINE FRY
4. RUTH HOPWOOD.
5. YVONNE ARNST
6. JEAN HEBBORN
7. EILKEN FOX
8. STEPHANIE POST
9. MARGARET ADAMS
10. Chyvena Corfield
11. HELEN DAVISON
12. GEORGE DAVISON
13. ELIZABETH WALES.
- ~~Jenny W-P~~
14. JENNY W-PENCOCK
15. TED W-PENCOCK
16. Dorothy Day
17. GWENDOLINE BAYLEY.
18. Christa Pearn
19. MARY FINDLAY
20. MOIRA BEARDSHALL
21. RIANNE SMITH
22. Joan Delaney
23. Celia Francis
24. SUE HIGGINS
25. Eileen Griffiths
26. LAUREN PRICE

21.7.15 letter from Jean Hayes.

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27. PATRICIA J MARLOWE

28. KATHLEEN GREY

29. KEN HIBBERD

30. MARY SPURGEON

31. MOLLIE BLACKGROVE

32. Jean Hayes

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