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Sent: 20 June 2016 22:45

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

Subject: Electoral Review of Birmingham

Dear Review Officer for the Birmingham Area,

'Attached' is my response regarding this matter - the Electoral Review of Birmingham.

Please do not put my name, address, signature, email address etc. on your website, thank you.

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18th June 2016

Review Officer (Birmingham),
The Local Government Boundary Commission for England,
14th Floor,
Millbank Tower,
Millbank,
London,
SW1P 4QP.

Dear Review Officer (for the Birmingham Area),

Re: Electoral Review of Birmingham.

I live in the Edgbaston B5 area between the River Rea (**a 'natural' boundary**) and the Pershore Road.

THIS EDGBASTON B5 AREA '**OFFICIALLY**' became Edgbaston **over** 46 years ago (some of our older residents actually remember when its' name was changed to EDGBASTON).

Here are my answers to the following questions:-

1. Do you use transport in the B5 area or Balsall Heath?

Answer: Yes - 80% in the B5 area, 19.5% in the Highgate area (approx.).

2. Do you belong to any community groups i.e. residents association or other groups that represent your area B5 or Balsall Heath?

Answer: Yes I belong to a community group that represents my B5 area.

3. Where do you shop, in Edgbaston/City Centre or Balsall Heath?

Answer: I did practically all of my grocery shopping in Edgbaston Five Ways at Tesco, but the store closed last year and I now shop at Tesco on-line. I still shop in Edgbaston Five Ways at Morrisons for some items (which is increasing) and I also shop in the City Centre. I pop out to get the odd item at my local Edgbaston small supermarket and less so at the small Highgate supermarket.

4. Is your GP/medical services and leisure facilities in the Edgbaston area or Balsall

Heath?

Answer: My GP has always been in Edgbaston and my Dentist is in Edgbaston. If I were to join a Gym I would either join the one in Five Ways or one in the City Centre but at the moment I do not attend a gym etc.

5. What interest in the B5 area that bind the community together or separate it from Balsall Heath?

Answer: At the moment we (myself and other members of the B5 community) are fighting to get out of the Balsall Heath Neighbourhood Plan as most of us who knew about it came out and voted against being included in it (see my previous letter to yourselves explaining what is going on) and this letter also mentions that the economic makeup of the residents of our B5 area is different from that of Balsall Heath, which I believe to be the case from information on a previous questionnaire completed by B5 residents this side of the Pershore Road.

Please note that there is a Questionnaire that B5 residents have been filling in and sending to yourselves (the Local Government Boundary Commission for England) which is not quite accurate. I did NOT WRITE this questionnaire, however the information on the questionnaire is FOR YOURSELVES, THE COMMISSION, AND NOT ABOUT THE NIEGHBOURHOOD PLAN WE ARE CURRENTLY FIGHTING - the questions on this questionnaire are those above AND ARE FOR YOURSELVES, THE COMMISSION, AND ARE RELEVANT TO THE ELECTORAL REVIEW YOU ARE CONDUCTING, AS FAR AS THAT YOU NOW HAVE EVEN MORE ACCURATE INFORMATION ABOUT OUR B5 COMMUNITY.

This is information about myself and my B5 community. I do not get involved in politics, you can do what you think is correct, I just hate 'anyone' having inaccurate information about myself and other B5 residents.

Yours faithfully,

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