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**Comment text:**

I completely support the proposal to move Ampfield Parish boundary to include all of the Straight Mile and Crampmoor. However I note that Ganger Wood which is at the western end of the Straight Mile (A3090) has not been included within the parish boundary of Ampfield although the properties on both sides of have. This wood forms an integral and characteristic approach to the northwestern side Straight Mile from the Crampmoor Lane/Halterworth Lane junction when travelling towards Ampfield. As the proposal is to include the whole of Crampmoor rather than just a handful of houses at the eastern end of Crampmoor Lane, it is suggested that including Ganger Wood would make a more suitable parish boundary for the following reasons:- Ganger Wood is an integral part of Crampmoor, it is suggested that Ampfield PC would be able to represent resident's views as they have more in common with them than Romsey Cupernham, and finally, as can be seen from the Ampfield Village Design Statement, (a supplementary planning guideline) the characteristics of the area have much more in common with Ampfield than with Romsey Cupernham. The proposal for the current boundary between Romsey Cupernham on Jermyn's Lane to remain is also questionable. It is suggested that the boundary should be drawn further to the northwest to include Bracken Wood and the houses on the opposite side of the Lane perhaps as far as the Hillier's Arboretum . Again these properties enjoy "Ampfield" characteristics whereas the new developments currently under construction further along Jermyn's Lane towards the Braishfield Road do not.

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