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Bramshott and Liphook is a diverse and growing parish which includes large housing estates, scattered hamlets, small industries and part of the South Downs National Park. It currently has three East Hampshire district councillors who work as a team to make sure everyone's concerns are properly addressed. This system works very well, for example in holiday cover and the distribution of councillor grants. There have been suggestions from time to time to split the parish into three individual wards but I believe that this would be difficult and impractical due to its geographical and physical nature. Physical 'boundaries' include the A3 trunk road, the London to Portsmouth railway line and the South Downs National Park whose boundary includes quite a large tranche of land but not many properties. None of these lines would divide the parish into sensible sections. The parish is currently undertaking a Neighbourhood Development Plan which is inclusive of all its boundaries, including the part which, for planning considerations, falls within the National Park. I believe, therefore, that it would be premature to consider alterations to the district council warding arrangements while this important work is going on.

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