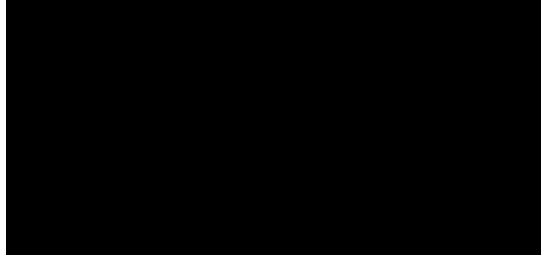


WILDMOOR RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION



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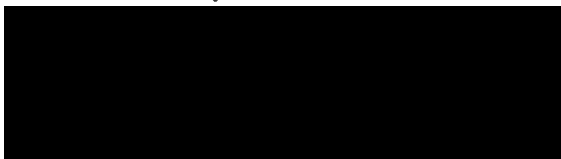
Dear Sir

I am writing to represent the concern of residents in Wildmoor, as chairman of the Wildmoor Residents Association (WRA). Wildmoor is a hamlet which is part of the Fairfield area. We have had good representation on the District Council as part of the Woodvale Ward. We can see no good reason for depriving us of that. But your new proposal, to link us with Romsley and Frankley would cast us out, as Fairfield is remote from those areas and shares no facilities with them.

We are aware that this new proposal has arisen because your first proposal linked Bell Heath with Romsley and Frankley and the residents there objected. But pleasing them should not result in Fairfield residents being deprived of our sense of community and the good local authority representation that we had. The new proposal comprises just a meaningless stretch of countryside and does not have strong boundaries or provide for any reflection of community at all. Fairfield shares a strong sense of community with Belbroughton, Bournheath, parts of Catshill and even Bell Heath. We share road systems, schools, shops, churches, pubs and problems. Our successive Councillors have known the area well and been very accessible. We hope you can restore Fairfield to Ward representation along with the other communities to which we belong.

I look forward to reading that this has been achieved.

Yours Faithfully



Hugh Norris
Chairman - WRA