

East Hertfordshire District Council**Personal Details:****Organisation Name:****Comment text:**

I would like to see Folly Island incorporated into Hertford, Castle Ward as I believe it was when I first moved here in 1980ish. Although the political boundary is the River Lea or Lea Navigation we are connected to the town centre by Folly Bridge. The town's night life extends down to the Old Barge pub to the north. North of Folly Island is Hartham Common which is a large expanse of common land and divides the Folly from Bengoe. Night time disturbance has always extended into Folly Island because social activity is closer to the town centre. Owing to our own problems such as parking we have little affinity to Bengoe which has its own problems but with traffic flow. We share no common problems unlike Castle Ward from where comes traffic looking to park for shopping, night life and access to Sainsburys and Hartham itself which makes Folly Island part of the town centre. There are only 125+ properties which equates to a small number of residents who may or may not see themselves as residents of Bengoe but certainly of Folly Island which is a well defined area of 4 streets and one new development bordered by the river, the allotments and open green space.

Uploaded Documents:

None Uploaded