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We would like to register our strong objections to the proposals which would split up the ward of Astley Bridge. We currently have a very good community, which works well together on a regular basis and so do not want to see the community divided. Residents engage in a number of community events held in the ward, usually focused at Andrew Lane Park which hosts the local annual Christmas lights switch on. We usually have marquees, food and drink and local residents turn out in very large numbers. Residents in the affected areas are a real part of this community, helping to organise these events and attending them on a regular basis. While there is a strong connection between the affected areas and the rest of Astley Bridge, in contrast, there is no natural connection between these areas and the newly proposed South Turton ward. The housing estates are geographically separate from the South Turton ward and indeed there is no direct access to the rest of the ward from the Templecombe estate or Eagley Bank. These residents shop locally within the ward, worship locally and would be split from their natural community. We do not believe that the proposals being put forward reflect the local area but only serve to divide it, for these reasons we are registering our objection to the current proposals. [REDACTED]

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