

## Bolton Borough Council

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### Comment text:

I am a longstanding resident of Astley Bridge and would like to add my own objection to the proposed changes to my ward. The ward has a long history and many residents have lived in the area for a very long time. As a resident, I feel that the current proposals would harm the local area by dividing a strong community that has existed for over one-hundred years. We always look out for one another and this can be seen in the great community events that are hosted locally each year. We have the Christmas lights switch on, Easter egg hunts and always come together for Remembrance Day. Many of these events are held on Andrew Lane Park which is being removed from the ward and see a very large number of residents in attendance. The Friends of Astley Bridge group also do a lot in helping organise these events and by displaying artwork from local schools around the area. I can also see no benefit in moving the proposed areas of Astley Bridge into a new South Turton ward. The residents in the north of the ward have no connection to South Turton and no involvement in any activities that may take place there. For these reasons, I would like to object to these proposals that would split up our area and divide a local community.

### Uploaded Documents:

None Uploaded