

From: [REDACTED]
To: [reviews](#)
Subject: Please keep our village intact....
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Dear Sir,

I write as a resident in the Shawforth/Facit ward. Our village is very much valued by all residents including children alike. We support all events in the valley and are proud of the heritage of our community which is located at our very own Whitworth museum, this being just £10 per year to become a member and support the museum.

Whitworth council put on regular events for all to enjoy, these are very successful, and the community spirit is alive and kicking from Shawforth down to Healey corner.

Our lovely Shawforth chapel stands, not only as a place of worship, but a fabulous community centre for cubs, scouts, rainbows, brownies, guides, our very wonderful Whitworth band and more. How proud are we to have a parish council with a close-knit community who we see throughout the village every day. Our primary schools and high school are in demand, our residents are there for each other, we buy local, eat local and throughout the COVID years when our health and livelihoods were compromised, the magical spirit of our community wrapped itself around each and every one of us. Sadly, not everyone pulled through, but we stuck together, we still stick together, and how sad is it to think, that council would take away and destroy the heritage and magic of our village. Please don't do this.

I not only speak for myself, I speak for all who are very deeply saddened by this selfish act of moving boundaries.

I hope you read this with a true understanding of how local folk feel.

Kind Regards

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