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I was brought up in Patcham and attended the Whitehouse Nursery in Ladies Mile Road, then the Infant School in Hollingbury and Junior and Senior Schools in Patcham. I have been a local Councillor for 30 years in Patcham Ward. It has always been Patcham and Hollingbury together as a community and a very close knit community and with major concerns and there have been many, residents from right across the Ward get together to be involved. This week I attended another Patcham Duck Fair meeting at the Patcham Community Centre. This event attracts about 6,000 local residents. Today I went to the opening of the newly refurbished Carden Park playground at Old Boat Corner in Hollingbury. There are many such events and facilities that are attended by residents and their children from across the Ward. It would be dreadful to divide the Ward. None of my residents want this, they would like it to remain as one lovely place where they share the same services, community groups, schools, shops and local issues. The Mackie Estate in particular has always been in Patcham where it is close to the historic village and the church. It would be separated from the rest of the so called Carden and Hollingbury Ward by a large steep green bank where only very fit dog walkers would be able to reach the upper part of Ladies Mile Road. Please can I ask the members of the Boundary Commission to visit this area and see for themselves. I would there strongly recommend proposal number 1 to keep Patcham and Hollingbury together.

Uploaded Documents:

None Uploaded