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Related subject: Objection to LGBCE Oxshott treatment

I fundamentally oppose how LGBCE proposes to treat Oxshott. Oxshott community has a population of 5,000+ people and is a settlement that is largely defined by surrounding Green Belt with its own High Street, its own medical centre, its own schools, and its own station. It is a unit in itself with its own identity. There is no call for dividing the community, particularly by arbitrary border down a main road. There is no justification for the obliteration of the name of Oxshott in the LGBCE recommendations.

According Oxshott an orphan status by these recommendations, whereby the population can be conveniently carved up to suit LGBCE's arithmetical requirements is outrageous. It removes the concept of community and is frankly disrespectful to the residents of Oxshott.

I therefore request LGBCE to revise its stance and recommendations on a basis that properly respects LGBCE's consideration of "Ensuring that the recommendations reflect community identity". In my view this requires the retention of the existing boundaries whereby Oxshott continues to be part of the division of Hinchley Wood, Claygate & Oxshott.

Attached Documents:

None attached