

Kirklees

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Related subject: Golcar Ward and Lindley Ward

I attach our proposal for moving the boundary between Golcar ward and Lindley ward to bring the area of Quarmby into Golcar ward. This will move about 550 electors into Golcar ward and help to balance ward sizes across Kirklees. This is important because of the large current and predicted size of Lindley ward on the present boundary.

Attached Documents:

- Move Voters from Lindley to Golcar Ward.docx

Local Government Boundary Commission Submission for a Boundary Change in Lindley Ward, Kirklees

The predicted size of Lindley ward in 2029 is 11% over the mean ward size and that of Golcar ward is 2% under the mean ward size. It would be sensible to move some electors into Golcar ward to balance the sizes in the current review of ward boundaries. This proposal, submitted on behalf of Golcar Branch Labour Party, is to move the Quarmby area from Lindley ward to Golcar ward. Quarmby is a compact area, as is shown on the map below.

Electors Transferred to Golcar Ward from Proposed Boundary Change

Road	Elector Numbers
Chesil Bank	107 (including Buckden Court, Burnsall Court and Hebden Court)
Quarmby Road	145
Haughs Road	24 (move only those Haughs Road properties that are currently in LD6)
Hawes Avenue	86
Hunston Avenue	26
Lowerhouses Road	23
Myrtle Grove	36
Reinwood Road	41 (from 161 to 197 and from 178 to 296) (Note that 201 Reinwood Road is already in GC09.)
Royd Croft	<u>58</u>
Total	546

This area could be made into a new polling district (GC11) with either its own polling station or a shared polling station with the remainder of LD06. Alternatively it could be combined with the existing GC09 district, voting at Luck Lane primary school. (The LGBC map does not show the correct current boundary between Lindley and Golcar wards, so the map below is a Kirklees map for Lindley ward.).

Proposed Boundary Change to Move Quarmby from Lindley Ward to Golcar Ward

