

Bracknell Forest Borough Council

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I live in Flint Grove ([REDACTED]), a road off Hollyspring Lane. Bracknell and I propose that the Bullbrook Ward boundary be simplified to enable the boundary to be more easily understood and recognised. Currently, Flint Grove is right on the border of Bullbrook ward and Warfield ward, though we actually consider our area to be a part of Warfield and not Bullbrook. The ward boundary runs up the middle of Hollyspring Lane, as it has done for very many years, due to the fact that the boundary was defined in the late 1950's at the time that the new town was being built, and represented the border between Bracknell New Town, Bullbrook ward and the rural farm land area on the other side of Hollyspring Lane. The farmers and farms have long since disappeared as the farm land has been developed into housing estates. So the border is not logical or easily understood in my neighbourhood. Many people go to Warfield for their needs, eg shopping, chemist, petrol, library, dry cleaners, church and garden centre, rather than Bullbrook or Bracknell Town centre. In my view and the views of others whom I have spoken to in my area, agree it makes far more sense to simplify the existing very confusing boundary line by drawing the boundary so that it runs from the roundabout at the bottom of Hollyspring Lane, behind the gardens of the houses in Spring Meadow, Hollyspring Lane, Flint Grove, and Kenilworth Avenue and comes out on to join the existing boundary line on the Warfield Road. That would mean that all the 190 + houses of the following roads would move into the proposed Warfield East ward, based on the proposed ward designs. • Hollyspring Lane • Spring Meadow • Flint Grove • Kenilworth Avenue • Goughs Lane • Lynwood Chase • Dene Close • Candleford Close • Avon Grove • Bloomfield Drive • Enborne Gardens • Old Farm Drive That probably amounts a few hundred residents. Overall, I think the proposed revised ward boundaries for BFC is very appropriate, evenly balanced and a good solution.

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