

## Fenland District Council

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### Comment text:

Although I am now emailing you in a private capacity, I have been a Town, District and County Councillor in Wisbech and I have lived in Wisbech and March for 34 years. I support Fenland District Council's proposals as they achieve the LGBCE's statutory criteria of electoral equality that reflects local communities and promotes convenient and effective local government. The proposals for Wisbech are the same as those created by the LGBCE itself in preparing this consultation round. They reflect the statutory criteria at District Council level whilst allowing a workable set of Town Council wards to be created. The boundary between the Parish of Leverington and the Town of Wisbech is virtually invisible on the ground as the two areas effectively merge into one another. There is already a strong link between Leverington & Wisbech for shopping, health, education and other services. The parishes of Parson Drove, Gorefield, Tydd St Giles and Newton-in-the-Isle are already united within the Roman Bank & Peckover County Council Division. All four are rural parishes with a relatively small village core and all four are of a similar size in terms of electorate. They therefore fit well together in a single ward as no one village will dominate the other three. I am also pleased none of the LGBCE proposals split any rural parish. Wisbech St Mary and Elm parishes are roughly equal in size of electorate and both consist of a collection of individual villages. All of these villages look towards Wisbech as their main large town, unlike the present Elm & Christchurch ward.

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