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I am writing to strongly urge the boundary comission to reconsider its recommendations. As a local vicar who has lived and worked in this community for 8 years. I was delighted to hear that initial plans for the area involved joining the flower roads together in one ward. I was dismayed to hear recently that is no longer recommended and am at a loss to understand how this serves Swaythling and the Flower Estate specifically. The flowers estate has been through a turbulent journey over the last few years with several incidents of major knife crime, drugs etc and the need for the estate to be represented as one is more vital than ever. The history dynamics and people on this estate are very very very different to those in Bassett and indeed in some other parts of Swaythling. We run a food bank in the community and hear peoples concerns all the time and I am disturbed that the boundary commission appears to be ignoring the needs of local people (many of whom have too much in their lives to even note that it is happenning) in this consultation.

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