

Northumberland County Council

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The current Bellingham division is a large geographical area with a low population. If any move to include more population is made then care should be given to ensure it is not made even less practical for a representative to connect in person with constituents. The natural relationships and commercial links along transport corridors should also be borne in mind. As such I would suggest extra population be sought in areas that naturally relate to Bellingham and which would change the shape of the division so that it more closely resembles a circle rather than a dumbbell, ie by expanding at its 'waist.' To clarify further - the population of Elsdon to the North East of the 'waist' associate largely with Otterburn as well as Bellingham and would be a welcome addition to the division together with the homes along the East Woodburn to Monkridge road, oddly in Humshaugh but hemmed in on either end of their road by Bellingham. To the south west of the waist the populations of Stonehaugh, Wark and Birtley might also be added to Bellingham division.

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