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Please can you consider looking into the Parish Wards and how they work at the Elections as they can potentially mean a lot of taxpayer's money is wasted. With Bilbrook there are 3 wards. Councillors have to be nominated for one ward. A situation can arise where one ward has more candidates than needed and another has less. Therefore, we have to spend a lot of money having an election in the one ward and co-opt to the other when the extra candidate could have been allocated to the ward which does not have enough candidates.

When councillors are elected, they represent the whole Parish not just their ward so the wards are irrelevant anyway.

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