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Related subject: Caterham Valley - Stafford Road area, Whyteleafe and the district as a whole

I am concerned that the current proposals would split off the Stafford Road area from the rest of the valley. Geographically, it' is very much part of the valley community with the only road access to the hill being at the extreme north and extreme south of the road. For much of its length there's woodland corridor marking a distinct boundary with the hill. The residents very definitely feel part of the valley and use the resources in the valley. To deny these residents a say in the resources they use would be undemocratic.

Similarly, the proposals to cut the north part of Whyteleafe off from their community and the resources they use would be wrong.

On a more general note, the proposed ward boundary changes would result in a significant under-representation of residents in Caterham, Chaldon, Whyteleafe and Warlingham and over-representation of residents more or less everywhere else. This needs to be addressed before the ward boundary changes are finalised.

Attached Documents:

None attached