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Related subject: Chalford Ward

As a Stroud District Councillor for Chalford Ward, I support Chalford Parish Council's view that Chalford should remain within the Minchinhampton Division.

Chalford, alongside Minchinhampton and Thrupp, all look towards Stroud as their main 'town' centre, for ammenities such as education, health, and retail facilities. They are all located in and alongside the Golden Valley, which joins them geographically and socially.

The current proposal is to move Chalford into the Bisley & Painswick Division. There are some limited links with Bisley, for those in the 'hill' part of Chalford; but road links to Painswick are tortuous and the communities are not strongly connected. Links to the furthest part of the Bisley & Painswick division, at Coopers Edge, are simply non-existent.

I hope you will take these views into account in your consultation process.

With best regards,
Cllr Helen Fenton

Attached Documents:

None attached