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Related subject: Proposals for an area in Elmbridge

I am a Surrey County Councillor although the proposals are not in my Division or my Borough. However, I have made the comment below to my Elmbridge colleagues.

Part of the LGBCE's revised recommendation places Oxshott in two different Divisions. I can see that the LGBCE has had representation on this but it appears to have fallen on deaf ears. Given the emphasis the LGBCE places on known communities and ties, to propose new Divisional arrangements that divides Oxshott and creates two places called Oxshott South and Oxshott North is quite astounding. Oxshott has been the name for centuries, residents don't live in "North" or "South" and for the LGBCE to re-invent the local history and geography is unacceptable. In addition, Oxshott residents should not have second guess where they live or who their County Councillor is.

Attached Documents:

None attached