

# Barnsley

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**Related subject:** PENISTONE EAST WARD - VILLAGE OF HIGH HOYLAND

My husband and I have read the ward boundary proposals submitted by Barnsley MDC and the response from the Boundary Commission. Barnsley MDC proposed to move the parish of High Hoyland from the Penistone East ward to the Darton West ward. High Hoyland is a rural farming village which bears no similarities to the urban and formerly industrial Darton west ward and despite being geographically closer to Darton does not identify with the latter in any respect. High Hoyland has ties which relate much more closely with the agricultural region and the other rural villages that make up the ward of Penistone East. The councillors and other local government personnel of Penistone East represent the values, requirements and aspirations of High Hoyland far better than those of Darton West could. For those reasons we support the Boundary Commission's recommendations to not adopt the Council's proposal to move High Hoyland to the Darton West ward, but to leave it in the Penistone East ward.

## Attached Documents:

*None attached*