

East Riding of Yorkshire

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Comment text:

Dear Sir/Madam,

Further to an email received on 9th July 2024 from the East Riding of Yorkshire Council regarding the Independent LGBCE asking for help in drawing up a new pattern of electoral wards in the East Riding of Yorkshire, Hessle Town Council would like to put forward its proposal for levelling up the existing four wards in Hessle, East Yorkshire – Eastfield Ward, Northfield Ward, Southfield Ward and Westfield Ward. Over the last four years, Hessle has had significant housing developments built which have all been within one Ward, the Westfield Ward. The current Ward boundaries are now extremely unequal in respect of the number of electors in each Ward and therefore the ratio of electors to Councillors. Hessle Town Council has 15 elected Councillors and would prefer to see the Ward boundaries amended to reflect this growth, rather than just adding two further Councillors for the Westfield Ward which is what the East Riding of Yorkshire Council have proposed in their Recommendation Report. I have attached two documents, one showing the existing Ward boundaries and one with where Hessle Town Council would prefer to see the boundaries lie for each Ward. This would even up the electorate in each Ward without the need for more Councillors.

Hessle Town Council would like to thank you for any consideration that can be given to this proposal.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Kim Cooper
Hessle Town Clerk

Attached Documents:

- [hessle---current-proposed-ward-boundaries.pdf](#)