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It was discussed at council that a proposal would be given to the Boundary Commission to merge Freshney Ward with West Marsh in the borough of North East Lincs. I will list below why I disagree with this proposal.

Great Coates, Willows Estate and Wybers Wood have a strong community bond.

St Nicholas Church on Great Coates Road is linked onto the Wybers Wood Estate and Great Coates Nursery, Great Coates School and Wybers Wood School all attend church services here at various times of year.

Great Coates School is actually based on the Willows Estate and there is a small cutting between Great Coates and the Willows Estate, so people can gain access on foot.

John Whitgift Academy is the catchment school for Great Coates, Willows and Wybers Wood - this school also provides out of school activities for residents.

Great Coates have no amenities so residents often use either the Willows or Wybers shops. The only post office in this area is based at Co Op on the Willows Estate.

If the new housing development goes ahead in this area, hundreds more people will become part of this ward.

If we merge with West Marsh, how will we all become a community when there is so much distance between us.

Attached Documents:

None attached