

# Westmorland and Furness

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## Comment text:

**Related subject:** Coniston and Hawkshead Ward

We are exceptionally lucky to have an active and competent Councillor in Cllr Suzanne Pender. The area she is asked to cover is large, but it has a logic to it, however we would strongly oppose to add or alter the area included within the ward. We believe that any increase in the ward in order to equalise the number of people being represented by each Councillor would have a detrimental impact on our ability to work effectively by further distancing the Council from the Parish Council and effectively create a democratic deficit.

## Attached Documents:

*None attached*