

Chesterfield Borough Council

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Comment text:

I am a resident of Chesterfield, in the Whittington Moor Ward, and I write in connection with your latest proposals for the changes to the Ward boundaries in the Chesterfield area. I have lived in this area for more than ten years. I agree with this proposal to establish the Whittington Moor ward as far north as the roundabout at the bottom of the Dronfield By-pass. This plan brings together what is a growing and thriving community along the Sheffield Road corridor in the Whittington Moor area. Your last proposal seemed to cut that community in two by putting the bottom end of Sheffield Road into Dunston. I feel bringing the community together at the end of Sheffield Road by extending the boundary to the roundabout is the right thing to do as the community focus is strong around the large variety of shops which include a pharmacy and post office, and which include long-established businesses as well as new ones starting up. In putting the top part of the Sheffield Road into the Dunston area, the draft proposals appeared to me to create a stub that does not naturally belong to the Dunston area. The solution that places the top part of Sheffield Road into the Whittington Moor ward keeps that whole area as one community. Transport routes do not easily connect this area with Dunston; routes along Sheffield Road usually run north into Old Whittington or south into Chesterfield, and there are few if any east-west public transport routes to link the top part of Sheffield Road with Dunston. Please adopt the "Further Proposals" that put the whole of Sheffield Road between the Rugby Drive estate and the Whittington Moor Roundabout into the Whittington Moor ward.

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