

## Mole Valley District Council

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The bounds seem to make sense as by and large they follow existing parish bounds, however the names you have given these agglomerations is a real pig's ear. The first to take issue is the name "Holmwoods & Beare Green". You cannot pluralise Holmwood. It is a singular geographic entity that has been divided into north, south etc. It is like saying "Englands" when referring to Northern England and South England. It is all England, and thus this whole area is correctly Holmwood. I would name the ward simply "Holmwood" and leave out Beare Green, because it is not a place of any importance. Someone living there will no doubt go bananas about me saying this but Holmwood is a simple name and can appropriately be applied to the whole area. The other name I have issue with is the ward you are calling "Leith Hill". This is clearly named from the perspective of someone who only knows this area as a visitor and seeing it from the outside, rather than from the point of view of someone living in one of these parishes in that ward. People do not feel they live in or on Leith Hill across that whole area, only people living immediately next to that landmark would consider this an appropriate name, and most would name their parish or hamlet instead. I would therefore strongly recommend a name is taken which includes those of the parishes it covers, such as "Abinger, Ockley, Westcott & Wotton". These are ancient villages with distinct centres spread across a broad area and so it is appropriate to name them like this, in alphabetical order.

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