

## Epping Forest District Council

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### Comment text:

The Parish Council is strongly opposed to the proposed changes to Rural East. The changes have a disproportionate effect on small communities spread over a large geographical area. Of the three ward Cllrs proposed, only one is likely to be sufficiently local to know the area and its challenges. It is currently over 5 miles east to west across our Parish. Looking at the proposed boundary, Rural East would cover a huge area. This will not help the levelling up of rural areas. We need local Cllrs representing local people. This consultation seems to start with the easy wards and abandon everyone else to make up the numbers.

### Uploaded Documents:

None Uploaded