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Dear All

I am writing this as a local businessman and resident who has lived in the Dingle for over 50 years
I have raised my family in the area and my children are also raising their children in the area.
I have a very strong pride in my community that is the WHOLE of the dingle not two separate wards
We have a fantastic community spirit and cannot see the reasoning in changing it into a North & South Dingle. The boundary change will only try and destroy the community spirit we have built and are so very proud of.
Who will actually benefit from this change not us the residents ,we are happy to have a single ward our councillors do a fantastic job they help everyone in the dingle and are regularly seen in the area supporting the people who know who to turn to in any crisis ,they arrange meetings attend group sessions in the whole of the area one day in the Florrie they could next be seen in the food banks throughout the area supporting the whole of the dingle NOT trying to divide us especially at a time like this, I have used the councillors various skills and knowledge eg councillor mumby I contact over drug abuse and anti-social behaviour the cleanliness of the area, and utilise councillors woods expertise in housing issues, we should be helping each other pulling together not dividing us up ,I am STRONGLY AGAINST THE PROPOSAL AS ARE ALL OF MY FAMILY FRIENDS AND NEIGHBOURS ,WE ARE THE PEOPLE WHO LIVE HERE.

I have vulnerable family and friends who live in the area and who will not be in the same ward as me if this boundary change goes ahead. If I cannot get in touch with councillor Munby I know I can get hold of councillor wood
If this split goes ahead we will be without a councillor if for some reason one of them becomes ill. I have used my local councillors for help with my elderly mother and with my daughter who will be in separate wards if this proposal goes ahead. The councillors have helped so much with the drug problems and anti-social behaviour and housing issues for my elderly neighbours. I would like to add with a great success which I would like to thank them for as they never seem to get the credit they deserve.

I strongly urge you to reconsider the proposal we don't need this ,The Dingle is a very special place to all of us residents from our food banks, credit union, palace pony's for the disadvantaged children to use, to our summer camps in the Florrie, we have community bonfires, Christmas light shows safely organised by the residents and councillors who are pulling together to help us all in these tough times.

WE ARE A SINGLE WARD AREA AND COMMUNITY AND WE WOULD LIKE TO STAY THE SAME

Regards

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