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Comment text:

Finedon Town Council is in support of the Parliamentary Boundary Review keeping Finedon in the Wellingborough constituency.

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I am reporting, as Town Clerk, the view of Finedon Town Council concerning the proposed Parliamentary Boundary change which moves Finedon into the Kettering constituency. The Town Council, at its meeting held on 5th October 2022 unanimously voted to oppose the proposal. Historically, Finedon has always been part of Wellingborough, and based on numbers, does not need to be moved out of the Wellingborough Constituency, merely to be replaced by others including Irthlingborough. Such a switch would effectively mean that the current North Northamptonshire Council Finedon Ward would be represented by 3 MPs, a confusing and non cost effective solution. In addition, constituents do not enjoy the public transport links to Kettering that they do with Wellingborough. Expansion to the east of Wellingborough has now meant that there are only 2 fields separating the two towns, meaning an even stronger link has been forged. To break this tie is deemed to be illogical given how Finedon has most recently been encompassed by Wellingborough.

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