

# County Durham

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## Comment text:

**Related subject:** Evenwood division

I live in Hamsterley, which is part of the present Evenwood division. I am very surprised by the proposal to enlarge the division to such an extent - as proposed, it would include close to 30 different communities. It would bring in areas which have no identifiable relationship to one another, geographical, social or historical. There is no connection at all between, for instance, Escomb and Ingleton or Witton Park and Staindrop, and it is hard to see how elected councillors could work effectively across such a large and disparate area. I am firmly of the opinion that this proposal will not work well and needs looking at again..

## Attached Documents:

*None attached*