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Dear Sir/Madam

I am a resident of the Grangefield area of Stockton on Tees and proud to be so. I am completely against your proposed abolition of Grangefield and do not want to be included with an area I have no ties with.

Can I suggest that rather than abolish Grangefield that you change to make it have a single member Councillor Ward and that the Grangefield Ward could be made up of Grange Estate and Newham Grange Estate. This ward would have a number of strong links including bus stops, St Pauls Church, the Institute on Grays Road and the local shops such as Sainsburys and Grangefield Road shop. You could if desired to make up numbers include Bramley Green Estate, Grangefield Academy, Stockton Cricket Club and Rugby Club (for which I am a member), Stockton 6th Form College, Stockton Football Club and Nos 1 and 3 Bishopton Road West.

As a counter proposal can I suggest that Durham Road/Primrose Hill area should join the Town Centre Ward to make a three member Ward. The rational behind this is that they share the same bus routes, Hebron church in New Town, shops , facilities and the housing is continuous.

I cannot emphasise enough that Grangefield has nothing at all in common with Durham Road/Primrose Hill area of New Town and that my counter proposal is the only realistic and workable solution and is necessary to make the numbers work for any change.

I look forward to hearing from you in the very near future.