

Sunderland

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Comment text:

I attach four petitions in response to the ongoing boundary consultation for Sunderland:

- One signed by 350 people opposing the inclusion of Tunstall in the same ward as Silksworth, calling on the Commission to return to the previous Tunstall and Humbledon proposal.
- Two opposing the new St Chad's Ward proposal (168 people in total) - with opposition from residents living both ends of the wards (two petitions in one pdf).
- One signed by 213 residents who oppose the latest configuration of the Grangetown Ward - particularly Ashbrooke's inclusion with Hendon.
- One signed by 67 residents who support the inclusion of Middle, East, West and New Herrington in a single ward called "Herrington".

A note on methodology. Signatories to these petitions have been collected physically (by post-back survey) and digitally (via a digital survey). The digital petitions have been hosted on our website and our Facebook page; when residents completed one petition, the survey prompted the user to sign another - so some names appear on multiple surveys. I have then collated all names into a single document, presented exactly as written on the petition by the resident.

We have retained the original data files and physical copies of post-back surveys for inspection.

Best wishes,
Antony

Dr Antony Mullen

Leader of the Conservative Group
Councillor for Barnes Ward

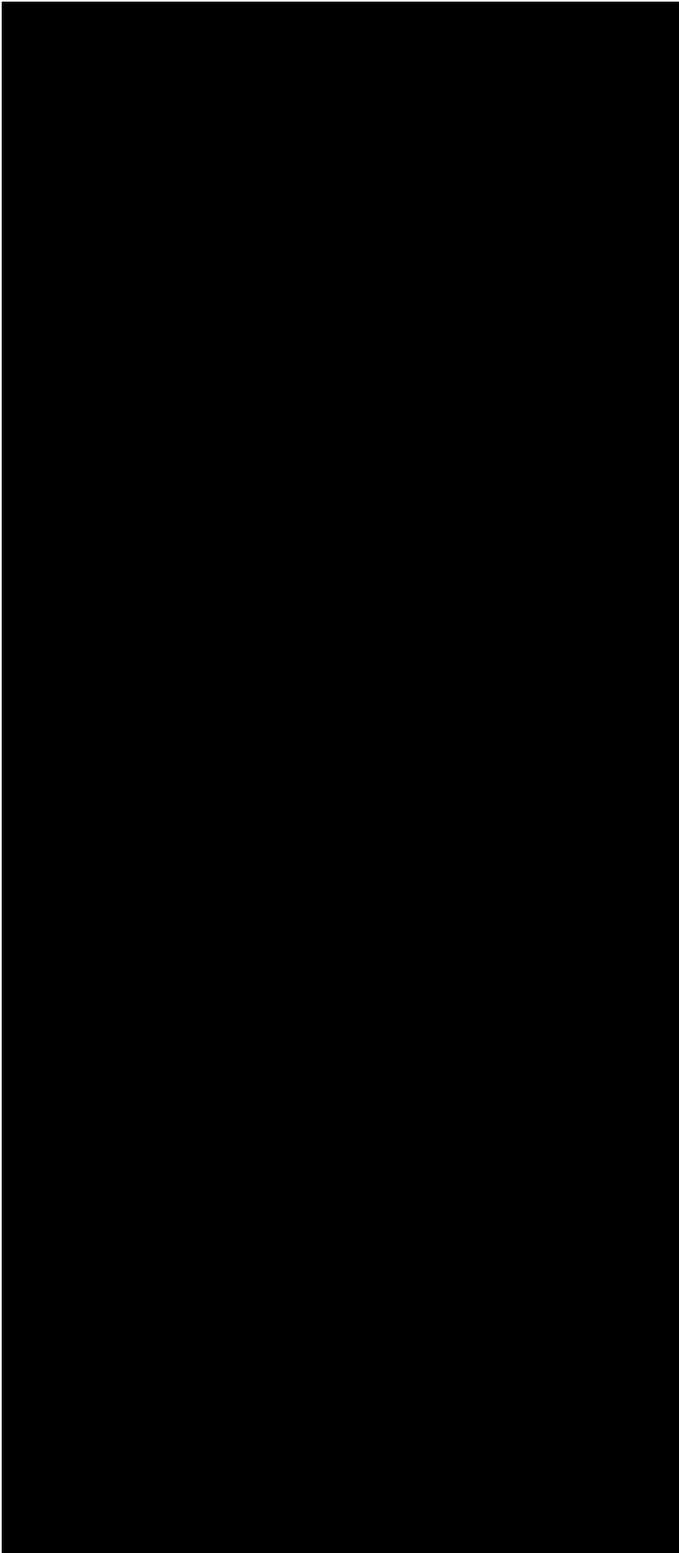
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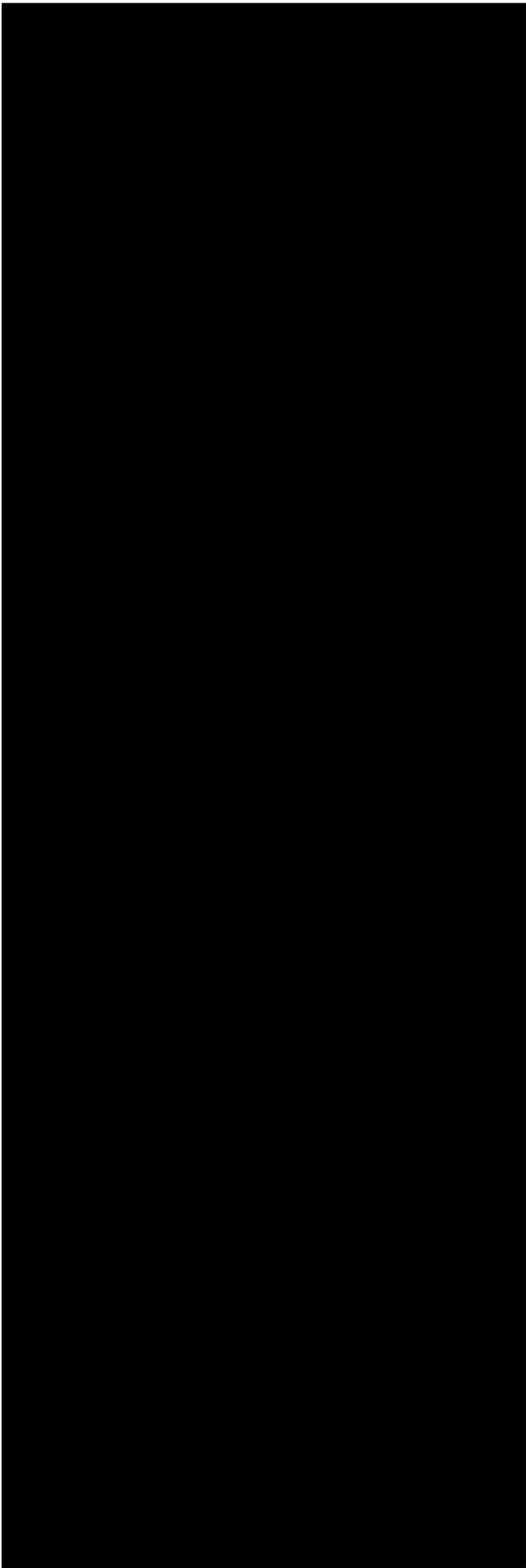
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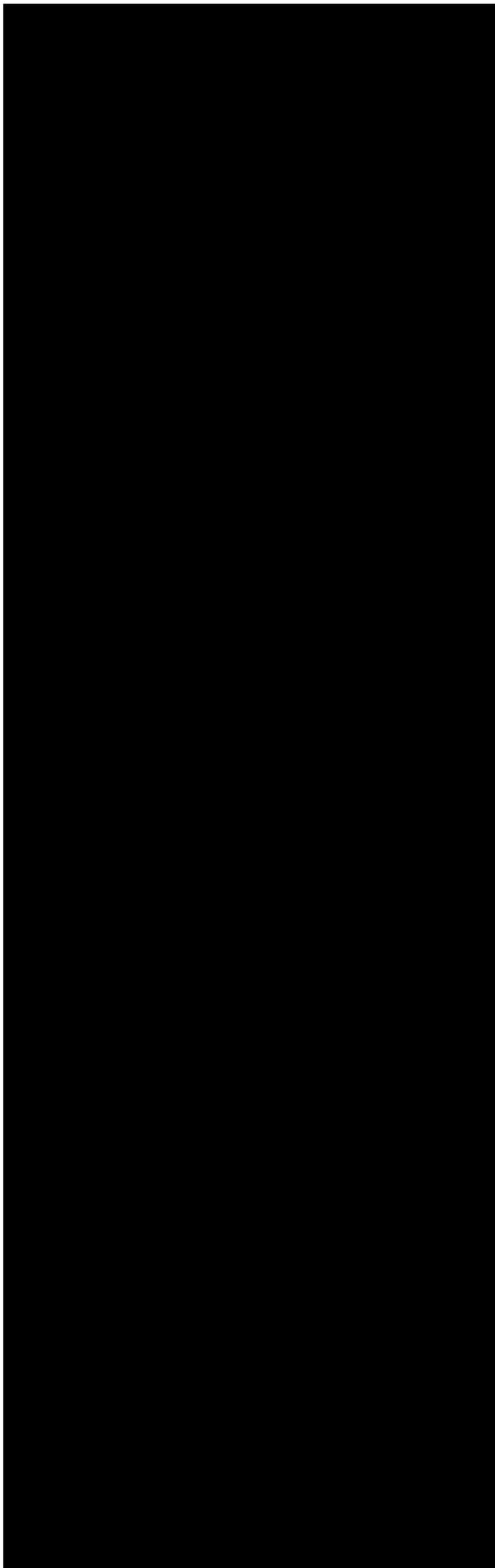
Petition signed by 213 residents of Sunderland opposing the inclusion of streets in Ashbrooke in the new “Grangetown Ward” (February 2024 LGBCE consultation)

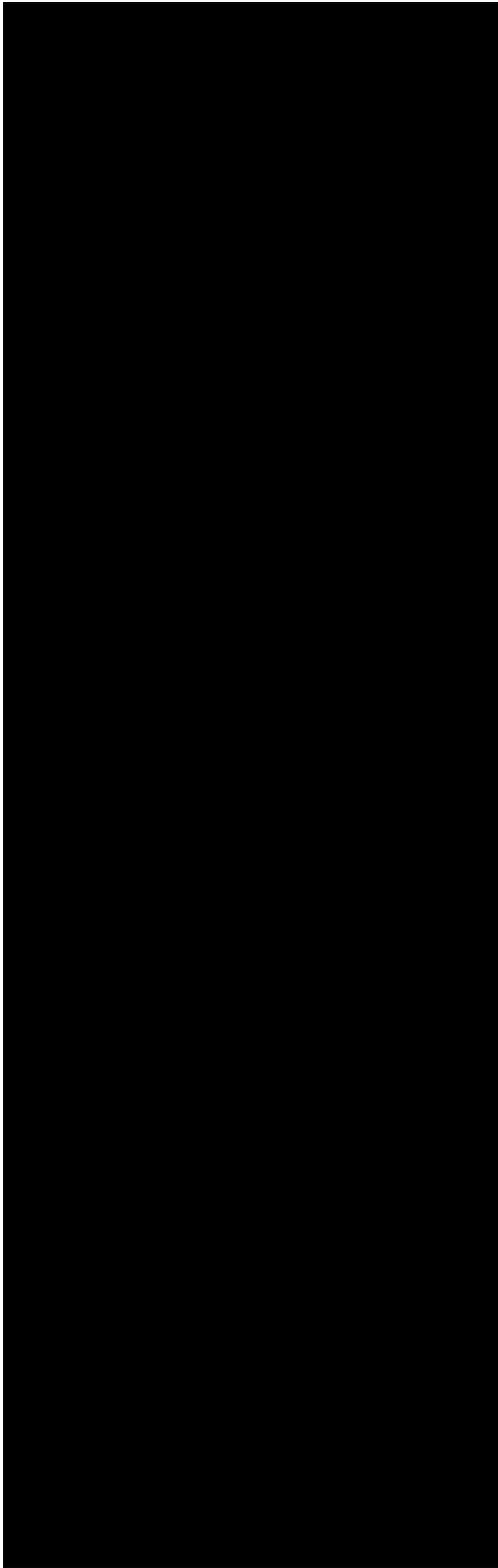
Dear sirs, we – the undersigned – do not agree that Ashbrooke belongs within a ‘Grangetown’ ward – and would not consider Ashbrooke to be part of the same community as Grangetown or Hendon.

Petition collected in person and online.

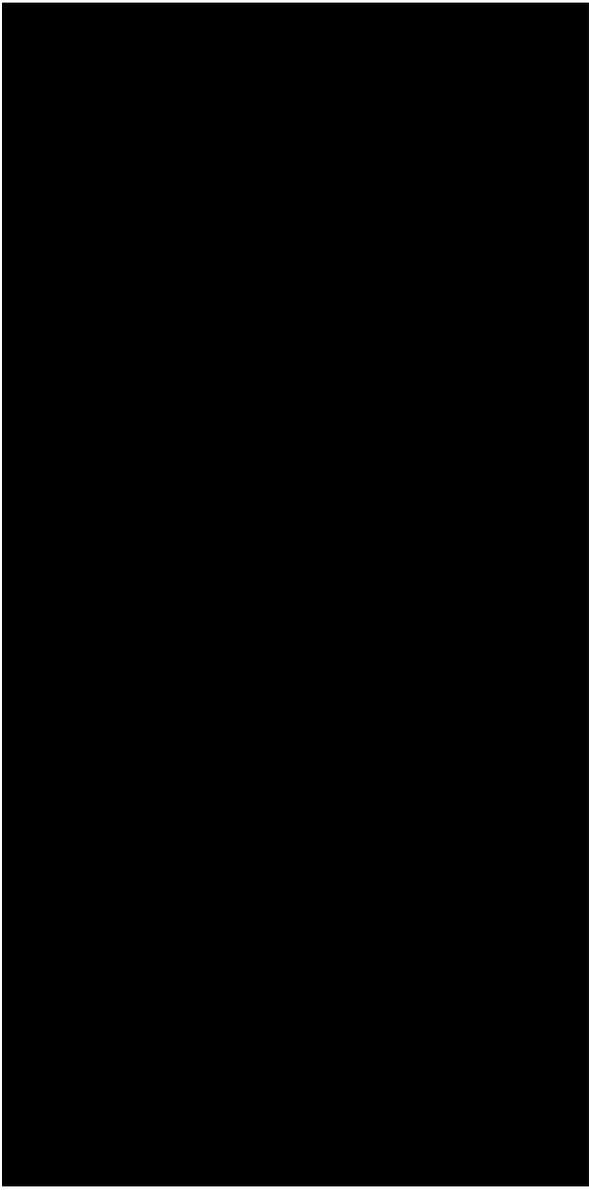




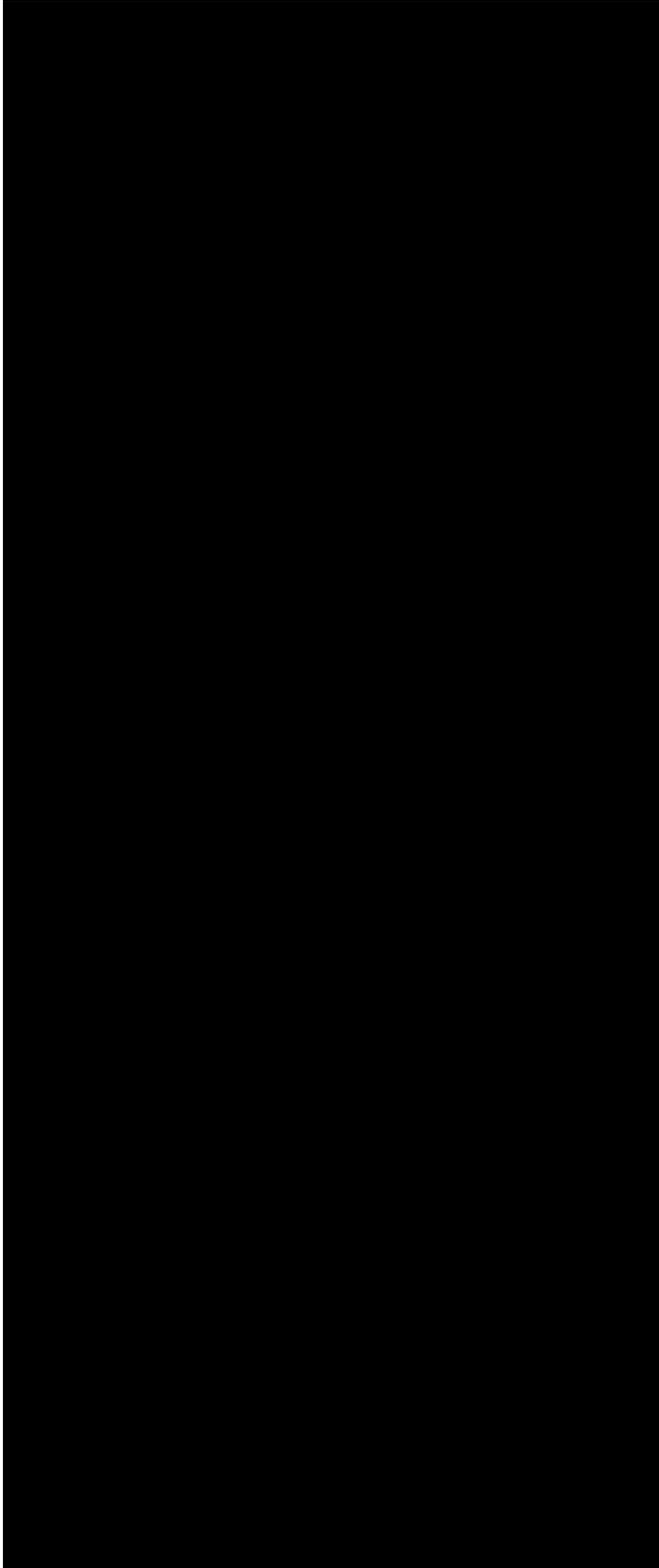


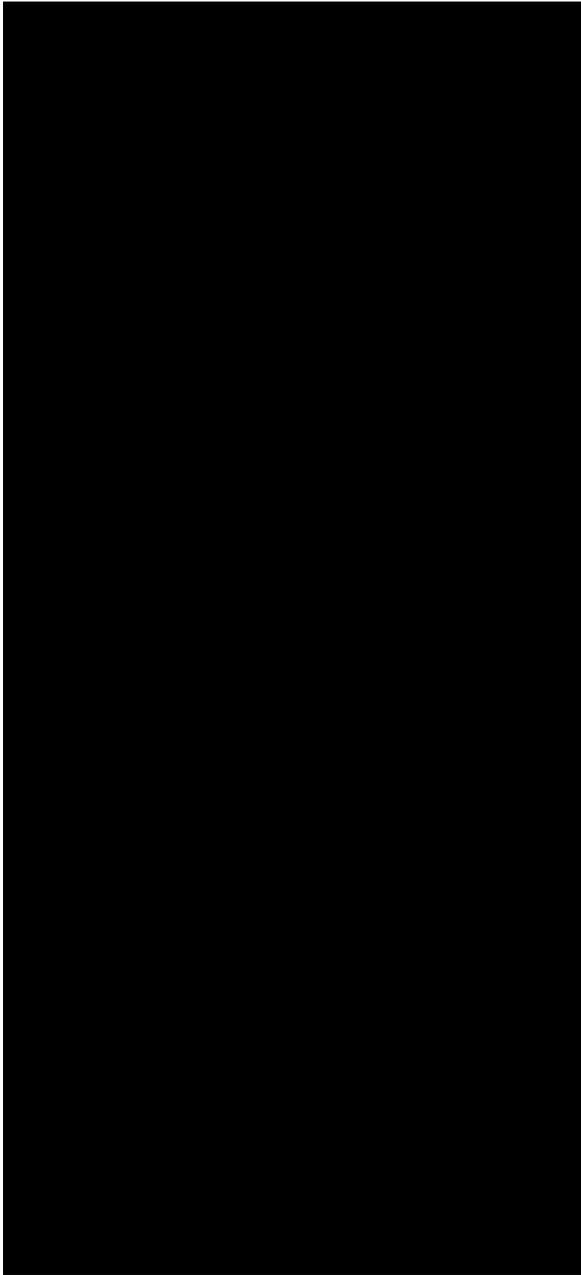






Petition signed by 67 residents of Sunderland who support the previous “Herrington Ward” (on the basis that Middle, East, West and New Herrington are a single community”) and oppose the new “Herrington and Newbottle” and “St Chad’s” Wards.



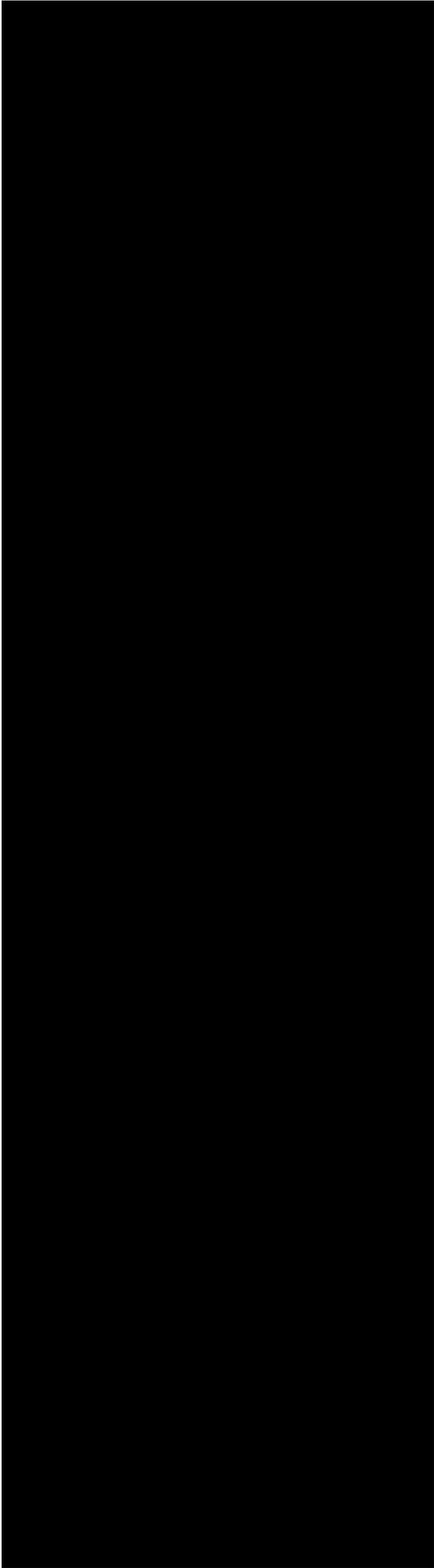


Petition signed by 350 Sunderland residents in opposition to streets in Tunstall going into the new “Silksworth Ward” (February 2024 LGBCE consultation)

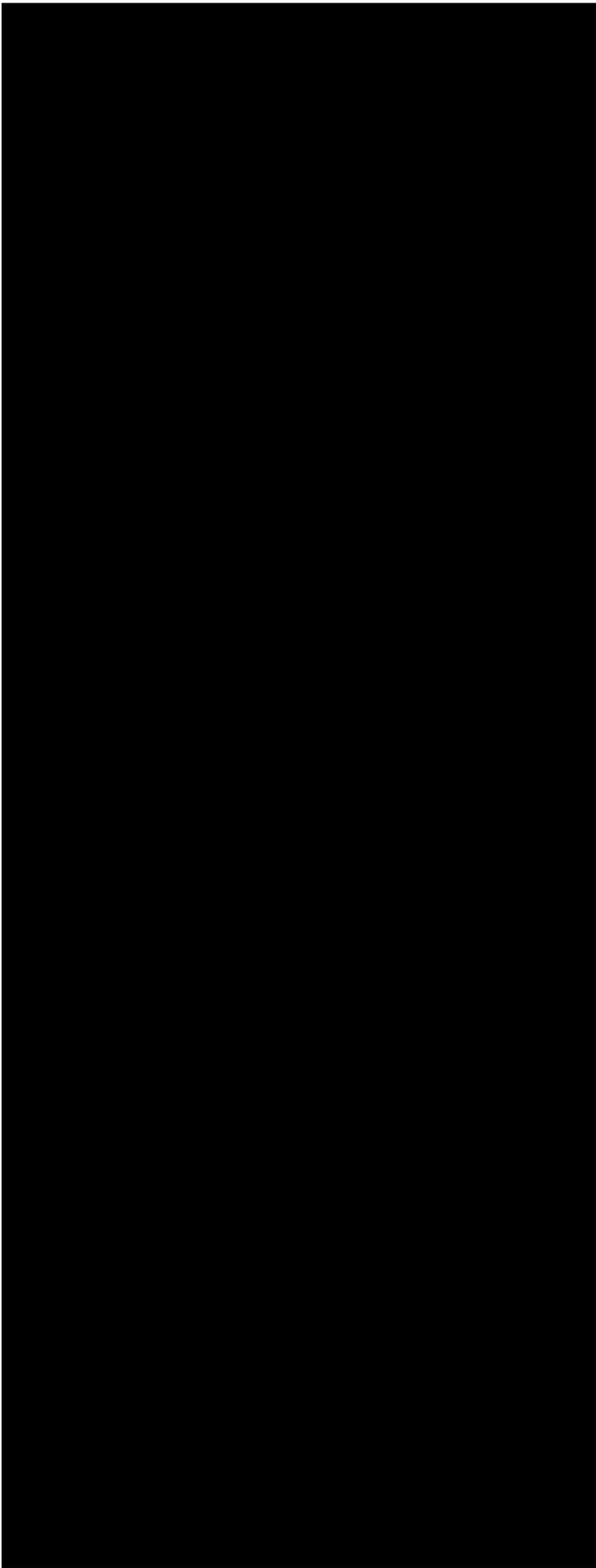
Dear sirs, we do not consider it appropriate to add the Tunstall area to the new Silksworth Ward and ask you to revert to your previous warding arrangement for Tunstall and Humbledon Ward.

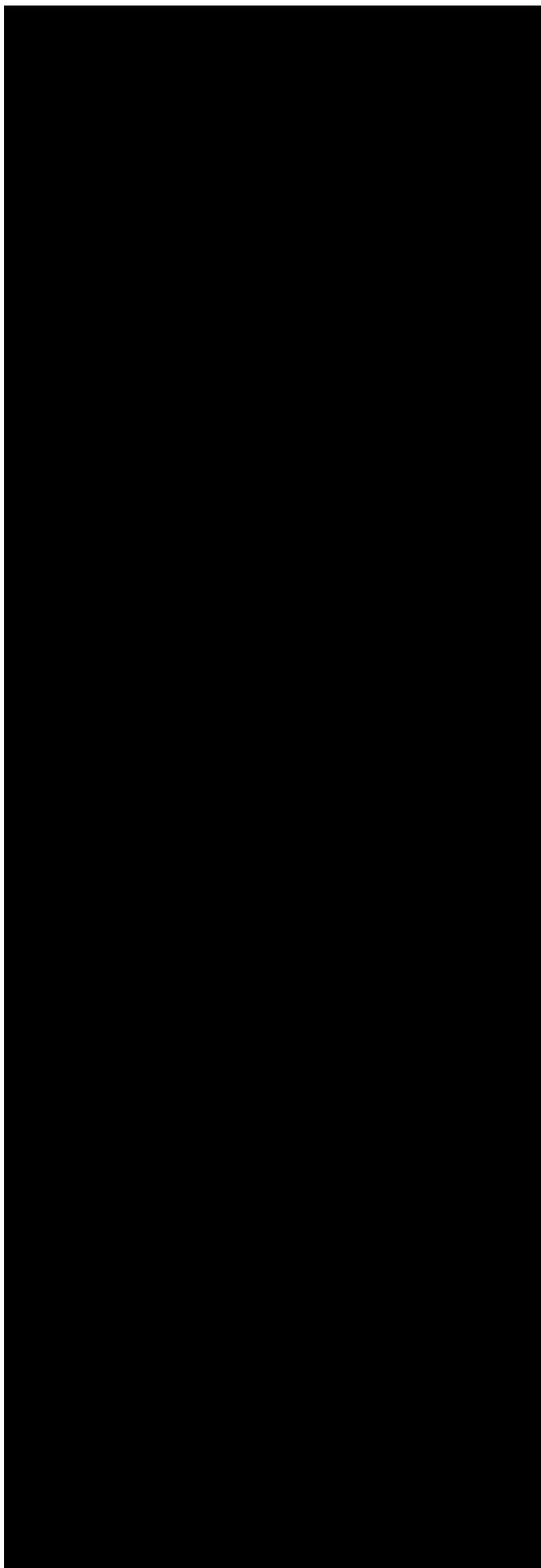
Petition collected in person and online.

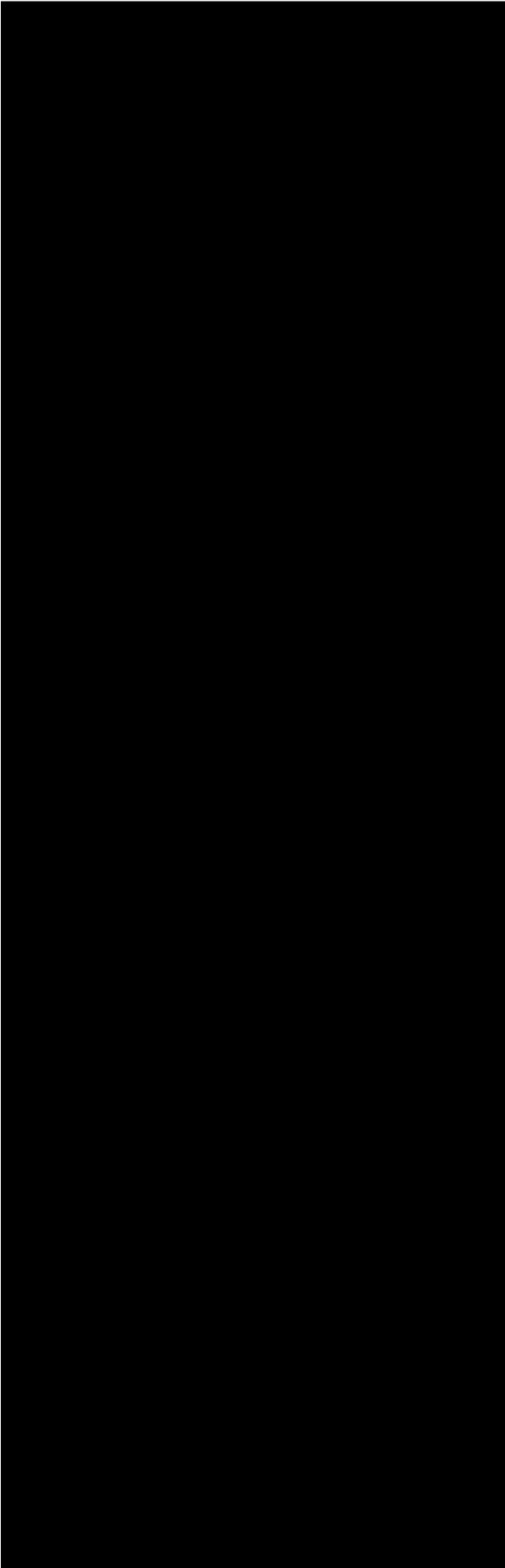


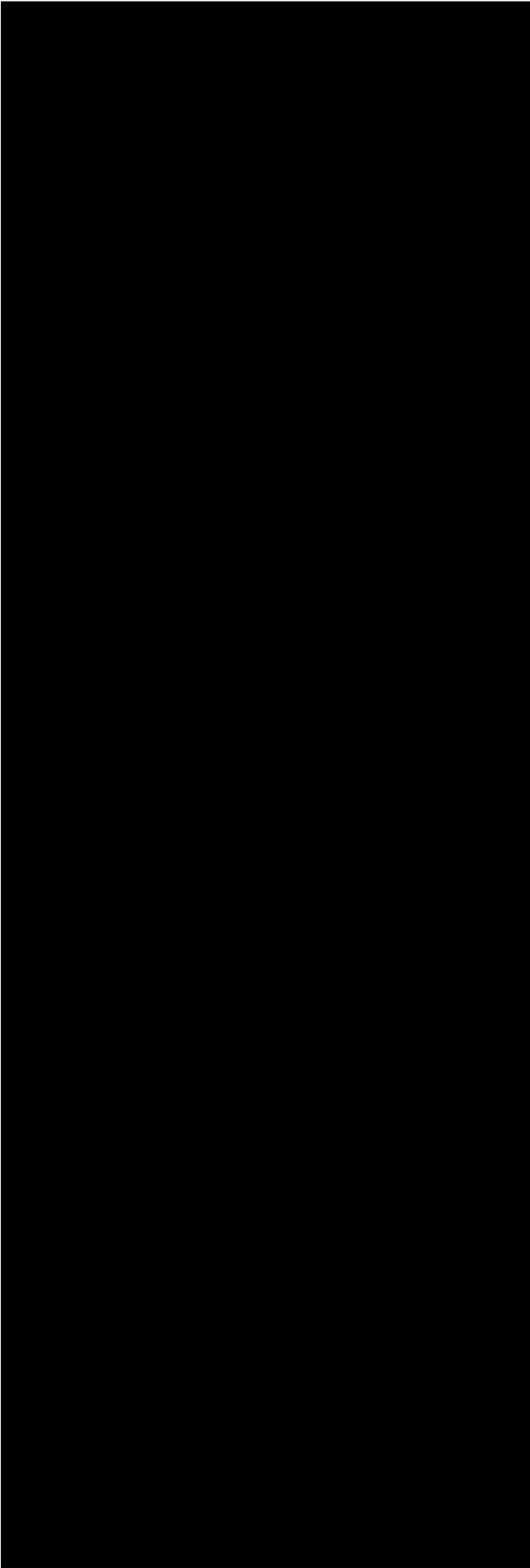


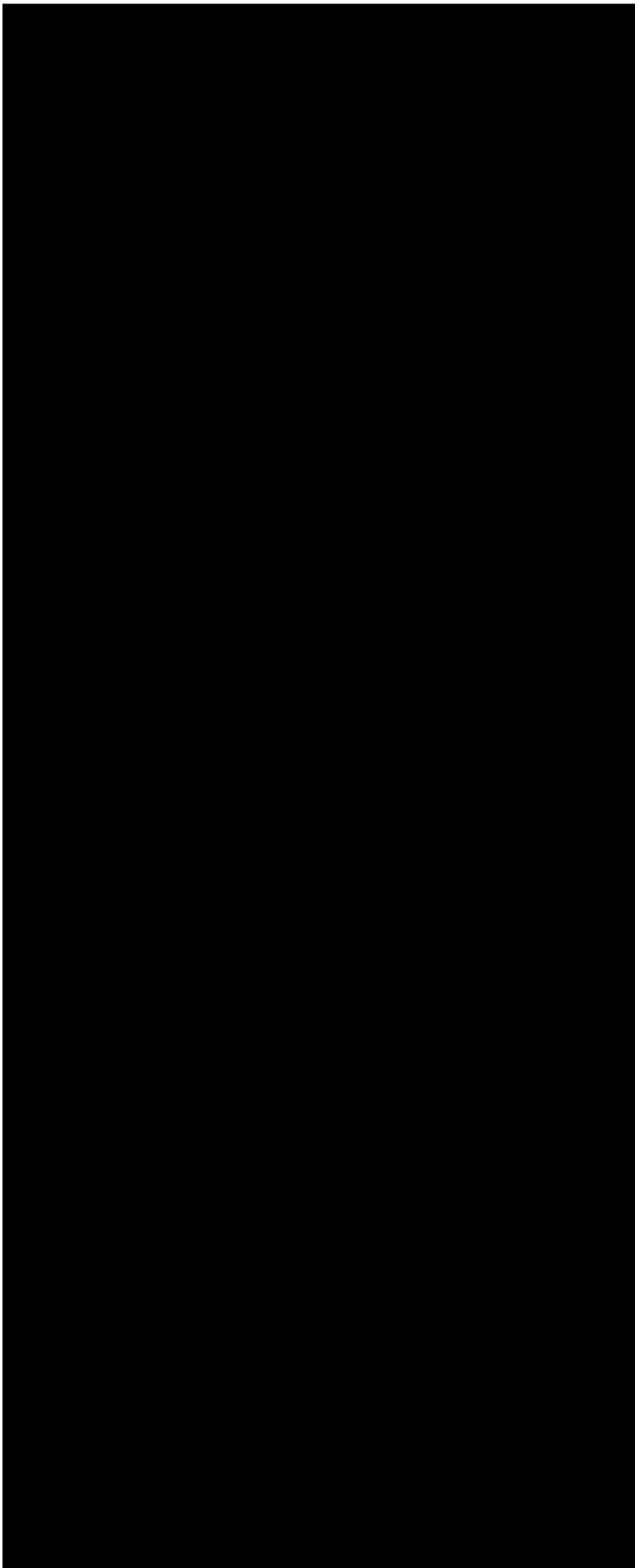


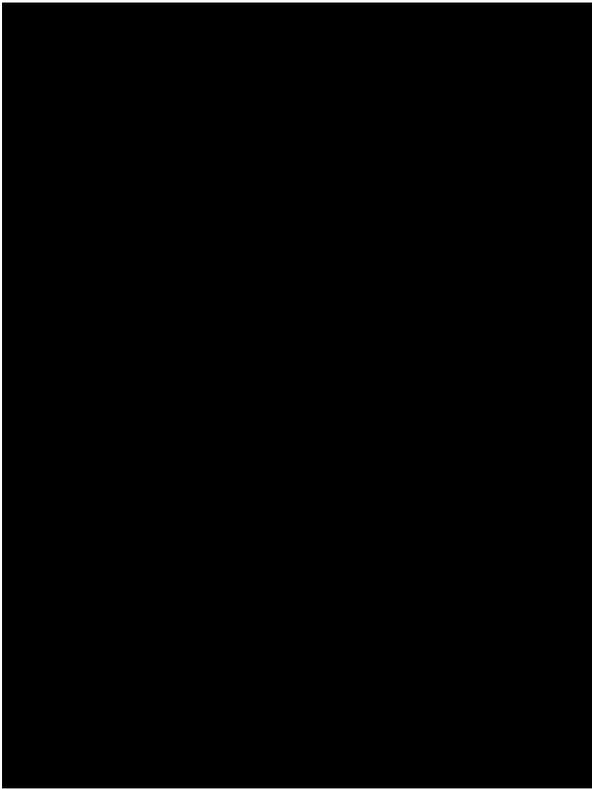








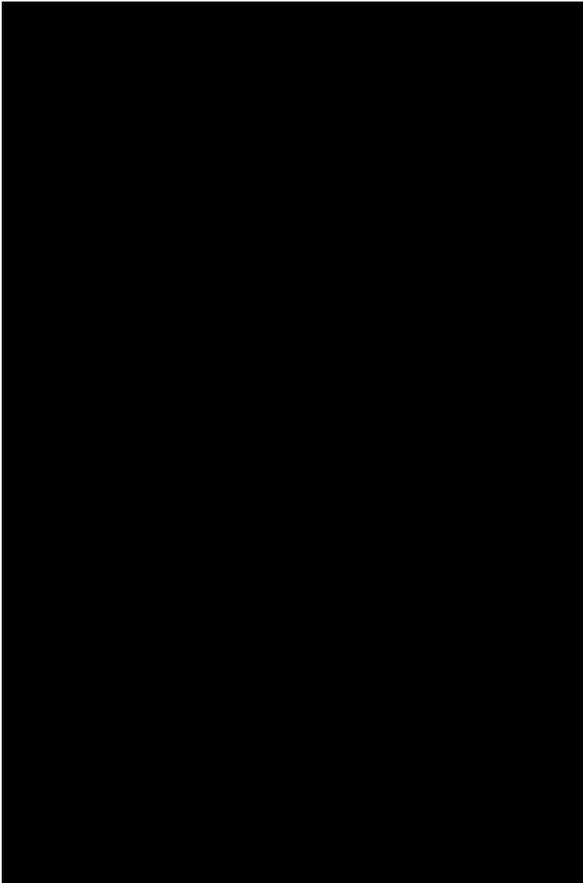




Petition signed by 18 residents of streets in Plains Farm and Humbledon, Sunderland proposed to go into the new “St Chad’s” and “Grindon and Thorney Close” Wards (February 2024 LGBCE consultation)

Dear sirs, we – residents of Plains Farm and Humbledon – do not consider it appropriate to add this area to the new St Chad’s Ward and ask you to revert to your previous warding arrangement for Tunstall and Humbledon Ward.

Petition collected in person and online.



A complementary petition signed by 168 residents of East Herrington and surrounding areas, opposing the inclusion of East Herrington in the same ward as Humbledon Hill and Plains Farm.

We, the undersigned, do not believe that East Herrington belongs in the same ward as Humbledon Hill/Plains Farm and consider these two be two separate communities.

