

# Bradford

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**Related subject:** Bingley Ward Proposal

I disagree with the proposal to divide Bingley town into two wards. There is no social coherence between central Bingley and the communities on Manor Road Cottingley, Harden, Wilsden and Cullingworth. There is however very strong coherence across the whole town of Bingley as currently delineated. It makes no sense socially or geographically to group the parts of Bingley west of the railway line, which are urban, with the outlying rural villages. Each of these villages is separated from its neighbour by fields and moors, whereas the areas of Bingley town are not separated at all. Furthermore the unfortunate and unpleasant division of the town by the dual carriageway in the 1980s should not be seen as a precedent for dividing this coherent community. No community should be divided. If a change must be made it would be preferable to shift whole distinctly identifiable communities such as Eldwick. But keep communities whole.

## Attached Documents:

*None attached*