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Related subject: The moving of the whole of the Spring Place Park development into Dewsbury West

I am concerned by the current proposals to move the boundary of the Dewsbury West ward. We currently live in the Crossley ward on Spring Place Court. We very much feel and participate in activities in Mirfield and are concerned about the effect moving us into Dewsbury would have.

My children attend Mirfield schools and I would be concerned about if moving the boundary would affect school catchment areas. Our house was purchased on the basis we live in Mirfield.

House prices are affected by this boundary and any movement may have effect on the value of our property.

From the recent general election the constituency boundary changed. Spring Place Court now has a different MP the Spring Place Gardens. I doubt the government is going to change the boundaries any time soon.

The council agreed to the houses being split across the boundary. Maybe these considerations should have been made then and not 15 years later when families are settled in areas.

Also there is currently a plane to build a large number of houses that would come under the Dewsbury west area. Surely adding Spring Place Court to Dewsbury would add even more and mean the wards had uneven numbers again. I feel it would make more sense to move the whole of Spring Place Gardens into Mirfield instead.

Attached Documents:

None attached