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Mrs J Hunter, Chief Executive
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CC Chairman Willingham Parish Council

30th October 2015

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Dear Mrs Hunter

RE: Boundary between Willingham and Over

I am the Owner of Highgate Country Business Park and I understand that South Cambridgeshire District Council will soon be reviewing and condensing their County Boundaries.

Thus may be the ideal opportunity for SCDC to also review the Boundary between Willingham and Over.

Highgate Country Business Park is, as you will be aware, only 2 yards from Willingham and 2 miles from Over however I and most of my neighbours feel that we receive very little support at all from Over Parish Council. In fact, in the past, I have had somewhat negative attitude from the Parish Council for example being told that Over Village did not need any more Commercial Development as Norman Way Industrial Park was adequate.

We have just under 100 local people working at Highgate Farm within the 20 small Business and they in turn support the other businesses in Willingham Village such as various shops, the post office etc, something which Over cannot and does not compare with, thus creating a better Village community which I definitely believe is what should be done to maintain Village life rather than it becoming dormant.

I understand that I do have full support for this request from my neighbours with regard to the adjustment of the Boundary lines as it appears, from various conversations, that they also have experienced issues with Over Parish Council's negativity and therefore attached their contact information should you wish to approach them for clarification.

I have also enclosed a copy of the letter which was sent to you on the 11th October 2011 from Willingham Parish Council.

I am fully aware that Boundary lines have to follow a Natural Course and believe the most natural one is the water course West of Highgate Farm which runs from Longstanton to Dockerel Brook or another option could be between the west of Coldharbour Farm and Bungalow Farm.

I and of course my neighbours, hope that you and your Committee will look into this as a matter of importance and hope for an outcome in our favour.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you wish to discuss this matter further.

With Kind regards

Yours sincerely

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B A Papworth

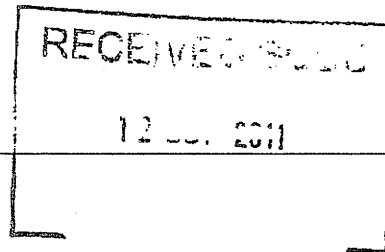


WILLINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL



11 October 2011

Mrs J Hunter
Chief Executive
South Cambridgeshire District Council
South Cambridgeshire Hall
Cambourne Business Park
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Dear Mrs Hunter

Re: Boundary between Willingham and Over

I write to you as the Chairman of Willingham Parish Council to ask that SCDC undertake a local governance review with respect to the boundary between Willingham and Over Parishes.

The Parish boundary between Over and Willingham is offset towards the built up area of the Willingham Parish. The boundary is but a few hundred metres from the main development of Willingham but several km from Over. This means that the residents of Over can have a disproportionate impact on the governance of the Willingham Parish and conversely some Over residents lack representation in areas that can significantly impact on their wellbeing. This has been illustrated in recent times by discussions on the development of the Alwyn Caravan Site and the Highgate business park. Both developments adjoin the developed area of Willingham and even have Willingham postal addresses and yet decisions as to their future lie with Over some 2 km away. This has frustrated the residents of Willingham who see the development of these two areas as significant to their village and yet they have no voice in regard to the two areas.

We recognise that this matter has been considered before but because the Parish of Over did not want a review the matter was taken no further. Since then there has been significant development in the Over parish adjacent to Willingham. We think democracy and natural justice would be best served by a review.

Yours sincerely

Councillor Andrew Cook

Copies to Councillors Manning, Corney and Burling

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List of land / Property Owners and Tenants affected by this requested boundary change and stating their full support for being part of the Willingham Parish.

Mr & Mrs R Manning	[REDACTED]
Mr James Manning	[REDACTED]
Mr Colin Dodd	[REDACTED]
Mr David Holland	[REDACTED]
Mr D Kerly	Kerly & Co Nurseries [REDACTED]
Mr S Jarvis	[REDACTED]
Mrs B Moat	[REDACTED]
Mr & Mrs J Easy	[REDACTED]
Mr David Flack	[REDACTED]
Mr G Pryke	[REDACTED]
Mr & Mrs P Pickering	[REDACTED]
Mr P Papworth	[REDACTED]
Miss S Papworth, The Lodge, Mere way	[REDACTED]
Mr J Wright, The Lodge, Mere way	[REDACTED]
Mr A Granger, Mere way	[REDACTED]
Bridget Scott	The Works Hair & Beauty, Unit 1a Highgate [REDACTED]
G Stubbings,	Wil Fast Unit 1B Highgate [REDACTED]
Julie Saunders	Sew & Sew Unit 1c Highgate [REDACTED]
Mr D Tipple	Unit 2c Highgate 01 [REDACTED]
Mr N Marsh	Unit 2 D,E,F Highgate [REDACTED]
Mr R Bliss	Pristine Foods, Unit 3 Highgate 0 [REDACTED]
Mr J Hardingham	Cambridge Joinery unit 4,5,6,7,8,9,10 [REDACTED]
Mrs M Chadwick	Chadwick Export, unit 8 Highgate, [REDACTED]
Mrs C Few	[REDACTED]
Mrs L Warner	Cambs Property Bureau Unit 9, 0 [REDACTED]
Mr C Vallentine	V.W Technics, Unit 10 Highgate [REDACTED]
Mr T Clarke	High Precision Highgate [REDACTED]
Mr & Mrs J Chadwick	Bungalow, Mereway [REDACTED]
Mr & Mrs R Webb	Far View Farm