

Warboys Parish Council

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Dear Lisa,

PARISH ELECTORAL REVIEW

I refer to your letter dated 24th March 2006 inviting comments as part of the District Council's review of parish electoral arrangements in Huntingdonshire.

The Parish Council recommend that some changes are made to extend the boundaries of Warboys Parish as follows:

New Road

When New Road (A141) was constructed, this separated a small piece of Pidley-cum-Fenton Parish which was left situated to the west of the road and containing Warboys water tower. Warboys Parish Council is regularly consulted on planning applications and proposals concerning the tower on the assumption that it is located in Warboys and those writing to the Council have to be re-directed to Pidley-cum-Fenton Parish Council. Although the land does not contain any property other than the water tower, it would be logical for the boundary to be changed so that this follows the line of New Road.

Wistow Fen

Wistow Fen forms part of the Parish of Wistow but contains a number of properties that have no vehicular access to the village of Wistow without having to travel through either Warboys or Ramsey. It seems illogical that those properties should remain part of Wistow and the Council recommend that all those that cannot be accessed direct by vehicle from Wistow Toll should be transferred to Warboys. As the properties affected cannot be identified precisely from the map supplied, I will talk to local people about detailed access arrangements and let you have further details shortly.

Puddock Road

Most properties in Puddock Road are located in the parish of Warboys. The boundary between Warboys and Wistow follows field boundaries, so that properties on both sides of Puddock Road are located in Warboys. Further north however, the boundary between Warboys and Ramsey follows the

line of Puddock Road itself. This means that neighbours are in separate parishes and properties with a Warboys postal address are located in Ramsey with which they have little affinity. The Parish Council recommend that the boundary be changed so that it follows field boundaries and those properties to the north west of and accessed from Puddock Road (as far as the road linking Puddock Road with Ramsey Hollow) are transferred to Warboys.

I have marked the suggested changes on the attached map, subject to further investigation in respect of Wistow Toll as referred to above. I write to you again in this respect shortly.

I should be grateful if the District Council would make the changes proposed to the boundaries of Warboys as part of the review.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Ray', written in dark ink.

R. Reeves,
Clerk.