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the Woodmansterne
name

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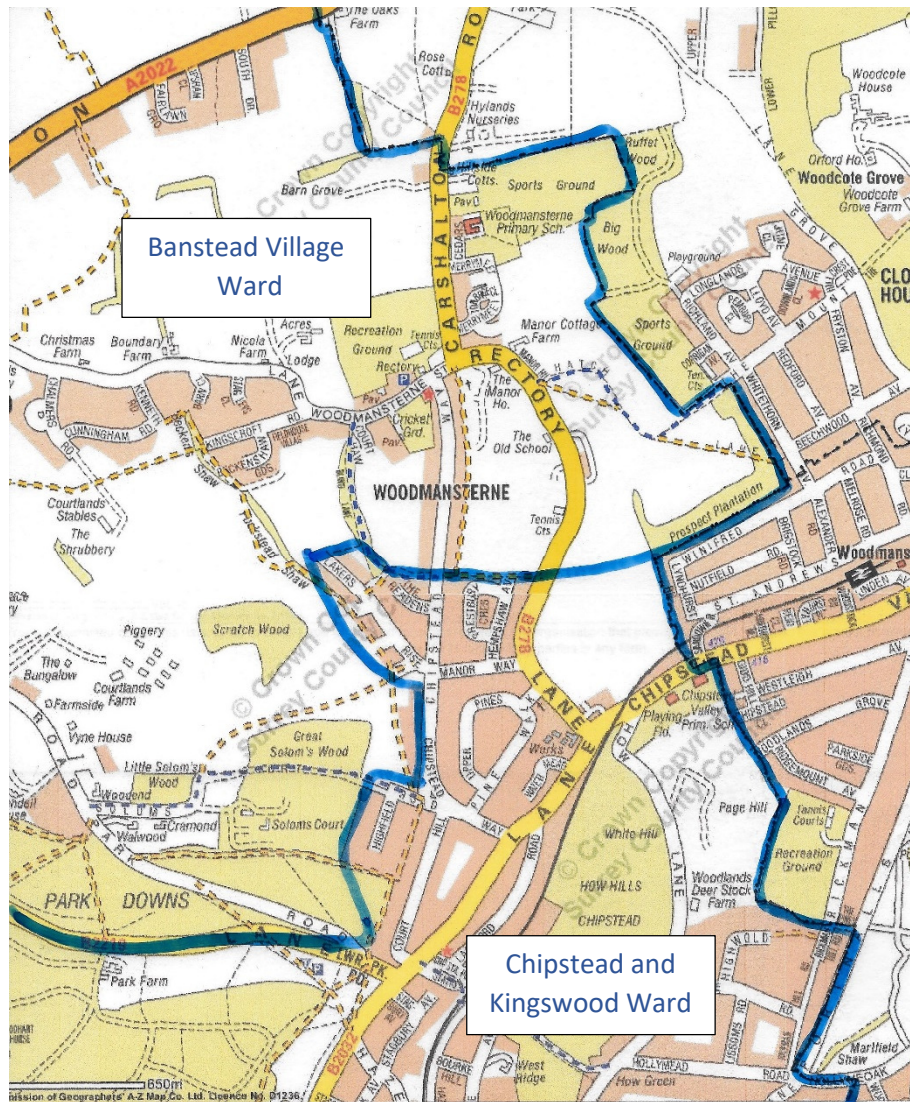
Woodmansterne will be split into two
halves unless you act now!

The Boundary Commission (BC) are making recommendations for new Ward boundaries around the country in order to even up the number of voters in each Ward. Currently Woodmansterne is in the Chipstead, Hooley and Woodmansterne Ward. The proposal for the local area is for the north half of Woodmansterne to be in the Banstead Village Ward and the southern half in Chipstead and Kingswood Ward, thus **losing the Woodmansterne name**.

The village is mentioned in the Domesday Book and has gone through many changes over the last 1000 years especially in the 1930s when the Sunshine estate was built to encompass the roads from Outwood Lane to Woodmansterne Street with Chipstead Way as its spine which the BC intend to sever.

Your Woodmansterne Green Belt and Residents' Association (WGBRA) feel very strongly that Woodmansterne is and has been a very cohesive community for many years. These proposals will be implemented unless action is taken **now**. If not, we will lose the close association with the local councillors who attend WGBRA monthly meetings and who act on your behalf.

Map showing the proposed boundaries as recommended by the Boundaries Commission



The WGBRA committee discussed this issue earlier in the year and backed the proposals made by the local councillors. This would largely have kept Woodmansterne as it is now. The Ward would be named Chipstead, Kingswood and Woodmansterne.

To illustrate the recommendations please see the map opposite, the blue line showing the recommended boundaries.

Points to take into account when making comment are whether the divisions:-

- reflect community interests and identities such as village events and groups
- are based on strong identifiable boundaries
- include the areas where local people go for shops and leisure facilities
- will help the council deliver effective and convenient local government

To comment on these recommendations you can go online to consultation.lgbce.org.uk and put in your postcode or click on the link from the WGBRA website or write to....

Local Government Boundary Commission for England,
1st Floor, Windsor House, 50 Victoria Street,
London, SW1H 0TL.

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The closing date is **13th August 2018.**