

CGR 17

Parishes Affected

Nuneham Courtenay, Marsh Baldon

Matter to be considered

Amending the boundary of Nuneham Courtenay parish to include land on the west side of the A4074, currently in Marsh Baldon parish

Impact on district and county council boundaries

None

Summary of parish council responses

Nuneham Courtenay parish council made this request as it considered that land on the west side of the A4074 being within Marsh Baldon parish was an anomaly. It says that it has the backing of a number of parishioners and that it has discussed the issues with the Curator of Harcourt Arboretum, although it does state the outcome of those discussions.

Baldons parish council considers that current boundary is an historical one and that change is unnecessary.

Summary of other responses

None

Recommendation

To move land west of the A4074 currently in Marsh Baldon parish into Nuneham Courtenay parish, as shown on the attached map

Justification

The vast majority of Nuneham Courtenay parish lies west of the A4074, whilst and the area of land in question is the only part of Marsh Baldon parish to do so. The working group considers that this is a logical rationalisation taking advantage of a good man-made boundary.

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