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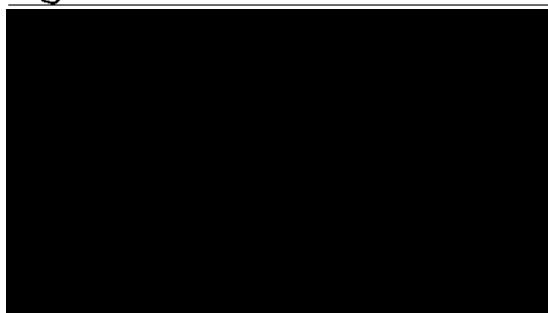
Dawley Hamlets Parish Council has been vital to our community needs and looks after its Residents very well. The community feels that being put into another Parish Council like the gorge will lose all its identity.

Further to the objections already listed on the printed letter I would like to add a few more from a personal point of view.

I would object most strongly to the vast difference we would then have to pay as precept which I understand is over £300 compared to just under £30 at this point in time. It would mean that we the people living in Dawley Hamlets Parish feeling we were paying to support the upkeep and maintenance of a Town Hall, covering the cost of Councillors and also contributing to the services on offer, none of which we would be interested in using. We have chosen to live in a semi-rural area and have purchased properties in line with that setting. We certainly don't wish to be joined to a township and all it entails. This feels very much like a "Big Brother" scenario with the bigger concern riding roughshod over the smaller. A bit like Russia trying to do the land grab and all it entails over Ukraine who like us wish to retain their own identity and remain independent.

Dawley Hamlets is a caring society and the Parish Council reflects that by supplying care in the community where it is needed, i.e. garden services where residents with issues are given help to maintain certain garden jobs to name just one.

It has come to my attention that Dawley Hamlets is not on the Review list on line. Why not? Is this already a done deal? Why haven't we as householders received official notification of the "proposed plans"? Many of the local residents have been unaware of all this until I told them about it but have all voiced objections against it happening.



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DO NOT ABOLISH OUR PARISH COUNCIL!

Name: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

Additional Comments: (HORESHAM VILLAGE HALL)
AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE, THE DAWLEY HAMLETS
PARISH COUNCIL ARE A BIG PART OF THE LOCAL COMMUNITY

I wish my comments to be taken into serious consideration as part of this review before any final decision is taken.

AND PLEASE INVOLVE A NUMBER OF EVENTS AT
OUR VILLAGE HALL. I FEEL THAT THIS WOULD
DISAPPEAR IF THE COUNCIL WOULD BE DISSOLVED.

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Name: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

Additional Comments: *The Dawley Hamlets will be a big loss should not be dismantled. This hard working team ^{they} do well will be a great loss.*

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Name: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

Additional Comments: WE NEED OUR PARISH COUNCIL
THEY DO A LOT FOR THE PARISH & WE
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Address: [REDACTED]

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Name: [REDACTED]

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Additional Comments: We need Dawley Hamlets to
keep our Parish clean and they do a
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Name

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I do not wish to join Dawley Council.

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Name: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

Additional Comments: (HORESHALL VILLAGE HALL)
WE ARE THE COMMITTEE OF THE VILLAGE HALL
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Name: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

Additional Comments:

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Address: [REDACTED]

Additional Comments:WE HAVE LIVED IN THE HAMLET OF
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[REDACTED] 0/6/25.

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Additional Comments: *the parish council has helped me personally
(would not be confident that a larger parish would do the same
I'my service in other areas eg NHS. Surgery has not work with*

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PLEASE LEAVE OUR PARISH COUNCIL
ALONE - THEY HAVE & STILL DO A BRILLIANT

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JOB!
THANK YOU

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DO NOT ABOLISH OUR PARISH COUNCIL!

Name: [REDACTED]

Address: .. [REDACTED]

Additional Comments:

*we feel things should be left as they are
our community is happy with the way things are*

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Name: .. [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

Additional Comments: I TOTALLY DISAGREE WITH
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