

Cllr Chad Thompson  
Melling Parish Council

Date 05/03/14

Ingrid Berry  
Sefton MBC Planning Department  
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Dear Ingrid,

**RE: Town and Country Planning Act 1990. The Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012**

**Designation of Neighbourhood Area, Melling Parish Council**

I am writing to you to request the designation of a neighbourhood area under Section 61 of the above Act.

The application is made by Melling Parish Council, which is a qualifying body within the terms of Section 61.

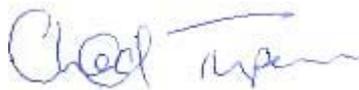
Having considered options for the neighbourhood area and after consulting with Sefton MBC Planning Department and Maghull Town Council, the Parish Council would like part of the parish area only to be designated.

Although the presumption in the Act is that all of the Parish will be included, Melling Parish have decided to exclude the Maghull East site from the area even though part of the site lies within Melling as most of the site lies within Maghull Town Council's boundaries and because the focus of Melling's Neighbourhood Plan is likely to be away from this boundary.

Given this, after discussing the issue with Sefton and Maghull it has been decided to exclude land to the north of the M58 (where Maghull East lies) as the M58 would make a sensible boundary.

Please find attached a map indicating the proposed neighbourhood area.

Regards



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