

Comments from respondents that answered 'Yes'

Yes why not name it as both areas if it is covering both areas, it makes sense
We live in Darlington Lane and object to being classed as Hardwick (x2)
Because it might be better and improve the area
Would like it to be changed
The Ward covers both areas so this would make more sense to people
Personally I would like Hardwick to be removed as we do not live on Hardwick Estate
In early years we were in the Mile House Ward, then we changed to Hardwick Ward, therefore I believe the change will give us a sense of identity
It sounds a lot better (x2)
Separating quiet and peaceful Salters Lane from Hardwick's umbrellawhat can I say?
Because we share the same MP (x2)

Comments from respondents that answered 'No'

Happy with the old name ex "Hardwick Ward"
Don't see the point (x2)
I've always said if it's not broke don't fix it, it might confuse a lot of people will cost to change sign posts maps and paperwork
We are a separate area (x2)
We feel if we join with Salters Lane we will get even less that we get now as an estate and it will be a shame to lose a close knit community to further an estate that has an already settled community that is not being slowly demolished.

Why change its been Salters Lane Estate since 1960's we are not joined to Hardwick
Hardwick with its building program is up and coming estate whereas Salters Lane is going in the opposite direction gaining a reputation
It is Hardwick not Salters Lane
This change is totally uncalled for in the present climate. Surely the council should have enough to do and don't waste time
I would like it to be kept as Hardwick Ward (x6)
I think the name should be Hardwick Meadow Rise to include the new estate
Seems to run OK the way it's always been
Why fix what is not broken. For the sake of a few whingers? (x2)
Changing names of places starts to create confusion
I have just moved to Meadow Rise so would like it to be Hardwick
Too far for me to walk
Will give Salters Lane the same bad reputation as Hardwick
Having lived in Hardwick for over 50 years I think it's a shame to change its name
Didn't know we were called Hardwick Ward
Hardwick Salter Lane Roseworth Mile House and areas should be all one area with one name i.e. Roseworth Salters Lane Hardwick Mile House which would cut down on costs and councillors. The same can be done with MP areas and do away with Stockton North and South MPs, having just one MP for Stockton and give Thornaby and Yarm back to North Yorkshire again saving money the above ideals need to be talked about. I trust that I will be contacted at a later date to take these points further
The letter states this is costing nothing - what about the cost of postage, ink, paper, admin etc.?
Hardwick Ward's a good name not even bad. Changes could only create confusions, disorientations, delays and slowing down; bad for Britain
Hardwick have always had their own identity and proud to live on Hardwick I have lived here since 1970
Should stop the same
I would like it to stay the same less confusion for people and myself

Comments from respondents expressing no preference

"Don't Know"!
Not bothered
It doesn't make any difference really that I know of so not against anyone else's wishes to do this
Not had a voting card for over 20 years and I don't know why

Appendix A

Does it really matter
Not Bothered
I have only just moved here from Scotland so I have no opinion on the name
Not bothered we voted Labour MP in Hardwick and now we have a conservative which the estate did not vote for so we think you will do what you want