
From: Taz De Silva
Sent: Thursday, 19 May 2011 8:47 PM
To: Elections
Subject: Electoral Boundary redistribution

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to you about the proposed boundary changes, in particular the decision to separate Crace & Palmerston from the broader Gungahlin suburbs.

Having recently moved into the Gungahlin area I feel that the needs of the broader Gungahlin area is not being addressed as it is.

I believe any further division would not be in the interests of Gungahlin residents.

I feel that the residents would be better served with either
a electorate over Gungahlin to account for future growth or a electorate tied with Belconnen

Given the lack of employment prospects in the region, especially the lack of government departments given that practically all other town centres have some form of government department.

The need of residents to have the ability to vote on these matters as a region is important.

Also, with the future growth of new suburbs in the Gungahlin area I think it would be wise for residents to be properly represented so that we might have the ability to influence government policy and stop useless/wasteful government policy like the construction of Gungahlin Drive.

Some of the current MLA's for the region also appear to be very limited in consulting with residents unless facing an election campaign.

Thank you

Taz De Silva