

Sent: Saturday, 30 June 2007 3:48 PM
To: Elections
Subject: Molonglo Redistribution

Good afternoon,

I heard on the radio that there is a proposal to remove the suburb of Farrer from the electorate of Molonglo and transfer it to

Brindabella.

I would like to object to this proposal for the following reasons:

- * It does not make sense to remove only one suburb from the Woden Valley
- * Farrer is geographically part of the Woden Valley not the Tuggeranong Valley.
- * Politicians from Brindabella would have little interest in issues in the Woden Valley and we would not be properly represented

in the Assembly, compared with other nearby Woden Valley suburbs. Farrer residents would be disadvantaged.

- * Our ACTION buses operate to Woden not Tuggeranong.
- * Issues that arise in the Woden Valley involve Farrer residents. We are not concerned with issues in Tuggeranong.
- * The Woden Plaza is our nearest major shopping centre, not the Tuggeranong Hyperdome.
- * Our water, sewerage, gas, electricity and phone services are provided through Woden Valley suburbs, not from

Tuggeranong.

I therefore request that the suburb of Farrer remain in Molonglo and that you find some other solution to population variations

within electorates.

Thank You
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