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Submission in Favour of Zali Steggall's Option B for Expansion of Warringah Boundaries And Retention of Electoral Name

I would like to support the above option in relation to the proposed expansion of the redistribution of the boundaries for the federal electorate of Warringah, as well as the retention of the electoral name.

In my submission Option B strikes a happy balance between retaining the indigenous heritage values implicit in the name "Warringah" while at the time facilitating future planning.

Option B proposes the merger of North Sydney LGA and Mosman LGA boundaries for federal electoral purposes, based on similar demographics. North Sydney LGA includes Neutral Bay, Kirribilli and McMahons Point while Mosman LGA includes Mosman Bay. Both LGAs follow the State level boundaries for these areas. Consequently, the resulting consistent redistribution of option B at the local, state and federal level would greatly facilitate urban planning, such as a common harbourside walk linking the two LGAs.

Since the indigenous name of 'Warringah', inter alia, implies proximity to the harbour, it enhances the cultural values that the two LGAs of North Sydney and Mosman share.

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