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Bennelong Redistribution Objection

My wife and I have lived in Epping for past 50 years. Our two daughters went to Epping West Public School and Cheltenham Girls High School.

As such we have been part of the Epping community for the past 50 years. We have over the years made many friends through school, sport, clubs and social activities. These friends live throughout the Epping area. We attend, when an issue arises, the local Civic Trust meetings, to hear and join in discussion on a relevant Epping community matters, where political members of Local, State and Federal governments are in attendance.

Our objection to the redistribution is that the Epping Community will be split along boundary lines not suburb lines. It is unbelievable that a community will be split where different political parties may hold office, even though we are one community. Some members of the community currently belong to political parties or hold political views and these groups will now be spilt purely because of a boundary line.

We have also made connections with the current member for Bennelong and now find that we will be in a totally different electorate with a different member from a different political party.

I therefore wish to register my objection to this proposed redistribution.

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