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The Australian Electoral Commission
(Attn: NSW Redistribution Secretariat)
Locked Bag 4007
Canberra ACT 2601

Dear NSW Redistribution Secretariat,

We are writing to request the inclusion of the bottom end of Mt Pleasant Avenue, Wahroonga, in the federal electorate of Berowra.

Mt Pleasant Avenue is a no-through-road and the NSW redistribution has resulted in the end of the road remaining in Bradfield while the rest of the road moved to Berowra. We cannot enter or leave our section of the street without going through the electorate of Berowra. As a result, we believe that our community of interest lies with the new Berowra electorate not the Bradfield electorate.

It would be difficult for any MP to service us given that access to our property is via Berowra. None of this is a reflection on the work of the member for Bradfield, rather a reflection of the position this redistribution puts us in. I believe our property would be best served by being included within the federal electorate of Berowra.


Previous boundary lines ran along the train line through Hornsby and Normanhurst. As a result, the whole of Mount Pleasant Avenue was included in Bradfield. With the new boundary a small number of houses at the end of the street and our aged care facility will remain in Bradfield while the rest of the street will move to Berowra.

This boundary move, although keeping in line with council boundaries, cuts us off from the rest of the community in our street. We firmly believe that dividing our community does not serve the best interests of our community.

We believe we will be best served by having the boundary moved to run along Coups Creek, as it does so upstream, and include us in the electorate of Berowra.

Thank you for your consideration.

Kind regards


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