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Electoral Distribution Commissioners
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Dear Sir

NEW WESTERN AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL BOUNDARIES

The Shire of West Arthur would like to suggest to the Commissioners in the forthcoming electoral boundaries adjustments that the Shire of West Arthur be retained in an "Agricultural" Electorate. Certainly Council would not like to be included in with the Collie Electorate because of the lack of community interest with that district. As well as the absence of community interests, the other matters that are considered in the Commissioners deliberations also point to an electorate that has an agricultural base.

Without being privy to population disbursements and other criteria that makes up the composition of electorates, Council would like to be grouped into a "Central Wheatbelt" area. Incorporating like councils from say Pingelly in the north, Dumbelyung/Lake Grace in the east, Broomehill/Kojonup in the south to West Arthur/Boddington in the west.

I trust that these suggestions are considered in your deliberations.

Yours faithfully

Len Calneggia
ACTING CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER