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Dear commissioners,

RE Proposed boundaries for the electorate of Rockingham

I am writing in regard to the boundaries of the electorate of Rockingham.

I believe there is an anomaly in that the caravan parks on Dixon and Governor roads have been placed into the electorate of Kwinana.

The two caravan parks have many permanent residents and have always been part of the electorate of Rockingham.

The Cee & See Caravan Park on Governor Road should naturally be located in the electorate of Rockingham.

There are no other residences within that vicinity which are in the new electorate of Kwinana, however immediately across the road there are dozen of residences which are located within the electorate of Rockingham.

Accordingly it will be very confusing, annoying and strange for the people in that caravan park to be located in an electorate with which they would have no community of interest or even neighbours.

The Rockingham Holiday Village on Dixon Road also has many permanent residents and the same arguments could be applied to that caravan park as applied to Cee & See Caravan Park.

Therefore it is my submission that the boundary between the electorates of Rockingham and Kwinana should be as follows:

- Commencing at Cockburn Sound running down Office Road until it meets Old Mandurah Road:
- Running south along Old Mandurah Road until it meets Dixon Road; and
- Running down Dixon Road until it meets Ennis Avenue and then proceeding south.

Yours sincerely.

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