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Dear Sir/Madam

2003 ELECTORAL DISTRIBUTION

Further to the 2003 Electoral Distribution, Council would like to advise the Commission that it is of the view that it is important that townships within the Shire of Roebourne are maintained within the one electorate and not split between neighbouring electorates.

It would be inappropriate, in Council's view, for, say, the townships of Dampier and Karratha to be in one electorate while the remaining townships of Roebourne, Wickham and Point Samson to be in another.

The Shire of Roebourne has a very strong community of interest and a decision of that nature, based purely on numbers, would do little to enhance the bonds which exist between the 5 towns.

We look forward to being able to comment on suggestions put forward at a later stage.

Yours faithfully


T RULAND
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

