



## Objection 11

Alan Barron

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VIC Enquiry

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Question: The present Aboriginal name of Corangamite should be retained. The name comes from the Colijon word koraiyn, meaning bitter or salty (Lake Corangamite). There is no compelling reason to change it. But looks like political correctness is going to trump everything. Why use Mary Cox? Because she is a female? There are probably hundreds of more high achieving men are more worthy than. Cox, including Australian VC winners. But no, must give it to a woman.because she is a she, pathetic. Just leave the name as it is.

From: FedRedistribution - VIC

Subject: [VIC REDISTRIBUTION OBJECTIONS] Alan Barron \*WWW\* [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

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Date: 10 April 2018.

Dear AEC,

Changes to electoral boundaries are inevitable due to population movements. However changing the name of an electorate seems somewhat arbitrary. Why change a good indigenous name like Coranamite to a vague Cox? The AEC offers a very insipid reason for making the change.

The present Aboriginal name of Corangamite should be retained. The name comes from the Colijon word koraiyn, meaning bitter or salty (Lake Corangamite).

But looks like political correctness is going to trump everything at the AEC. But why use Mary Cox as she spent her last years in NSW? Because she is a female? There are probably many more high achieving men who are more worthy than Cox.

Take for example, James Harrison, the local inventor of refrigeration, or John Bowen an early settler, or how about local VC winner James Newland? But no, it seems the AEC must give it to a woman because she is a she. The present name of Ccorangamite has served this area well. Why change it?