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Whitlam

AEC

Dear Sir, I object to the proposal to rename the electorate of Throsby to Whitlam and want the name left unchanged.

Gough Whitlam had no connection with the area covered by the electorate all his life, let alone his political life. He is revered in his old electorate of Werriwa in the south west of Sydney which should have its name changed to commemorate him if that is necessary.

The electorate of Throsby still has descendants of Dr Throsby living in it. Certainly there should be no change while that is the case. Historically the name Throsby has considerable meaning locally and easterly to the coast

It is glaringly obvious there is nothing in common between Whitlam and the electorate of Throsby. Leave Throsby as it is and change Werriwa to Whitlam. That's where the faithful live.