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From: Peter Dawson
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To: FedRedistribution - SA
Subject: It is not broken at the moment, their no need to fix it, how can you justify breaking it?

Dear Australian Electoral Commission,

As a resident and business owner located within Flagstaff Hill, currently in the federal electorate of Boothby I am deeply concerned with the disconnect that is likely should we transferred to the much further south Kingston electorate. It is not broken at the moment, their no need to fix it, how can you justify breaking it?

We shop at Marion, Pasadena & Cumberland Park. We access the train at Tonsley soon to be Flinders station. We obtain medical services at Daw Park, Karalta Park and Bedford Park (Flinders Medical Centre). Most of our business, both private and commercial is in the inner Southern suburbs and rarely required venturing over the hills to the deep south of the Kingston Electorate.

Our community identifies more with the Mitcham Hills and Adelaide Plains areas, which include suburbs like Blackwood and Marion, than it does with the far southern suburbs such as Noarlunga, Christies Beach, Hackham West and Morphett Vale in the federal elecorate of Kingston.

The Onkaparinga Council is inconveniently located in Noarlunga. From our location and circumstances to access the Federal MP in Morphett Vale is even more problematic.

I object to the Commission's draft boundaries that will see our area moved out of Boothby, in many cases, for the first time in over 20 years.

Yours sincerely, Dr. Peter Dawson