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NEW SOUTH WALES



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Please find enclosed, for your consideration, five options for boundary changes to the Division of Robertson.

May I suggest to the committee that no change be made to the southern, and western boundary of the Division of Robertson as these boundaries are clearly defined and easily understood by electors. They maintain strong links of community interests and clearly separate those interests from divisions to the west and south. I have developed five options for consideration based on changes to the northern border of Robertson, which hopefully allow the committee some scope in further changes up the NSW Central Coast and Newcastle area. I have no preference for these options but rather seek to give the committee some local knowledge, to accommodate enrolment transfer from the Division of Dobell to the Division of Robertson. The aim being clarity for electors and ease of electoral administration in achieving enrolment levels within the redistribution parameters.

I have attempted to achieve these goals by:

- Option 1 - using the Main Northern Rail line and the Gosford / Wyong LGA boundary to clearly define the division boundary.
- Option 2 - including the entire locality of Terrigal within the Division of Robertson.
- Option 3 - provide an increased enrolment transfer option by combining option 1 and 2.
- Option 4 - including the entire locality of Wyoming within the Division of Robertson.
- Option 5 - using Wamberal Lagoon and the Entrance Rd to clearly define the physical division boundary

Enrolment transfer figures are as accurate as possible. In those areas where CCDs are split I have indicated the figures I believe remain in Dobell to achieve the new boundary. The committee, I'm sure, has a method of confirming these transfer figures while using my suggested boundary changes. I have provided maps for each option barring option 3. In options 2, 4 and 5 there are further detail maps for clarity.

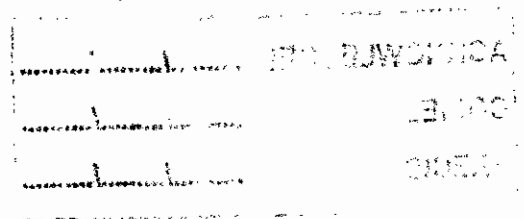
Should the committee require clarification or have any question regarding these options I would be most happy to expand as required.

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I have used the following figures as a basis for the options included.

Robertson Current enrolment – 84875 Robertson 2010 Projected Enrolment – 89324
Projected Average NSW Divisional Enrolment 2010 – 93509 (49 Divisions).

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Attachments

ROBE Summary Map	A] A3 Size
ROBE Option 1 Map	B	
ROBE Option 2 Map	C	
ROBE Option 4 Map	D	
ROBE Option 5 Map	E	
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ROBERTSON

SUMMARY OF BOUNDARY CHANGE OPTIONS

	CURRENT ENROLMENT	CURRENT TRANSFER VALUE	NEW ENROLMENT	PROJECTED ENROLMENT	PROJECTED TRANSFER VALUE	TOTAL PROJECTED ENROLMENT
OPTION 1	84875	3774	88649	89324	3816	93140
OPTION 2	84875	1984	86859	89324	2118	91442
OPTION 3	84875	5758	90633	89324	5934	95258
OPTION 4	84875	6464	91339	89324	6504	95828
OPTION 5	84875	4181	89056	89324	4404	93728

DIVISION OF ROBERTSON BOUNDARY CHANGE OPTION 1

PROJECTED ELECTOR GAIN 3816

Description and reasons: See Map - ROBE Option 1 - Labelled B

Vary the division boundary by extending north along the rail line from that point north of the Manns Rd overbridge to the point on the rail line at the intersection of the Gosford-Wyong LGA boundary. North & West by that boundary until it rejoins the existing division boundary at Dog Trap Rd which then continues to follow the LGA boundary.

This gives the extended division a well defined boundary for electors to understand. All points west of the Main Northern Rail Line and all electors in this area in the Gosford City LGA. It extends the LGA boundary as the division boundary from the F3 Freeway at Dog Trap Rd, East to the Main Northern Rail line.

This option combines 2 currently split CCDs 1222405 and 1222408

Such a boundary change would involve 2 polling place
Niagara Park (Dobell) and (Robertson) -Currently operating at a single location
as a dual polling place.

In adopting this option the following enrolment figures apply

	FROM	Current Electors		2010	% Growth
ADD	1220311	149	Total 220 -Split this CCD 71-Remain in Dobell	149	0
	1222401	374		366	-1.61
	1222403	769	Some remain in Dobell but low %	812	5.87
	1222404	308		301	-0.66
	1222405	86		92	8.24
	1222406	658		653	0.15
	1222408	148		151	1.34
	1222409	347		354	2.31
	1222410	475		479	1.7
	1220210	Unknown number on Pacific Hwy -% Very Low			
	1222411	460		459	0.66

3774	GAIN FROM DOBELL	3816	1.11% GROWTH
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	Projected 2010	Growth	Per Annum
ROBERTSON CURRENT ENROLMENT 84875	89324	5.24%	1.16%
Add Option 1 - Projected 2010	3816		
Projected 2010 enrolment with this boundary change	93140	9.74%	2.16%

DIVISION OF ROBERTSON

BOUNDARY CHANGE OPTION 2

PROJECTED ELECTOR GAIN 2118

Description and reasons:

See Map - ROBE Option 2 - Labelled C

Vary the division boundary to capture that part of the locality of Terrigal that currently exists in the division of Dobell.

See Map ROBE Option 2 -Detail Map - Labelled G

From the southern most entry or possible entry of Terrigal Lagoon via the southern shoreline of that lagoon till Willoughby Rd. North by that road bridge to the Northern shoreline of Terrigal Lagoon. By that shoreline east and then northwest to the junction with lot 351 DP1976 West by its southern boundary and west and then north by Lot 350 DP 1976. West again by the southern boundary of Lot 339 DP 1976. Generally west in a line to the centreline of Willoughby Rd. By its centreline generally North West to the centreline of The Entrance Rd. Generally South West by that Rd to it rejoins the current division boundary on the corner of Serpentine Rd.

This also captures a small section of the locality of Wamberal but because the locality boundaries are quite complicated in this area the use of the major Roads (Willoughby and The Entrance) would be essential in assisting elector understanding of the division boundary.

Such a boundary change would involve 3 polling place
Erina Heights (Dobell) and (Robertson) -Currently operating at a single location as a dual polling place.
Terrigal Lagoon

In adopting this option the following enrolment figures apply

	FROM	Current Electors		2010	% Growth
ADD	1220901	322		340	5.59
	1220902	327	450 Total - 123 Remain in Dobell	342	4.67
	1220903	332		327	-1.51
	1220904	179		273	52.51
	1220910	421		419	-0.48
	1220911	403		417	3.47
1984 GAIN FROM DOBELL				2118	6.75% GROWTH THIS AREA

		Projected 2010	Growth	Per Annum
ROBERTSON CURRENT ENROLMENT	84875	89324	5.24%	1.16%
Add Option 2 - Projected 2010		2118		
Projected 2010 enrolment with this boundary change		91442	7.74%	1.72%

DIVISION OF ROBERTSON

BOUNDARY CHANGE OPTION 3

PROJECTED ELECTOR GAIN

5934

COMBINE OPTION 1 and 2

With the current transfer value being 5758 this would place Robertson within the permissible electors range (79138-96724) at 90633 and would keep Robertson within the redistribution projection time parameter range (90236-96780) at 95258. 1.9% above average enrolment at projection time.

		Projected 2010	Growth	Per Annum
ROBERTSON CURRENT ENROLMENT	84875	89324	5.24%	1.16%
OPTION 1	GAIN FROM DOBELL	3816		
OPTION 2	GAIN FROM DOBELL	2118		
		5934		
	2010 Projected Enrolment	95258	12.23%	2.72%

DIVISION OF ROBERTSON BOUNDARY CHANGE OPTION 4

PROJECTED ELECTOR GAIN

6504

Description and reasons:

See Map - ROBE Option 4 - Labelled D

Vary the division boundary to capture the locality of Wyoming that currently exists in the division of Dobell.

See Map ROBE Option 4 -Detail Map - Labelled H

Strong community of interests link with Gosford.

Boundry description as per Geographical Names Board of NSW
Designated - Suburb - Assigned 15/2/2002

Wyoming is a suburb almost confined to a valley bordered by ridgeline geography to the east and south east. It has far greater community of interest links with the administrative town of Gosford, currently located within the division of Robertson, than to any locality within the division of Dobell.

Capturing the whole locality, even though the boundary appears somewhat complicated on the map, is in fact, because of geography, reasonably clearly defined and reasonably simple for electors to understand.

With the current transfer value being 6464 this would place Robertson within the permissible electors range (79138-96724) at 91339. Low predicted enrolment growth (0.62%) within the Wyoming area would keep Robertson within the redistribution projection time parameter range (90236-96780) at 95828 This however is only a margin of 0.98% below maximum projection. Consideration would need to be given to the statistical offset value in the aggregation process when relying on the small number of CCDs involved in the Wyoming area and the small margin for error against the maximum projection result.

FROM	Current Electors		2010	% Growth	
1220203	293		295	0.68%	
1220211	289		276	-4.50%	
1220212	1069	329 Remain in Dobell	740		
1220301	423	310 Remain in Dobell	140		
1220305	326		325	-0.31%	
1220308	522		520	-0.38%	
1220309	236		230	-2.54%	
1220310	355		359	1.13%	
1220312	579		577	-0.35%	
1220401	358		349	-2.51%	
1220402	349		348	-0.29%	
1220403	431		437	1.39%	
1220404	395		424	7.34%	
1220405	271		260	-4.06%	
1220406	307		313	1.95%	
1220409	270		276	2.22%	
1220410	310		315	1.61%	
1220412	320		320	0.00%	
7103					
Minus those remaining in dobell					
6464			6504	0.62% GROWTH THIS AREA	
			Projected 2010	Growth	Per Annum
ROBERTSON CURRENT ENROLMENT			84875	5.24%	1.16%
Add Option 4 - Projected 2010			6504		
Projected 2010 enrolment with this boundary change			95828	12.90%	2.87%

DIVISION OF ROBERTSON

BOUNDARY CHANGE OPTION 5

PROJECTED ELECTOR GAIN 4404

Description and reasons: See Map - ROBE Option 5 - Labelled E

Vary the division boundary north along Terrigal Beach to Wamberal Lagoon
 From the southern most entry or possible entry of Wamberal Lagoon via the south western
 shoreline of that lagoon to the point on that shoreline opposite Loxton Ave. At that point
 west to the centreline of Ocean View Dr. By that centreline north west to the centreline of
 The Entrance Rd. By that centreline west souwest to it rejoins the current division boundary
 on the corner of Serpentine Rd.

See MAP - ROBE Option 5 Detail Map - Labelled F

Such a boundary change would involve 4 polling place
 Erina Heights (Dobell) and (Robertson) -Currently operating at a single location
 as a dual polling place.

Terrigal Lagoon

Wamberal

In adopting this option the following enrolment figures apply

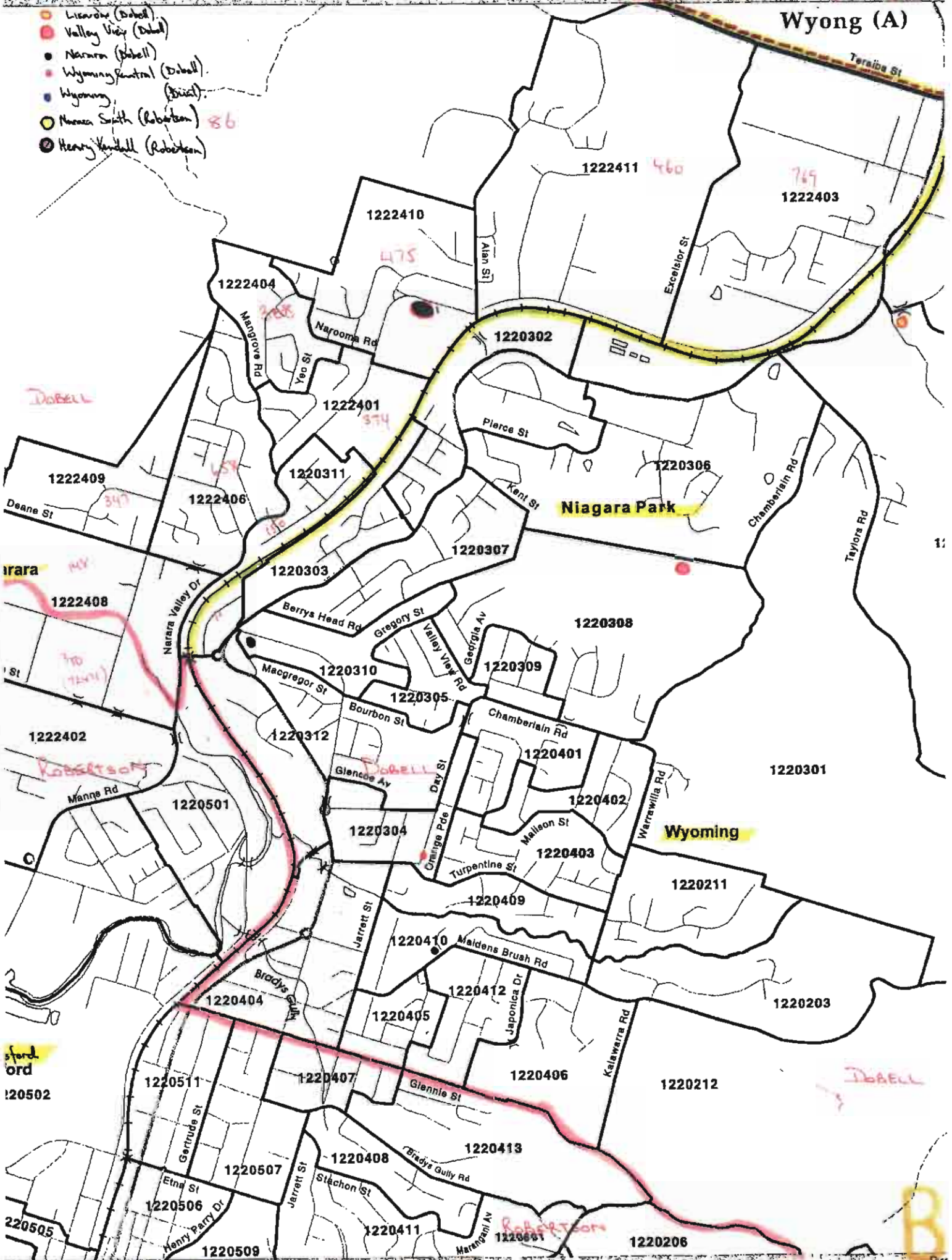
	FROM	Current Electors	2010	% Growth	
ADD	1220901	322	340	5.59%	
	1220902	450	471	4.67%	
	1220903	332	327	-1.51%	
	1220904	179	273	52.51%	
	1220910	421	419	-0.48%	
	1220911	403	417	3.47%	
	1220806	400	423	5.75%	
	1220809	424	424	0.00%	
	1220812	326	347	6.44%	
	1220908	343	341	-0.58%	
	1220909	317	332	4.73%	
	1220914	264	290	9.85%	
		4181	GAIN FROM DOBELL	4404	5.33% GROWTH THIS AREA

	Projected 2010	Growth	Per Annum	
ROBERTSON CURRENT ENROLMENT	84875	89324	5.24%	1.16%
Add Option 5 - Projected 2010		4404		
Projected 2010 enrolment with this boundary change	93728	10.43%	2.32%	

ROBE - OPTION 1

- Current Boundary
- Extended Boundary (Robertson)
- Niagara Park Polling Place (Dial)
- LRA Boundary
- Lisarow (Dobell)
- Valley View (Dobell)
- Narara (Dobell)
- Wyoming Central (Dobell)
- Wyoming (Dobell)
- Narara South (Robertson)
- Henry Kendall (Robertson)

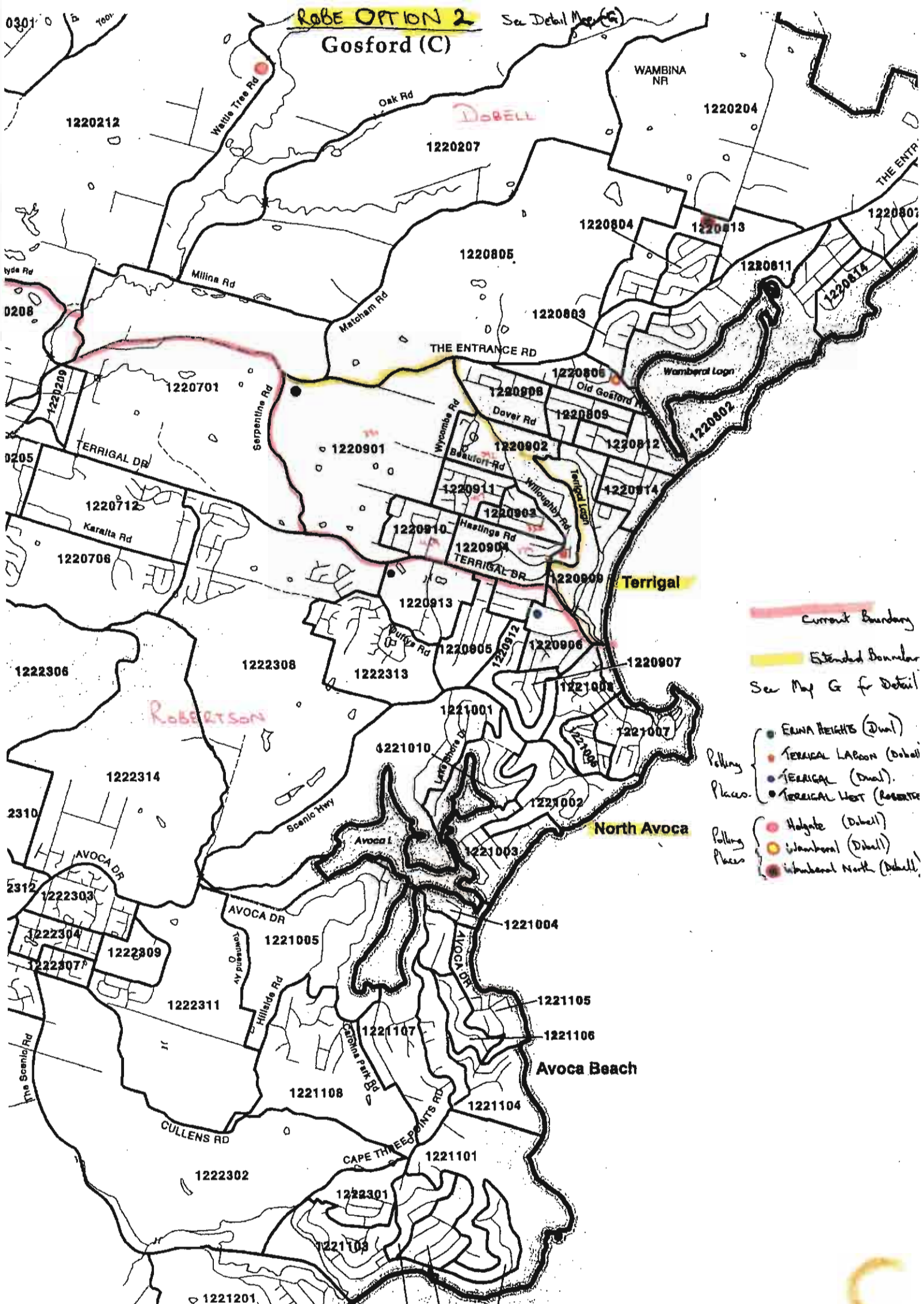
Follow Wyong-Gosford Council Boundary until you reach Central Districts boundary at Deane St



ROBE OPTION 2

See Detail Map (G)

Gosford (C)



- Current Boundary
- Extended Boundary
- See Map G for Detail
- Polling Places:
 - ERINA HEIGHTS (Dual)
 - TERRIGAL LAGOON (DOBELL)
 - TERRIGAL (Dual)
 - TERRIGAL WEST (ROBERTSON)
- Polling Places:
 - Haldgate (DOBELL)
 - Wamberal (DOBELL)
 - Wamberal North (DOBELL)

ROBE OPTION 4

Current Boundary

Extended Boundary

FOUNTAINDALE
See Robe Option 4 Detail Map

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GLENN

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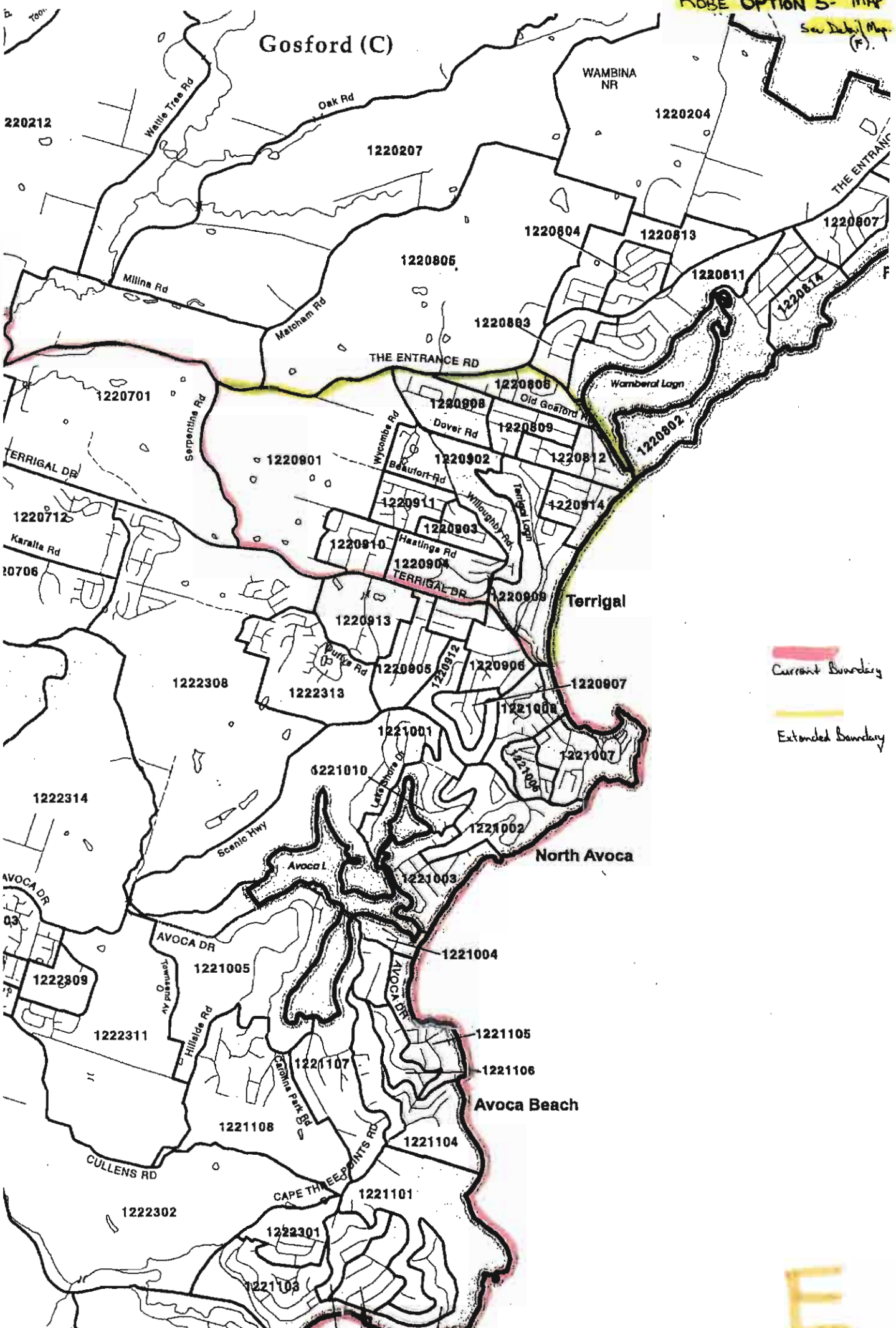
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ROBE OPTION 5- MAP

See Detail Map (F)

Gosford (C)



Current Boundary

Extended Boundary

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ROBE OPTION 5: Detail MAP

