



**The Federal Redistribution 2006  
NEW SOUTH WALES**



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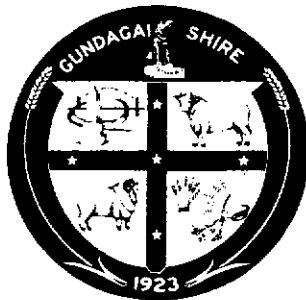
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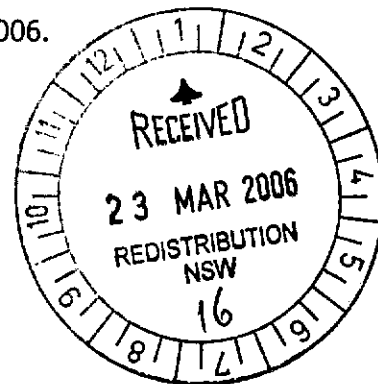
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20 March 2006.

Redistribution Committee for N.S.W.,  
PO Box 20014,  
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Dear Sir,

**Re: Electoral Redistribution in New South Wales**

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the redistribution of federal electoral boundaries in N.S.W. The Council considered this matter at its' meeting of 14<sup>th</sup> inst.

At the last redistribution the Gundagai Local Government Area was relocated from Hume to the Riverina Electorate. The Gundagai Community has a strong community of interest with the rest of the Riverina Electorate which is linked by the Murrumbidgee River flowing through it. Wagga Wagga is also our regional centre and reinforces the community of interest across the electorate. As such the Council has resolved to request that the Gundagai area remain a part of the Riverina that includes Wagga Wagga in any redistribution proposal.

Given that the current enrolment is only 500 electors short of the required quota and projections indicate that Riverina growth will be above the State average the existing boundaries can be maintained and the criteria for number of electors will be met.

The Council looks forward to your favourable consideration of our request to maintain the electorate of Riverina and give our constituents some continuity of representation.

Yours faithfully,

G.A.J. Tickner,  
General Manager.