



## **Objection 81**

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## To whom it may concern

Is it a joke or a deliberate attempt to make the Corangamite electorate a laughing-stock to propose a new boundary and changing the name to 'Cox'. When addressing or reporting on the 'Member for Cox', I hope the next verbs in the sentence aren't 'comes, came, withdrew, rose, stands, released, grew, entered, engaged, exposed, exploded, expelled, extended, handed and gave' for example, as I would find that rude and

offensive.

More importantly, Corangamite is not just about a lake, it is an aboriginal word which is still pronounced phonetically as it was written in the early 1840s. The proposed new boundary would also slice right through the Gulidjan language area. Instead of further eroding our aboriginal history we should always be working to show respect and embrace it.

As for Colac, it would be at the edge of nowhere as part of Wannon, when now it is a gateway to the Otway Ranges and service centre for the Great Ocean Road touring route. And all this for 12,000 people?

