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Dear Australian Electoral Commission

I am writing to express my strong objection to the current proposal that includes the suburbs of Nelson, Box Hill, Gables, and Rouse Hill in the Greenway redistribution. These suburbs, traditionally blue-ribbon Liberal seats, are not part of Western Sydney but rather The Hills. The current sitting member, Michelle Rowland, resides in Kenthurst, which is in the Berowra electoral division. This raises questions about the fairness and accuracy of the current electoral boundaries.

These four suburbs should stay in the Mitchell electoral division. But if redistribution is necessary, then Box Hill and Gables should move to the Macquarie electoral division, as Hawkesbury's suburbs share facilities and infrastructure. Rouse Hill stays in the Mitchell electoral division, and Nelson moves over the acreage properties of the Berowra electoral divisions. These suburbs align better than Greenway, and these electoral boundaries are aware of the many challenges the above four suburbs face.

Is the sitting member aware of the pain points of these newly established Box Hill and Gables suburbs? Is she aware of the lack of schooling, infrastructure, hospitals yet to be built, roads, parking, on demand buses, post office services, bridges etc. How will she serve a community with so many challenges and pain points? We have never seen her in our electoral division. She will need to work extremely hard to win these communities over.

Yours faithfully

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