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Mr Ivan Dean, MLC Independent Member for Windermere Legislative Council 4th Floor, Henty House One Civic Square LAUNCESTON TAS 7250



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community.

Dear Ivan

## PROPOSED BOUNDARY CHANGES FOR THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL RE: **ELECTORATES**

Thank you for your correspondence of 3rd February 2017 in which you provided information and details relative to the proposed boundary changes for the Legislative Council electorates.

In response to your request seeking Council's position on the proposed boundary changes, a report was submitted to the ordinary Council meeting held on the 15th February 2017 for consideration.

During deliberation on the matter considerable discussion was held in relation to your correspondence and the information contained therein. Council also considered the effects that any boundary change may have on this electorate including any potential for reduced representation for the electors of this area.

Council has determined that it does not support any proposed boundary redistribution that would result in a reduction of the ability of the electors of the area to be represented.

Council does not have a position or preference in respect to a name change for "Windermere" or retention of the current name.

On behalf of Council I thank you for the opportunity to comment and to relay Council's position on the proposed boundary changes for the Legislative Council electorates.

Yours sincerely

Kim Barker

ACTING GENERAL MANAGER

Mayor, Councillors cc.





