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The proposed division of Geebung between electorates is deeply concerning because it unnecessarily fragments a well-established local community with shared infrastructure, identity, and services. Electoral redistributions are meant not only to balance population numbers, but also to respect “communities of interest” and minimise disruption to voters wherever possible.

Splitting Geebung would sever key local anchors such as the train station, community organisations like the RSL, and shared recreational spaces, creating confusion for residents and weakening effective representation. Geebung is a compact suburb centred around common transport and social hubs, and dividing it risks diluting advocacy for local issues across multiple MPs. While redistribution is necessary to maintain population balance, this proposal appears to prioritise numerical adjustments over coherent community boundaries, resulting in avoidable disruption and a poorer outcome for residents.