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Submission:

Objection to removal of Tambo from the Gregory electorate

Submission Attachments

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Qld Redistribution Commission
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Dear Commissioners

Electoral District of Gregory

Longreach Regional Council expresses its objection to the proposed removal of part of Blackall Tambo Regional Council from the District of Gregory into the District of Warrego.

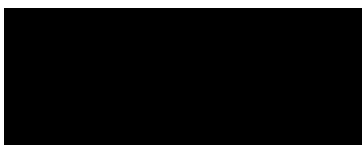
Our regional organization of councils, RAPAD, consists of seven Councils, who work together on a collaborative basis for the betterment of the whole region. To remove a portion of one of those seven Councils from Gregory, destroys our ability to collectively advocate as a region.

Under the Commission's proposal, Blackall Tambo Regional Council and RAPAD would have to meet and consult with two different members of parliament for all State Government matters. I acknowledge that this occurs in coastal electorates, but we are all small remote Councils with limited resources.

The very small number of voters, and the small geographical area, involved in the Commission's proposal has minimal impact on the projected electoral numbers for either Gregory or Warrego.

Longreach Regional Council requests that you reconsider your proposal, and retain the town of Tambo within the Gregory electorate.

Yours sincerely



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Chief Executive Officer