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Electoral District: All; Moggill; Mount Ommaney; Indooroopilly (formerly Maiwar)

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I can see several areas close to home which don't appear to make sense. Moggill now crosses the river. Indooroopilly has been expanded west across the freeway. Mount Ommaney has lost Darra and gained Chelmer. These don't better group people with common cause or more sensibly align boundaries with geographical features. I understand there are similar issues towards the Gold Coast.

I understand that redistricting is necessary but failing to follow a reasonable pattern prevents the those of us living in these districts from having appropriate representation. I do not believe this redistricting will prevent me from having someone represent my interests, but I believe it will for people in chelmer. It will impact my ability to be heard outside of my own electorate when redistricting influences who the next majority party is. This process appears to be done for political advantage. I respect that the process is necessary, but increasing your seats without increasing your votes undermines the system it is supposed to be improving.

I can see things that don't make sense and it leaves me with the impression that the logic behind them is partisan. I am not the only one who has this concern.