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Totally dismayed to move from sunshine Beach and find small township of Cooroy cut in half for Government elections, although everyone in the Cooroy area is paying Noosa Shire rates. Please correct this. The township is unfortunately also "cut" by the railway line. We need election unification boundaries to realign Cooroy as a whole so as to better serve our community, especially on big issues we are facing. The Noosa State Govt MP and her office has always been in tune with the needs of Cooroy and has always been readily available and provides information and answers and support to anyone in the Noosa Shire. The past member for Nicklin.. to which I am now assigned to was barely known in this electorate.. geographically, Nicklin is just far too big and it is impossible for one MP to serve all, especially when the Noosa Shire interests are so different to the rest of the electorate. Our new State member has been trying very hard to engage but it is still obvious Cooroy, Black Mountain and Doonan especially are more in tune to Noosa.. where we pay our rates to. A new boundary line will help Cooroy unify and work better as a community. Please help.. at present we need to work with two MPs to try to get basic things like pedestrian crossings, safer roads and intersection infrastructure.. in the end nothing happens and our area misses out on basic improvements. And no I would never wish to be a part of the Sunshine Council.. very depressing what is happening in that Shire. Please unite so that we are represented by the same entity we pay our rates to.. thank you.