



Claim that an elector should not be on the electoral roll



Authorisation to collect the information on this form is contained in the Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918

Objection to enrolment

If you believe that a person whose name appears on an electoral roll is not entitled to be enrolled, for any of the reasons listed below, then you may notify the Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) of your objection to that person's enrolment.

With one exception, to lodge an objection you must be enrolled in the same electoral subdivision as the person named in your objection. The exception is where you are objecting to a person because you believe them to be of unsound mind and incapable of understanding the nature and significance of enrolment and voting. In this case, you must be enrolled but not necessarily in the same subdivision.

The objection process

When your objection is received we will write to the person you have named notifying them of your objection and stating the reason you have given. The person will be allowed 20 days to provide information to confirm their right to remain enrolled. If they are unable to do so, or if they do not respond within 20 days, their name will be removed from the electoral roll.

If your objection is considered to be frivolous or vexatious it will be dismissed without giving notice to the person you have named.

Objection reasons

Reasons for making an objection are that you believe the person:

- ~~does not live at the address shown on the roll and has not lived at that address for the past 12 months.~~
(An objection may not be made for this reason if the person is currently registered with the AEC as an Antarctic elector.)
- is of unsound mind and incapable of understanding the nature and significance of enrolment and voting
(An objection made for this reason must be accompanied by a certificate from a registered medical practitioner specifying that the person is of unsound mind and incapable of understanding the nature and significance of enrolment and voting.)
- is not yet 17 years of age (note that persons may enrol when they are 17 but cannot vote until they are 18)
- is not an Australian citizen, or a British subject who was enrolled on 25 January 1984
- is enrolled in the wrong subdivision
- is enrolled more than once
- has been convicted of treason or treachery and not pardoned

Different reasons for objection to enrolment for State or Territory purposes may also apply.

Lodging your objection

When you have completed this form lodge it with the Divisional Returning Officer for the division for which the person named in your objection is enrolled. You must pay a deposit of \$2.00 for each objection unless the reason for your objection is that the person is of unsound mind in which case no deposit is required.

If the person named is removed from the electoral roll as a result of your objection the deposit will be refunded.

Further information

You can get more information at any office of the Australian Electoral Commission. Addresses are listed in the phone book or you can ring 13 23 26 or visit www.aec.gov.au

Note: Giving false or misleading information is a serious offence.

1 Electoral Division **ORANGE**

2 Details of the elector who should not be on the electoral roll (as shown in the latest electoral roll)

Surname **DUFFY**

Given names **KEVIN**

Enrolled address [Redacted]

NSW Postcode **2800**

The elector's current postal address, if known (if the same as above, write 'AS ABOVE')

[Redacted]
[Redacted]
Postcode



Reason the elector should not be on the electoral roll

- Of unsound mind and incapable of understanding the nature and significance of enrolment and voting Attach a medical certificate
- Other Give reason below

NOT RESIDING AT THE ABOVE ADDRESS [Redacted]

5 DECLARATION

The information I have given is true and complete.

I am aware that my name and address, and the reasons I have given for my objection, will be provided to the elector.

Signature **[Signature]**

Date **31/10/12**

Family name **KIND**

Given name(s) **GARRY**

Date of birth [Redacted]

Residential address [Redacted]

NSW Postcode **2800**

Postal address (if the same as above, write 'AS ABOVE')

AS ABOVE
Postcode

Telephone [Redacted]

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Medical Certificate supplied?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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Quintyn Fisher,
Orange

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rd and I came to live in this area

ies I am sure the paid Trust will introduce
a more efficient and professional manage-
ment, but they will have to cover their own
wages for a start. This will come at a huge cost
to the people who are passionate about our
beautiful park.

Our state parks will soon only be available
to the wealthy.

Rosslyn Joseph,
Dubbo

Changing tyre a walk in the park

I WOULD like to thank the two lovely lady
walkers who helped me on Monday morning
at 6.15 change a tyre in Peisley Street near the
library.

I had managed to get three of the wheel
nuts undone but the other two were so tight I
was getting quite frustrated.

Unfortunately, I had left my phone at
home so was unable to call my husband or
roadside assistance to come to my aid.

One of the women, who had a bit of a Kiwi
accent, got in and got the wheel nuts undone
and we were able to finish the job to get me on
my way to work.

So ladies thank-you very much, your assis-
tance was greatly appreciated.

Kerrie Ferguson,
Clifton Grove, Orange

Saluting Girl Guides' service to community

I GREW up in Orange and many of
my friends proudly served as Girl
Guides.

I would like to defend the Girl
Guides who have come under some
unwarranted attack for vowing to
serve their community and their
country.

Our kids are our future and it is so
important that we back them in devel-
oping the ethic of service to our com-
munity and love of our country.

While I respect that some people
have an emotional commitment to
other countries, and that is their right
in a democracy, our first and foremost
pledge should be to our own. We have
built a unique society here in Australia
based on values like the fair go.

We have also built a stronger
democracy than those we borrowed
from. We were first to introduce votes
for women, elected upper houses and
secret voting, just to name a few of our
achievements as Australians. The UK
is still debating introducing democ-
racy to its upper house.

In earlier generations we might
have considered that we were a colo-
nial outpost but not any more.
Australia is one of the world's great
nations in so many ways, in our own
right.

When we are born here we are not
asked to pledge allegiance, but
migrants are properly asked to pledge
allegiance to Australia.

make to their community.

I salute them for their service to Australia.
David Morris, national director
Australian Republican Movement

Councillor has ratepayers at heart

Fairfax Media
CWD

I WOULD like to congratulate retiring
councillor Peter Hetherington for his contri-
bution to Orange City Council over a number
of terms of office.

I believe Peter has always acted in the best
interest of the ratepayers on every facet and
issue under local government jurisdiction.

I thought the article in the *Central Western
Daily* in November 2011 where you state your
attendance at council over a long period of
time has been outstanding and your absence
was due to sincere family commitments
really needed no explanation.

Ninety-nine per cent of Australians are fair
and decent-minded people and would fully
understand and wholeheartedly support you
in your actions and commitment to your
family.

As indicated in the November article,
councillor Reg Kidd's refusal to apologise
after calling councillors' non-attendance at
meetings disgraceful in my opinion showed a
lack of respect to certain aspects of someone's
personal life. I am sure all of your other fellow
councillors appreciate your actions and your
solid contribution as well.

Peter, congratulations and best wishes to
you and your family.

Kevin Duffy,
Borenore

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Letters

Election groups not political

Your editorial of two weeks ago (Molong Express 16/8/2012) is one of the reasons voters are confused. You wrongly state that Ian Gosper's Group drew position one on the ballot paper, Lachy MacSmith's group position two and Kevin Walkers Group position three. In fact Kevin Walker's Group drew position one, Ian Gosper's two and Lachy MacSmith's three. I believe a correction showing the right groups should be published prior to the election.

The three groups were formed so that people from all areas of the shire would have the chance of representation and to provide a way forward after the ward system was recently abolished.

People have the option of voting above or below the line, the choice is theirs. There never was, or will be, the desire for these groups to vote as groups on Council. These groups are not politically motivated, we are all individuals and if elected will be voting as individuals.

Rightly or wrongly on September 8 we are all voting under the proportional representation voting system. This encourages the formation of group voting. Maybe we should be lobbying to change the rules and go back to first past the post voting, instead of condemning these groups.

Ian Gosper, Molong

Fairfax Media?

Some truths about Cabonne

In response to Derek Johnson's Letter to the Molong Express the 23rd August 2012.

It is great to see Candidates pledging to work hard and be fair to all. I have researched the records of Councils across New South Wales and I have not found anywhere that Derek Johnson has served or obtained any experience in representing ratepayers in Local Government. So the conclusion is that Derek has no experience in matters of Local Government, Planning, works, Community Services etc... So Derek you are well equipped to talk about 'crap'.

I would encourage Derek to look at the Cabonne Eastern Rural Sectors website (cers.net.au) and you will find fact after fact which he simply ignores. He may need to get someone with IT experience to assist.

Fact 1: Residents and Ratepayers on the outskirts of Orange are denied a democratic vote in their community of interest which is Orange. Orange is where their fixed costs are. Fixed costs are Showground, public toilets, Sports fields, etc the list is virtually endless. Derek you have a say in your community of interest at Molong why can't they have a say in theirs.

Fact 2: Ratepayers in the East of Cabonne pay far in excess than their Orange farming counterparts and if you have a look at the website you will see that some ratepayers over the past 5 Years have paid around \$50,000 more under Cabonne than if they were under Orange Council. They are being ripped off.

Fact 3: The Molong Rate Collection Report for General Rates and Business Rates, states that around \$300,000 comes from the Village. Molong over the past few years has had millions of dollars poured into it and even in this years Budget there

is \$1.9 million being spent on remediation of the old Gas Works. Molong is definitely not paying its way.

Fact 4: Cargo Road and Burrendong Way are Council responsible roads and they have well over 2 to 3 thousand car movements a day. These roads are a disgrace and Council continues to spend large amount of funds on roads that have far less traffic, Example Gundong Road \$972,00 which has around 50 to 100 car movements a day. Manildra/ Gumble Road \$900,000 and Cumnock/ Gumble Road \$868,000. The other Eastern Councillors sat there and said nothing.

Fact 5: Destination 2036 (which is an initiative of the Current Coalition Government) is about reviewing the 152 local Councils across NSW with a vast range of reform which includes Boundary Adjustments and Amalgamations. It is not the "Duffy Plan" as indicated by Candidate Jamie Jones of Molong.

On the issue of Boundary Adjustments, the facts are endless and most can be viewed on the CERS web Site.

While it is great to see young people standing for Council, the claim from Jones, "the Duffy Plan", is way off the mark, he may be forgiven for being young and naive, but any further outburst could see a recommendation from me to send him home to have his bottom smacked.

The former National Party member for Orange, Russell Turner is 100% behind this Local Government Reform.

It is well whispered that Cabonne, Blayney and Wellington Councils survived the previous amalgamation round because the then Minister, Tony Kelly, who was a former General Manager of Wellington Council - encouraged the WBC Alliance which it is said to have saved \$4 million dollars over the last ten years.

The removal of the 2 General Managers from two of the three councils would have

seen that amount saved automatically let alone all the other savings through IT and the so called shared services savings.

Mr Johnson. You have such hands on knowledge of local government, I would suggest to the Northern end of Cabonne Council to vote Below The Line on September 8th and choose Mullins, Chrystall, Hayes, Young, Punch and Nash.

For the Southern end of Cabonne Council, Walker, Burns, Dean, Treavors, Ward and Ingham.

Derek, as for my political persuasion, I am proud of it. Just Think in the last five years, New Hospital in Orange, Watuwin Health Centre Molong, New Canobolas Command Fire Station, New Canobolas Command Police Station, Four Town Sewerage System in Cudal, Manildra, Cumnock and Yeoval, The Northern Distributor Road, CSU Dental Campus, Orange, RLCIP Grants, BER to local schools, The list goes on. Will the Coalition match??

Yes Mr Johnson it must be, to use your word "CRAP".

I am sure there are a lot of residents in Molong that do not share your views. Villages such as Yeoval, Molong, Canowindra, Eugowra, Cudal, Manildra, Cumnock and many other centres have a magnificent future. But it is not under Cabonne. If you have to rely on 20% of the shire to keep it sustainable and their community of interest is elsewhere and they are denied a democratic right, the outlook is not great.

Being a Councillor is about delivering Services and good governance. Its not a popularity contest.

My message is clear, Vote below the line and vote for Candidates without vested interests and for Candidates that will stand up for you and not be puppets, socialites and 'yes' voters to Council staff.

Council is big business!

~~Kevin Duffy, Borenore~~

Molong Express, Thursday 30 August 2012

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The Commissioner
NSW Electoral Commission
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Sydney NSW 2000
Dear Officer,

Re: Eligibility of Mr Kevin Duffy for Orange City Council

The Orange Ratepayers' Association Inc., would like to bring to your attention that the Association has concerns in regard to the eligibility of Kevin Duffy to nominate for Orange City Council.

Kevin Duffy is a resident of Borenore and an immediate past Councillor for the neighbouring local government area, Cabonne.

The Association is of the opinion that Kevin Duffy did deceive the Australian Electoral Commission when he enrolled for the Orange electorate in 2012. It appears to the Association that Mr Duffy claimed to be a resident of Orange and thereby eligible to vote and stand for Orange City Council. Apparently, he changed his address on his driver's licence [REDACTED] and then used this to prove that he lived in Orange.



The Association maintains that Mr Kevin Duffy is not and has not been a resident at this address in Orange and therefore ineligible to be a Councillor on the Orange City Council. The Association requests that this be thoroughly investigated immediately because of the serious nature of the matter.

The Association can provide what it considers as evidence, information to indicate that Mr Duffy is and has been a resident of Borenore. Other supportive evidence, beyond the capabilities of the Association, may be acquired through more formal channels.





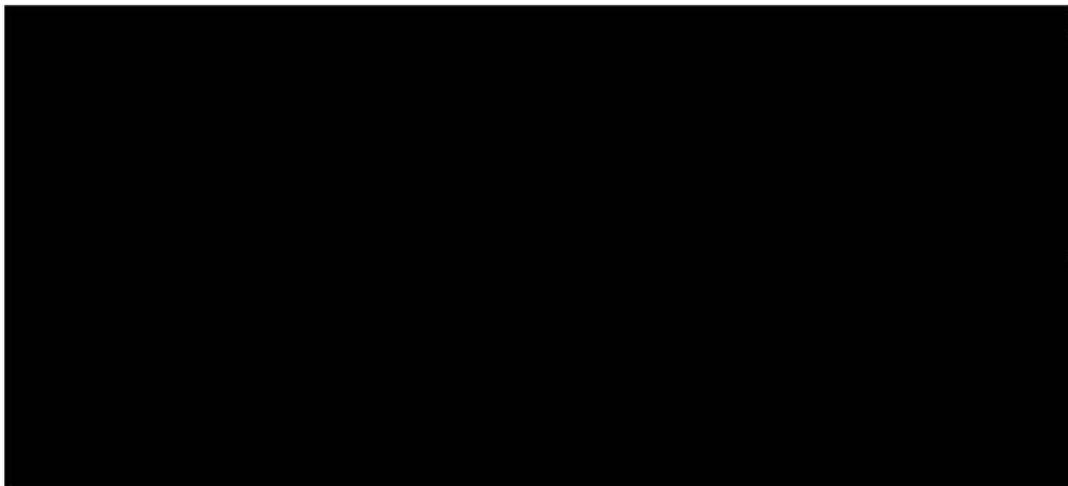
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The following articles: "Councillor has ratepayers at heart" Central Western Daily (CWD) Sat. 21.7.12 and "Some truths about Cabonne" Molong Express Thursday 30 August 2012, clearly indicate that Kevin Duffy considers he is from Borenore. This period is in the run up to the Local Government election of 8th September 2012. (see attachments)



Kevin Duffy appears to be committed to the Borenore community (Cabonne) by his involvement with the "Borenore Community Sports and Social Club" (ABN 40 078 429 270) and an Orange/ Cabonne boundary change group.



Many residents of both Orange and Borenore were suggesting to the Association, to some of its members, that Kevin Duffy did in fact live at Borenore before and after the elections. Therefore, some members decided to ascertain the validity of such claims. To date, everything suggests that Kevin Duffy resides at Borenore and not in Orange. Witness Statements are attached to indicate the research and observations made to come to this conclusion.

The Association would request that you review this matter at your earliest convenience and refer the matter to the Tribunal, if you consider this would be the proper course.

Yours Truly



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