



# Objection 354

Liberal Party of Australia (Victorian Division)

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Augmented Electoral Commission for Victoria  
Australian Electoral Commission  
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Dear Commission Members,

**Objections to the Proposed Redistribution of Victoria from the Liberal Party of Australia (Victorian Division)**

The Liberal Party of Australia (Victorian Division) welcomes the opportunity to make submissions to the Augmented Electoral Commission for Victoria regarding the proposed redistribution of Victorian into electoral divisions.

Please find enclosed the written objections of the Liberal Party of Australia (Victorian Division).

The Liberal Party is able to provide additional information should you consider it necessary.

Yours sincerely,



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State Director

## Objections to the Proposed Redistribution of Victoria

The Liberal Party of Australia (Victorian Division) welcomes the opportunity to make objections to the Proposed Boundaries for Victoria and acknowledges the important role these objections play in ensuring proper representation for the people of Victoria in the Federal Parliament.

The Liberal Party recognises the work of the Redistribution Committee in preparing the Proposed Boundaries and the Committee ensuring a fair and equitable outcome that accords with the legislative framework for redistributions as set forth in s66 of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* (Cth) ('the *Electoral Act*'). With this in mind, the Liberal Party acknowledges the Redistribution Committee's Proposed Boundaries meeting the enrolment requirements of the Act in ensuring the required number of electors enrolled in each Electoral Division in Victoria being between 96.5% and 103.5% of the average divisional enrolment of Victoria at the projection time and between 90% and 110% of the current average divisional enrolment of Victoria.

While the Liberal Party further acknowledges the Redistribution Committee's efforts in ensuring due consideration of the matters in s66(3)(b) of the *Electoral Act* in preparing the Proposed Boundaries, the Party is conscious of the fact that the Redistribution Committee was at times unable to strictly apply these matters due to s66(3)(a) constraints. If it were not for the operation of s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act*, the Liberal Party believes there are divisional boundaries that could be improved to better reflect the matters in s66(3)(b) of the *Electoral Act*. The Liberal Party, however, is cognisant of these limiting legislative criteria and for this reason does not object to the Redistribution Committee's Proposed Boundaries for the Divisions of Batman, Casey, Chisholm, Deakin, Fraser (the New Division), Gellibrand, Gippsland, Goldstein, Gorton, Higgins, Hotham, Indi, Jagajaga, Kooyong, Lalor, Macnamara (existing Division of Melbourne Ports), Maribyrnong, McEwen, Melbourne, Menzies, Monash (existing Division of McMillan), Scullin, and Wills. In the event the Augmented Electoral Commission were to make substantial changes to the Proposed Boundaries across these Divisions, the Liberal Party has further suggestion to improve the boundaries on s66(3)(b) matters.

Furthermore, the Liberal Party commends the Redistribution Committee's proposal to name the new division in honour of the Rt Hon John Malcolm Fraser AC CH and to rename a division in honour of Sir John Monash CB(M) KCB(M) GCMG.

### **Division of Cox (existing Division of Corangamite)**

The Liberal Party respectfully submits a number of objections to the Redistribution Committee's Proposed Division of Cox relating to the renaming of the Division of Corangamite and the Redistribution Committee's Proposed Boundaries.

The Liberal Party also encourages the Augmented Electoral Commission, when considering the need to hold a public inquiry into the objections to the Redistribution Committee's proposed boundaries, to ensure the communities in the existing Division of Corangamite have sufficient opportunity to make submissions in person to the inquiry. In order to achieve this end, it would be most preferable if the Augmented Electoral Commission held at least one inquiry in the city of Colac to ensure electors in the local community and from the region could put their views directly to the Commission.

### **Renaming the Division of Corangamite**

The Redistribution Committee observed that the existing name of the Division of Corangamite:

- is that of an original federation electoral division,
- is an Aboriginal name, and
- is a geographical feature, although this geographical feature no longer retains a connection to the proposed electoral division.

The Liberal Party recognises the 'Guidelines for naming federal electoral divisions' as used by the Redistribution Committee indicate a preference for retaining names of divisions, especially those of original federation divisions and bearing an Aboriginal name, unless very strong reasons exist for changing or transferring them. The Liberal Party submits that these preferences for retaining a name of a division should be weighed more heavily before accepting the need to rename a division.

The Liberal Party respectfully submits that when renaming a division, the Redistribution Committee should further consider the dignity and status of the office of a Member of the House of Representatives when selecting a name for a division to ensure the name does not inadvertently invite ridicule or inappropriate connotations in the course of a Member's discharge of duties. Moreover, if the exceptional need to rename a division is necessary, it would be most appropriate for an Aboriginal name to replace the name of division with an Aboriginal name.

Furthermore, if the Augmented Electoral Commission, in considering the Liberal Party's objections as a whole, were to accept the objections to the boundaries of this division, it could also become unnecessary to rename the Division of Corangamite by reason of a geographic feature no longer retaining a connection to the proposed electoral division.

For the foregoing reasons, the Liberal Party objects to the proposed renaming of the Division of Corangamite.

### **Proposed Boundaries of the Division of Cox**

The Liberal Party recognises that the enrolment in the existing Division of Corangamite is projected to exceed the maximum number of electors permitted under s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act* and that a reduction of electors is required for the electoral division to fall within the permitted range of the number of electors in an electoral division at the projection time. However, the Liberal Party respectfully objects to the manner in which this reduction has been achieved by Redistribution Committee and contends that it is possible to achieve the desired outcome while ensuring the improved application of s66(3)(b) matters.

The Redistribution Committee's changes in the proposed boundaries for the Division of Cox can be separated into two distinct rearrangements: one on the eastern boundary with the Division of Corio ('the east boundary') and one on the north-western boundaries with the Divisions of Wannon and Ballarat (respectively 'the west boundary' and 'the north boundary', and together 'the north-west boundary').

### **East Boundary**

Insomuch as the transfer of electors between the Divisions of Corio and Cox/Corangamite may appear to improve the communities of interest north and south of the Bellarine Highway on the Bellarine Peninsula, the proposed boundaries significantly worsen the communities of interest in urban south Geelong by further isolating and disconnecting Waurn Ponds and Grovedale from the remainder of urban Geelong by transferring Highton, Belmont, and Wandana Heights to the Division of Corio. It is possible that in the quest to create a stronger coastal focus for the Division of Cox/Corangamite, the Redistribution Committee may have undervalued the resulting disconnect of urban areas within south Geelong.

Until such a time that the Electoral Commission is able to include all of the urban areas of Geelong within one division, the Liberal Party submits that the Commission should avoid leaving remnants of urban Geelong in a different division to those of the remaining areas of urban Geelong. Until that time, the Commission should ensure that the communities of urban Geelong are sufficiently represented in the Divisions of Corio and Cox/Corangamite so that they have ample and equal weight in their representation in the Australian Parliament. Furthermore, the Electoral Commission has recognised in the past the strong delineation within the communities of interest on the Bellarine Peninsula along the Bellarine Highway and accepted the Barwon River as a boundary that properly defines communities of interest in the urban areas of Geelong.

The transfers of electors between the Divisions of Corio and Cox/Corangamite is unnecessary to achieve compliance with s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act* and therefore reconsideration of s66(3)(b) matters should be stressed by the Augmented Electoral Commission in considering whether or not to accept the proposed changes to the boundary between Corio and Cox/Corangamite.

### **North-West Boundary**

The Liberal Party recognises that there needs to be a transfer of electors from Cox/Corangamite to Wannon on the northwest boundary. However, the Liberal Party objects to the manner by which this has occurred through the transfer of the northern part of the Colac Otway Shire from Corangamite to Wannon.

The proposed boundary separates the communities of Birregurra, Yeodene, Gellibrand, Forrest, Barwon Downs, and Carlisle River, among many other neighbouring towns from their major commercial, administrative, social, and community centre in Colac. Moreover, due to the geography of the southern part of the Colac Otway Shire, many of the towns directly south of the proposed boundary between Wannon and Cox/Corangamite would require residents to travel out of the proposed Division of Cox to access community and government services as they are geographically isolated from the coastal parts of the proposed division. Furthermore, the western coastal parts of the proposed Division of Cox would also be disconnected from their major economic and social centres as they would predominantly be included in the proposed Division of Wannon.

The Liberal Party submits there is a better way to adequately reduce the number of electors in the Division of Corangamite to meet the requirements of s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act* and better serve the communities of interest within the existing Division of Corangamite. The Liberal Party contends that the reduction in the number of electors necessary to meet the requirements of the *Electoral Act* would be better to occur in transferring the balance of Golden Plains Shire from the proposed Division of Cox to the Division of Ballarat, as the communities in and around Meredith and Lethbridge share economic, social, and regional interests with the communities in the Moorabool Shire that makes up a significant portion of the Division of Ballarat. Such a transfer from the Division of Corangamite to the Division of Ballarat would not disconnect communities in the same manner as the proposed boundary between the Divisions of Wannon and Cox. This would be a more optimal outcome for the regional communities in the Colac Otway and Golden Plains Shires than those in the proposed boundaries.

### **Community of Interest in the proposed Division of Cox**

If the Augmented Electoral Commission were to accept these changes to both the east and north-western proposed boundaries, it would be maintaining a federation division that has always been a fabric of coastal, regional, and city communities bound by lake, river, and sea. While the proposed Division of Cox has the character of dispersed communities along the Victorian coast, it lacks a major commercial, government, and administrative centre within its boundaries and positions the major commercial, government, and administrative centres of the existing Division of Corangamite just outside its boundaries. Given there are alternatives to the proposed boundaries that still comply with s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act*, the Augmented Electoral Commission has the ability to ameliorate its application of s66(3)(b) matters to achieve a better outcome for the communities in the Division of Corangamite.

The Liberal Party concedes that the Party's objection to the proposed Division of Cox would also require the Augmented Electoral Commission to make changes to other divisions to ensure they all meet the legislative requirements of the *Electoral Act* and outlines two of many possibilities to have an outcome that best applies s66(3) of the *Electoral Act* as a whole.

## **Divisions of Ballarat, Bendigo, Mallee, Nicholls, and Wannon**

Recognising that the Liberal Party's objections to the boundaries in the Redistribution Committee's proposed Division of Cox will have an impact on neighbouring divisions, the Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission consider the following suggested divisional boundaries to balance the net effect of the required changes in the Division of Cox/Corangamite. The Liberal Party does not object to the proposed boundaries of the Divisions of Ballarat, Bendigo, Mallee, Nicholls, and Wannon, except to the extent that the objection to these boundaries is necessary to meet the criteria in s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act* across the whole State of Victoria.

### **Division of Ballarat**

In order to meet the required number of electors in the Division of Ballarat as required in s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act*, the Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission transfer the whole of Hepburn Shire and the northern part of the Moorabool Shire to the Division of Bendigo and transfer the balance of the Golden Plains Shire from the existing Division of Corangamite.

### **Division of Bendigo**

In order to meet the required number of electors in the Division of Bendigo as required in s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act*, the Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission transfer the whole of Hepburn Shire and the northern part of the Moorabool Shire from the existing Division of Ballarat to the Division of Bendigo. Furthermore, the Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission transfer electors to the Division of Nicholls in the eastern part of the Greater City of Bendigo east of the Campaspe River and the parts of the Mitchell Shire and the Macedon Ranges Shire that are in the proposed Division of Bendigo.

### **Division of Mallee**

In order to meet the required number of electors in the Division of Mallee as required in s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act*, the Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission retain the proposed eastern boundary of the Division of Mallee that it shares with the proposed Division of Bendigo and transfer electors from the proposed Division of Nicholls in Campaspe Shire west of the Campaspe River and including Echuca to the Division of Mallee. Additionally, the Liberal Party suggests the Augmented Electoral Commission transfers the entire Horsham Rural City Council and the West Wimmera Shire south of the Western Highway to the Division of Wannon.

### **Division of Nicholls (existing Division of Murray)**

In order to meet the required number of electors in the Division of Bendigo as required in s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act*, the Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission transfer electors from the existing Division of Bendigo to the Division of Nicholls in the eastern part of the Greater City of Bendigo east of the Campaspe River and the parts of the Mitchell Shire and the Macedon Ranges Shire that are in the proposed Division of Bendigo.

### **Division of Wannon**

In order to meet the required number of electors in the Division of Wannon as required in s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act*, the Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission retain the existing eastern boundary of the Division of Wannon that it shares with the existing Divisions of Ballarat and Corangamite and transfer electors from the northern part of the Pyrenees Shire and Central Goldfields Shire to the Division of Mallee and transfer electors from the southern part of the Northern Grampians Shire from the Division of Mallee to the Division of Wannon as is proposed in the Redistribution Committee's draft boundaries. Additionally, the Liberal Party suggests the Augmented Electoral Commission transfers the entire Horsham Rural City Council and the West Wimmera Shire south of the Western Highway from the Division of Mallee to the Division of Wannon.

## Divisions of Bruce, Dunkley, Flinders, Holt, Isaacs, and La Trobe

The Liberal Party respectfully submits a number of objections to the Redistribution Committee's proposed boundaries for the Divisions of Dunkley and Flinders, and recognising that these objections will have an impact on neighbouring divisions, the Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission consider additional changes to the boundaries of the Divisions of Bruce, Dunkley, Flinders, Holt, Issacs, and La Trobe.

### Division of Dunkley

The Liberal Party respectfully objects to the transfer of Mornington from the Division of Dunkley to the Division of Flinders on community of interest grounds. Mornington has strong shared economic, social, and regional interests with Mount Eliza and Frankston, orienting towards its north. By transferring Mornington from the Division of Dunkley to the Division of Flinders, the Redistribution Committee is also isolating Mount Eliza from the remainder of its shared community of interests in the locality of Mornington. This is evidenced by the orientation of key facilities in the region: Peninsula Health in Frankston has a catchment area based on the hubs of Mornington and Frankston, whereas Rosebud Hospital is oriented toward the southern end of the peninsula. Additionally, Mornington and Frankston communities complement each other with Frankston being the gateway to the Mornington Peninsula, with residents of Mornington and surrounds working in Frankston, and many Frankston residents utilising Mount Eliza and Mornington for social and leisure activities.

The Liberal Party also asks the Augmented Electoral Commission, if it holds a public inquiry into the objections to the proposed boundaries, to ensure sufficient consideration of the proposed boundaries of the Division of Dunkley and neighbouring divisions.

In order to meet the required number of electors in the Division of Dunkley as required in s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act*, further transfers need to occur. The Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission retain the proposed transfer of electors from the existing Division of Issacs in the part of Carrum, Patterson Lakes, and Carrum Downs east of the Frankston-Dandenong Road. Furthermore, the Liberal Party suggests that Langwarrin South, east of the Peninsula Link Freeway and south of North Road be transferred to the Division of Flinders as it is a peri-urban area similar to the surrounding areas of Baxter and Pearcedale that are proposed to be in the Division of Flinders.

### Division of Flinders

The Liberal Party respectfully objects to the transfer of Western Port communities in the southern part of the City of Casey from the Division of Flinders to the Division of Holt. These areas are peri-urban and coastal communities that share significant economic, social, and community links to Western Port communities in the Division of Flinders, especially to Hastings. Their transfer to the Division of Holt which is predominantly outer-suburban Melbourne creates marked differences between communities north and south of Ballarto Road. It would be beneficial for the communities in Pearcedale, Cranbourne South, Decon Meadows, Tooradin, Warneet, Cannons Creek, Junction Village, and Botanic Ridge to be represented in a division that is made up of similar communities and not placed at a representational disadvantage by being in an unbalanced urban/peri-urban division. Furthermore, in order to meet the required number of electors in the Division of Dunkley as required in s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act* the Liberal Party suggests that Langwarrin South, east of the Peninsula Link Freeway and south of North Road be transferred to the Division of Flinders as it is a peri-urban area similar to the surrounding areas of Baxter and Pearcedale that are proposed to be in the Division of Flinders.



### **Division of Bruce**

In order to meet the required number of electors in the Division of Bruce as required in s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act*, the Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission transfer electors from the proposed Division of Bruce to the Division of Isaacs south of Harold Road and west of Corrigan Road, retain electors in the Division of Isaacs that were transferred to the proposed Division of Bruce south of Cheltenham Road and west of the Princes Highway in Dandenong, and transfer electors from the Division of Holt north of Pound Road and west of Narre Warren-Cranbourne Road.

### **Division of Holt**

In order to meet the required number of electors in the Division of Holt as required in s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act*, after the aforementioned retention of electors in the Division of Flinders that were transferred from the City of Casey south of Ballarto Road to the proposed Division of Holt, the Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission transfer electors from the existing Division of Issacs that were transferred to the proposed Division of Dunkley in and around Skye, Sandhurst, and part of Carrum Downs east of the Frankston-Dandenong Road and north of Ballarto Road, and transfer electors to the Division of Bruce north of Pound Road and west of Narre Warren-Cranbourne Road.

### **Division of Isaacs**

In order to meet the required number of electors in the Division of Issacs as required in s66(3)(a) of the *Electoral Act*, the Liberal Party suggests that the Augmented Electoral Commission transfer electors from the existing Division of Hotham south of Harold Road and west of Corrigan Road, retain electors in the Division of Isaacs that were transferred to the proposed Division of Bruce south of Cheltenham Road and west of the Princes Highway in Dandenong, and transfer electors to the proposed Division of Dunkley in and around Carrum, Patterson Lakes, Skye, Sandhurst, and part of Carrum Downs east of the Frankston-Dandenong Road and north of Ballarto Road. Furthermore, these communities share common economic and social ties that are bounded by strong features including the Patterson River and would be better suited to the Division of Dunkley as a whole.

### **Division of La Trobe**

The Liberal Party suggests, only for the purposes of creating a consistent boundary with the other Divisions in the part of the objection, that the Augmented Electoral Commission consider reverting the boundary of the Division of La Trobe in Clyde North back to Ballarto Road and Clyde Five Ways Road as per the existing boundary between the Divisions of Flinders, La Trobe, and Holt.

## Renaming the Divisions of Melbourne Ports and Murray

### Renaming the Division of Melbourne Ports

The Liberal Party does not object to renaming of the Divisions of Melbourne Ports or McMillan nor does the Party object to the Redistribution Committee's proposal to rename a division in honour of Sir John Monash CB(M) KCB(M) GCMG, but rather, the Party submits that out of the two divisions to be renamed, the Division of Melbourne Ports would be the more appropriate division to rename in honour of Sir John Monash especially given his links and contribution to Melbourne, especially in his involvement in and design of the Shrine of Remembrance and his design of the Princes Bridge.

### Renaming the Division of Murray

The Liberal Party observes the 'Guidelines for naming federal electoral divisions' as used by the Redistribution Committee indicate a preference for retaining names of divisions, unless very strong reasons exist for changing or transferring them and a preference for avoiding locality or place names.

The Liberal Party submits that there are no strong reasons for changing the name of the Division of Murray as it still retains the original connection and reasoning for naming the division in 1949. Furthermore, previous redistributions of the State of Victoria have maintained the name regardless of the preference for avoiding locality or place names, and given this past practice, it would appear that the preference for avoiding locality or place names is prospective for new divisions or those divisions that no longer retain a connection to the relevant geographic feature.

Given that the name of the division is longstanding and is of great significance to the region of the Division and its people, the Liberal Party respectfully objects to the Redistribution Committee's proposed renaming of the Division of Murray.

## Conclusion

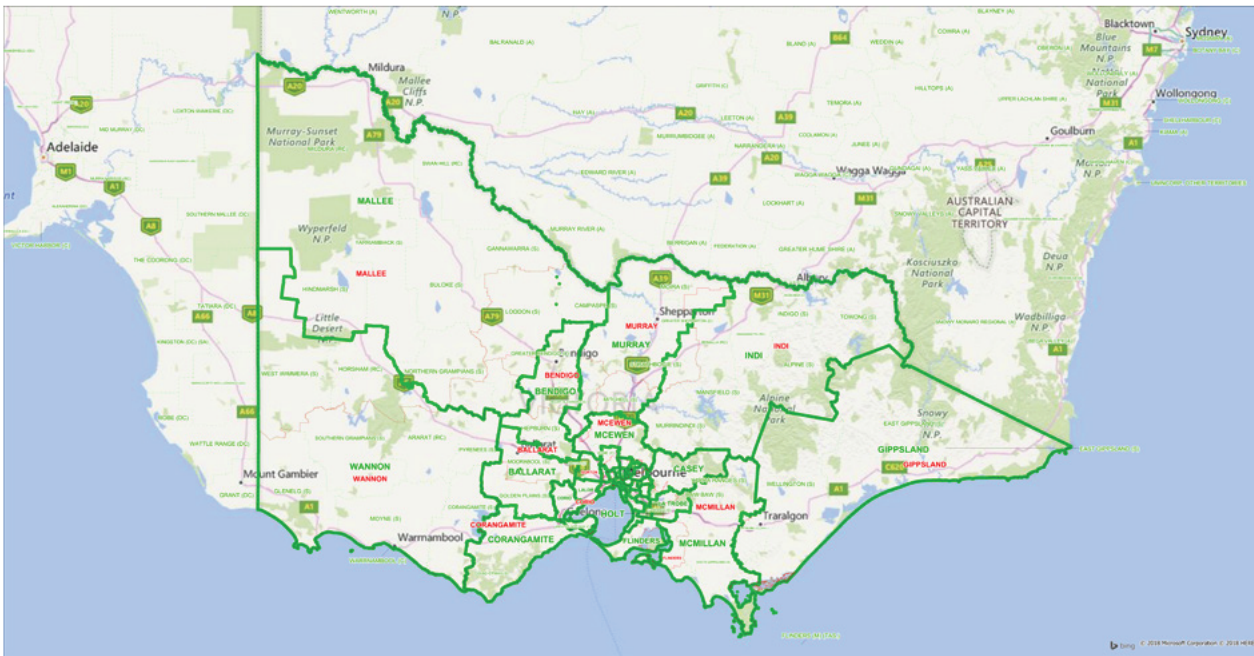
The Liberal Party thanks the Redistribution Committee for the opportunity to comment and to provide these objections on the proposed boundaries. The Party asks that these suggestions be considered as the process of the redistribution of Victoria continues.

# Statewide



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- Proposed boundaries
- Existing boundaries

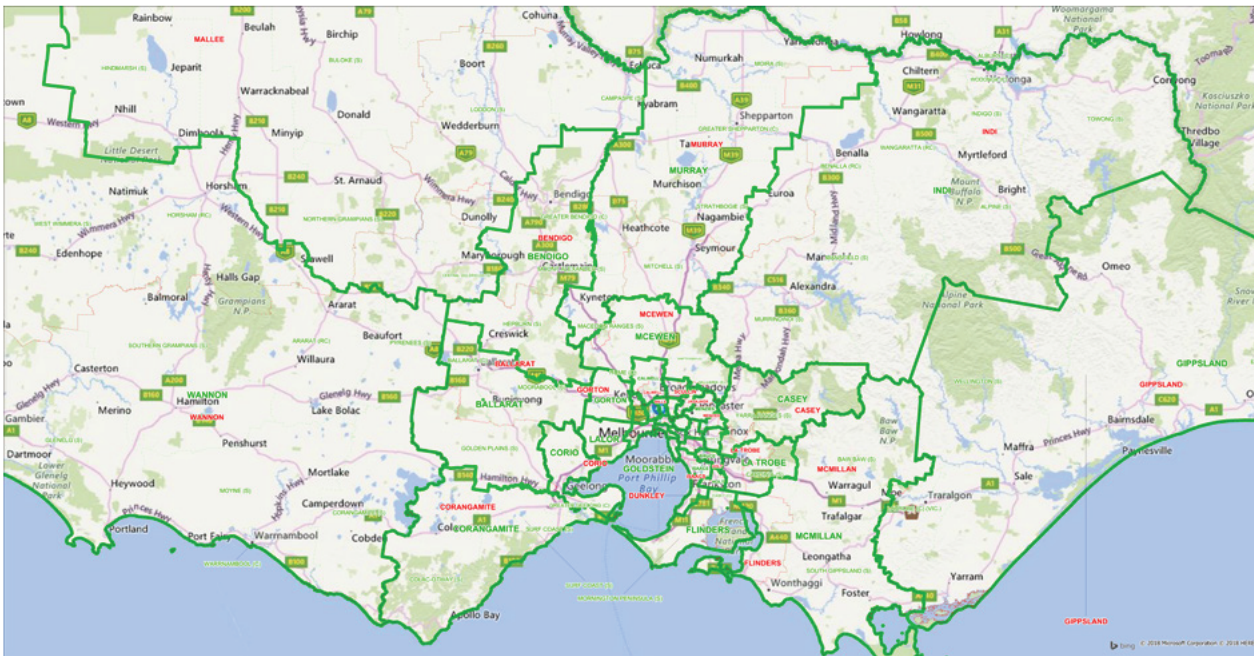


# Central Victoria



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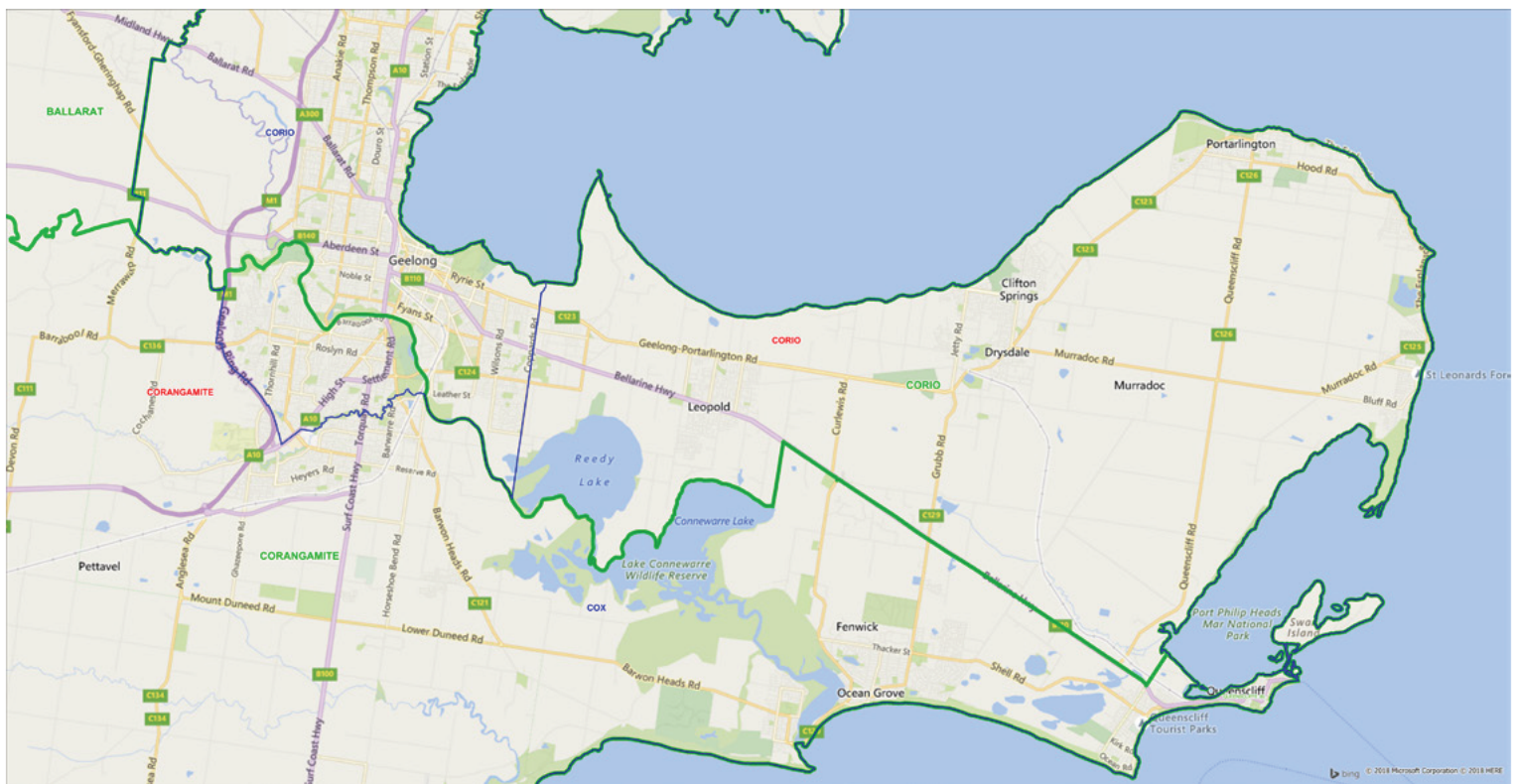
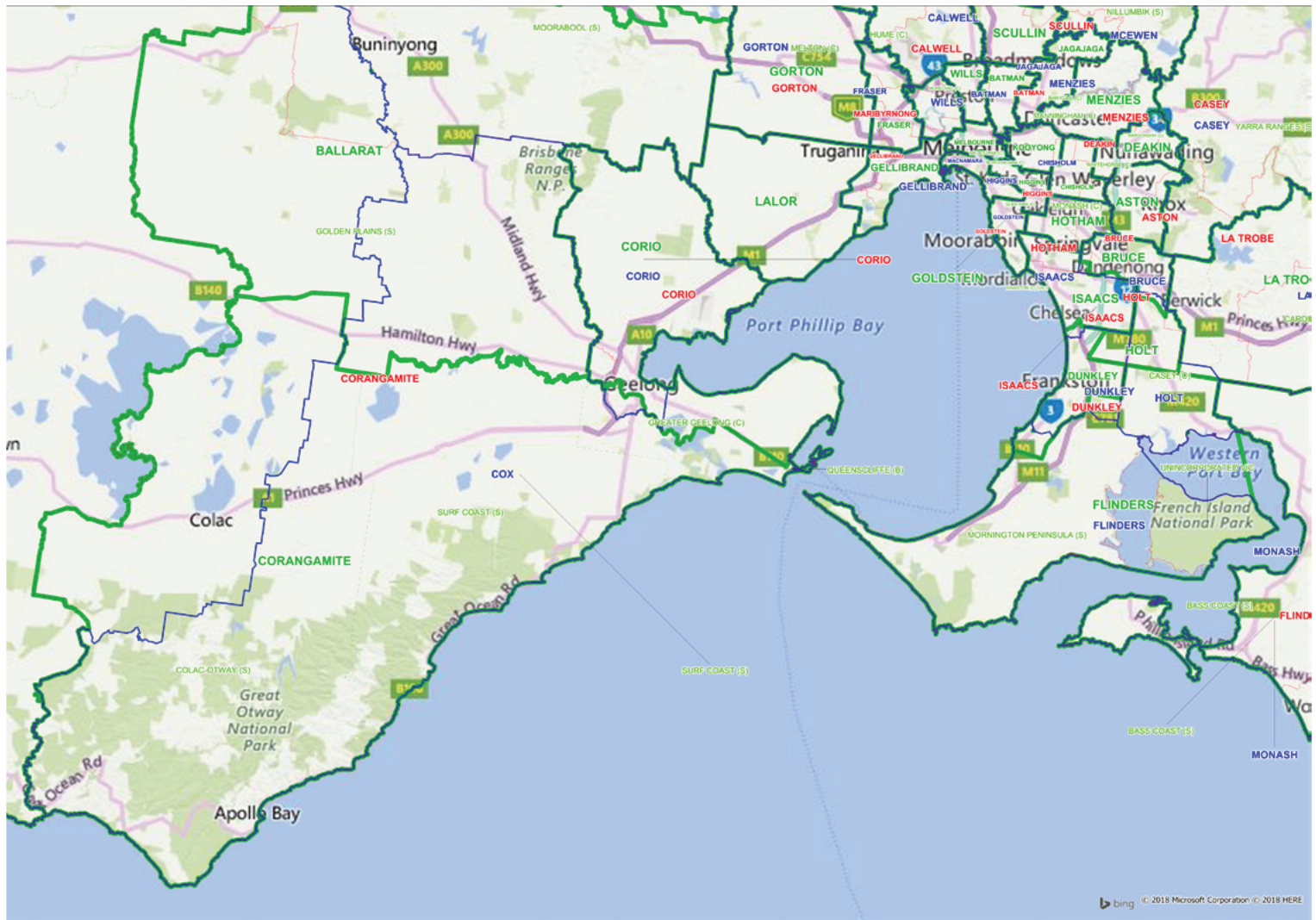
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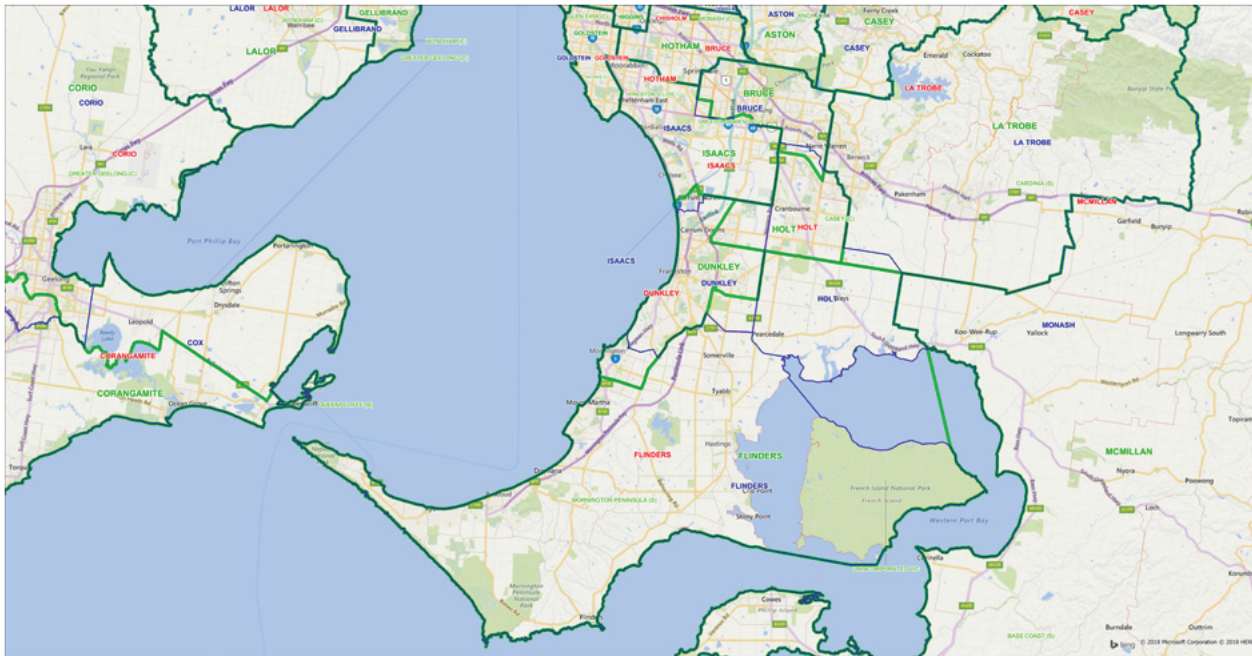
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## Corangamite (Proposed Division of Cox)



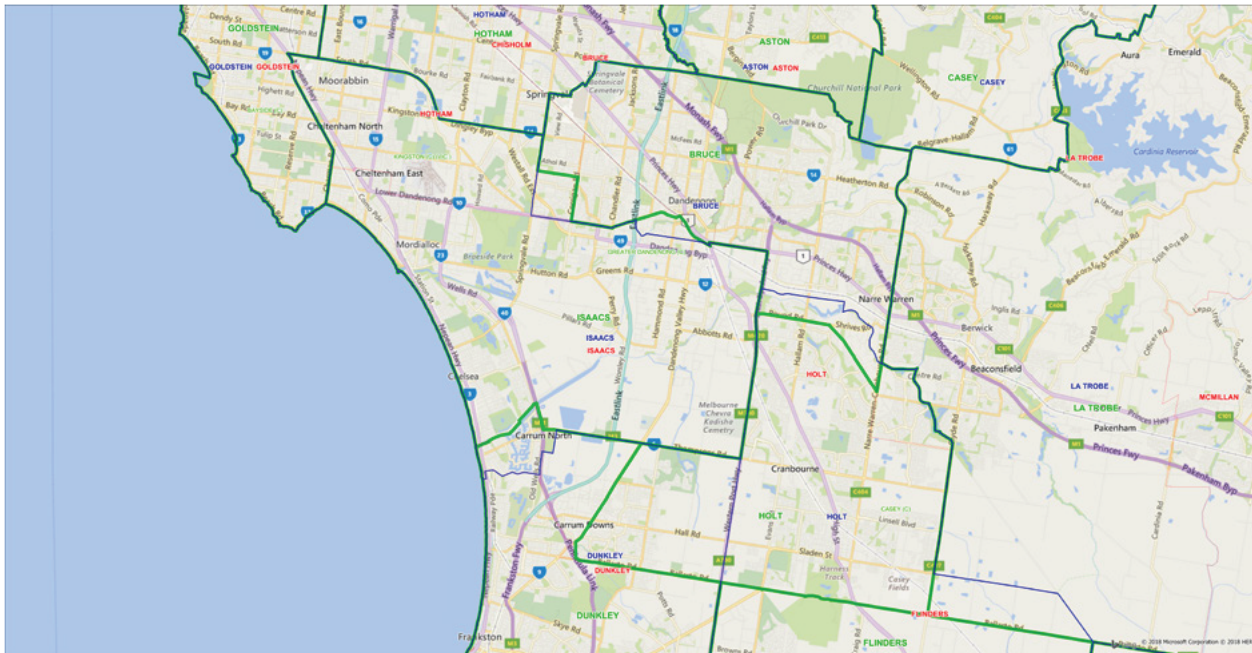
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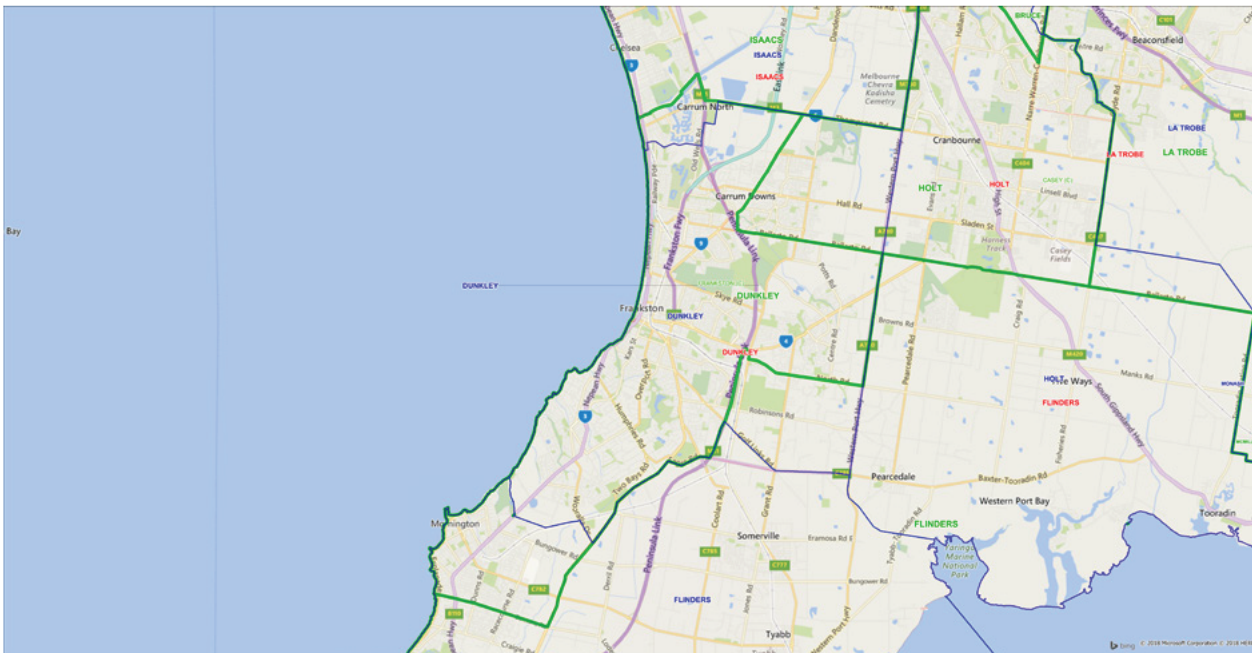
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## Bruce, Dunkley, Flinders, Holt, Isaacs, La Trobe



## Dunkley, Flinders



## Elector movements between divisions

Please note this is limited only to the divisions being objected to by the Liberal Party. All other divisions remain unchanged

### *Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Ballarat</b>		
Alfredton	8197	8980
Bacchus Marsh	14452	15143
Bacchus Marsh Region	2860	2941
Ballarat	8863	8796
Ballarat - North	17475	17746
Ballarat - South	17776	18085
Beaufort	198	207
Buninyong	5070	5209
Delacombe	5300	5707
Golden Plains - South	1	1
Gordon (Vic.)	3715	3738
Wendouree - Miners Rest	10620	10635
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>94527</b>	<b>97188</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Cox</b>		
Bannockburn	4452	4826
Golden Plains - South	4119	4219
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>8571</b>	<b>9045</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Wannon</b>		
Beaufort	0	0
Golden Plains - North	3163	3263
Golden Plains - South	817	821
Smythes Creek	2971	2982
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>6951</b>	<b>7066</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>110049</b>	<b>113299</b>

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Beaufort	198	207
Buninyong	5070	5209
Delacombe	5300	5707
Golden Plains - North	1226	1254
Golden Plains - South	67	68
Gordon (Vic.)	3715	3738
Smythes Creek	2857	2868
Wendouree - Miners Rest	10620	10635
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>98676</b>	<b>101377</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Corangamite</b>		
Bannockburn	4452	4826
Golden Plains - North	1937	2009
Golden Plains - South	4870	4973
Smythes Creek	114	114
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>11373</b>	<b>11922</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>110049</b>	<b>113299</b>



*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Bendigo</b>		
Bendigo	10442	10393
Bendigo Region - North	3298	3346
Bendigo Region - South	5248	5526
California Gully - Eaglehawk	8794	9203
Castlemaine	7803	7943
Castlemaine Region	6799	6901
Daylesford	2	2
East Bendigo - Kennington	10306	10165
Flora Hill - Spring Gully	6709	6703
Kangaroo Flat - Golden Square	14696	14908
Maiden Gully	3575	3743
Maryborough Region	4	4
Strathfieldsaye	6277	6759
White Hills - Ascot	8431	9156
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>92384</b>	<b>94752</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Ballarat</b>		
Avoca	41	41
Bacchus Marsh	308	320
Bacchus Marsh Region	1670	1695
Creswick - Clunes	5909	5972
Daylesford	7137	7225
Gordon (Vic.)	624	642
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>15689</b>	<b>15895</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>108073</b>	<b>110647</b>

*Compared to existing boundaries*

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<b>Retained from the Division of Bendigo</b>		
Bendigo	10442	10393
Bendigo Region - North	3298	3346
Bendigo Region - South	5248	5526
California Gully - Eaglehawk	8794	9203
Castlemaine	7803	7943
Castlemaine Region	6799	6901
Daylesford	2	2
East Bendigo - Kennington	10306	10165
Flora Hill - Spring Gully	6709	6703
Kangaroo Flat - Golden Square	14696	14908
Maiden Gully	3575	3743
Maryborough Region	4	4
Strathfieldsaye	6277	6759
White Hills - Ascot	8431	9156
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>94647</b>	<b>95671</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Ballarat</b>		
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*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Bruce</b>		
Belgrave - Selby	0	0
Dandenong	10563	10949
Dandenong North	14640	14771
Doveton	6350	6524
Endeavour Hills	17637	17573
Hallam	6807	6948
Keysborough	5531	5653
Lysterfield	0	0
Narre Warren	8840	9010
Narre Warren North	2873	3026
Noble Park	16561	17057
Noble Park North	5194	5264
Rowville - South	0	0
Springvale	2722	2807
Springvale South	3260	3311
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>100978</b>	<b>102893</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Holt</b>		
Hampton Park - Lynbrook	2307	2370
Narre Warren South	1547	1591
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>3854</b>	<b>3961</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>104832</b>	<b>106854</b>

*Compared to existing boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Bruce</b>		
Dandenong	10263	10624
Dandenong North	14640	14771
Noble Park	6687	6884
Noble Park North	5194	5264
Springvale	592	629
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>37376</b>	<b>38172</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Aston</b>		
Lysterfield	0	0
Rowville - South	0	0
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Holt</b>		
Doveton	6350	6524
Endeavour Hills	17637	17573
Hallam	6807	6948
Hampton Park - Lynbrook	2307	2370
Narre Warren	8840	9010
Narre Warren North	2873	3026
Narre Warren South	1547	1591
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>46361</b>	<b>47042</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Hotham</b>		
Noble Park	2706	2752
Springvale	2130	2178
Springvale South	3260	3311
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>8096</b>	<b>8241</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Isaacs</b>		
Dandenong	300	325
Keysborough	5531	5653
Noble Park	7168	7421
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>12999</b>	<b>13399</b>
<b>Transferred from the La Trobe</b>		
Belgrave - Selby	0	0
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>104832</b>	<b>106854</b>

*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Corio</b>		
Bacchus Marsh Region	0	0
Corio - Norlane	17717	17920
Geelong	9492	9622
Geelong West - Hamlyn Heights	14560	14650
Lara	12533	13033
Newcomb - Moolap	10099	10056
Newtown (Vic.)	7555	7664
North Geelong - Bell Park	11000	11132
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>82956</b>	<b>84077</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Cox</b>		
Clifton Springs	10685	11304
Leopold	9571	10165
Newcomb - Moolap	1250	1234
Ocean Grove - Barwon Heads	405	426
Portarlington	6380	6579
Queenscliff	134	140
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>28425</b>	<b>29848</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>111381</b>	<b>113925</b>

*Compared to existing boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Corio</b>		
Bacchus Marsh Region	0	0
Clifton Springs	10685	11304
Corio - Norlane	17717	17920
Geelong	9492	9622
Geelong West - Hamlyn Heights	14444	14536
Lara	12533	13033
Leopold	9571	10165
Newcomb - Moolap	11349	11290
Newtown (Vic.)	7555	7664
North Geelong - Bell Park	10987	11119
Ocean Grove - Barwon Heads	405	426
Portarlington	6380	6579
Queenscliff	134	140
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>111252</b>	<b>113798</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Corangamite</b>		
Geelong West - Hamlyn Heights	116	114
North Geelong - Bell Park	13	13
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>127</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>111381</b>	<b>113925</b>

*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Cox</b>		
Belmont	0	0
Colac Region	1164	1176
Grovedale	17455	18930
Highton	1148	1184
Leopold	33	34
Lorne - Anglesea	4179	4228
Ocean Grove - Barwon Heads	17611	18948
Otway	2788	2826
Queenscliff	3625	3627
Torquay	14131	14915
Winchelsea	4436	4444
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>66570</b>	<b>70312</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Corio</b>		
Belmont	10315	10367
Grovedale	0	0
Highton	14683	15059
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>24998</b>	<b>25426</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Wannon</b>		
Colac	8959	9082
Colac Region	2956	2959
Corangamite - South	0	0
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>11915</b>	<b>12041</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>103483</b>	<b>107779</b>

*Compared to existing boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Corangamite</b>		
Belmont	10315	10367
Colac	8959	9082
Colac Region	4120	4135
Corangamite - South	0	0
Grovedale	17455	18930
Highton	15831	16243
Leopold	33	34
Lorne - Anglesea	4179	4228
Ocean Grove - Barwon Heads	17611	18948
Otway	2788	2826
Queenscliff	3625	3627
Torquay	14131	14915
Winchelsea	4436	4444
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>103483</b>	<b>107779</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>103483</b>	<b>107779</b>

*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Dunkley</b>		
Carrum Downs	995	1027
Frankston	16141	16456
Frankston North	13310	13388
Frankston South	13681	13770
Langwarrin	14192	14563
Mount Eliza	13298	13506
Seaford (Vic.)	12190	12312
Skye - Sandhurst	1778	1847
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>85585</b>	<b>86869</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Flinders</b>		
Mornington	18497	18939
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>18497</b>	<b>18939</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Isaacs</b>		
Carrum - Patterson Lakes	7266	7383
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>7266</b>	<b>7383</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>111348</b>	<b>113191</b>

*Compared to existing boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Dunkley</b>		
Carrum Downs	89	90
Frankston	16141	16456
Frankston North	13310	13388
Frankston South	13681	13770
Langwarrin	14192	14563
Mornington	18497	18939
Mount Eliza	13298	13506
Seaford (Vic.)	12190	12312
Skye - Sandhurst	1778	1847
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>103176</b>	<b>104871</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Isaacs</b>		
Carrum - Patterson Lakes	7266	7383
Carrum Downs	906	937
Seaford (Vic.)	0	0
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>8172</b>	<b>8320</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>111348</b>	<b>113191</b>

*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Flinders</b>		
Dromana	9247	9888
Flinders	4521	4568
French Island	89	90
Hastings - Somers	16196	16663
Mount Martha	13669	13950
Point Nepean	14343	14625
Rosebud - McCrae	16961	17178
Somerville	13697	13927
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>88723</b>	<b>90889</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Dunkley</b>		
Langwarrin	3217	3277
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>3217</b>	<b>3277</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Holt</b>		
Cranbourne South	6253	6648
Cranbourne West	4	5
Pearcedale - Tooradin	5671	5865
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>11928</b>	<b>12518</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>103868</b>	<b>106684</b>

*Compared to existing boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Flinders</b>		
Cranbourne South	6253	6648
Cranbourne West	4	5
Dromana	9247	9888
Flinders	4521	4568
French Island	89	90
Hastings - Somers	16196	16663
Mount Martha	13669	13950
Pearcedale - Tooradin	5671	5865
Point Nepean	14343	14625
Rosebud - McCrae	16961	17178
Somerville	13080	13302
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>100034</b>	<b>102782</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Dunkley</b>		
Langwarrin	3217	3277
Somerville	617	625
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>3834</b>	<b>3902</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>103868</b>	<b>106684</b>



*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Holt</b>		
Berwick - South	346	401
Cranbourne	12628	12988
Cranbourne East	13241	17661
Cranbourne North	11807	13076
Cranbourne West	8821	10233
Hampton Park - Lynbrook	12309	12753
Lynbrook - Lyndhurst	8235	8796
Narre Warren South	16805	17260
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>84192</b>	<b>93168</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Dunkley</b>		
Carrum Downs	12843	13175
Skye - Sandhurst	6831	7224
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>19674</b>	<b>20399</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>103866</b>	<b>113567</b>

*Compared to existing boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Holt</b>		
Cranbourne	12628	12988
Cranbourne East	13241	17661
Cranbourne North	11807	13076
Cranbourne West	8821	10233
Hampton Park - Lynbrook	12309	12753
Lynbrook - Lyndhurst	8235	8796
Narre Warren South	8309	8534
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>75350</b>	<b>84041</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Isaacs</b>		
Carrum Downs	12843	13175
Skye - Sandhurst	6831	7224
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>19674</b>	<b>20399</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of La Trobe</b>		
Berwick - South	346	401
Narre Warren South	8496	8726
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>8842</b>	<b>9127</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>103866</b>	<b>113567</b>

*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Isaacs</b>		
Aspendale Gardens - Waterways	6295	6440
Braeside	30	43
Carrum - Patterson Lakes	1473	1472
Chelsea - Bonbeach	10207	10527
Chelsea Heights	3910	3944
Cheltenham - Highett (East)	15938	16326
Clayton South	0	0
Dandenong	2329	2465
Dingley Village	7826	7893
Edithvale - Aspendale	9301	9613
Keysborough	8847	10126
Mentone	9465	9744
Moorabbin - Heatherton	5822	6053
Moorabbin Airport	4	4
Mordialloc - Parkdale	14300	14671
Springvale South	2694	2759
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>98441</b>	<b>102080</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Bruce</b>		
Dandenong	1882	2011
Keysborough	2660	2659
Noble Park	800	814
Springvale South	2101	2136
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>7443</b>	<b>7620</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>105884</b>	<b>109700</b>

*Compared to existing boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Isaacs</b>		
Aspendale Gardens - Waterways	6295	6440
Braeside	25	36
Carrum - Patterson Lakes	1473	1472
Chelsea - Bonbeach	10207	10527
Chelsea Heights	3910	3944
Dandenong	4209	4474
Edithvale - Aspendale	9301	9613
Keysborough	8847	10126
Mentone	8296	8561
Mordialloc - Parkdale	14300	14671
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>66863</b>	<b>69864</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Bruce</b>		
Dandenong	2	2
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Hotham</b>		
Braeside	5	7
Cheltenham - Highett (East)	15938	16326
Clayton South	0	0
Dingley Village	7826	7893
Keysborough	2660	2659
Mentone	1169	1183
Moorabbin - Heatherton	5822	6053
Moorabbin Airport	4	4
Noble Park	800	814
Springvale South	4795	4895
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>39019</b>	<b>39834</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>105884</b>	<b>109700</b>

*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of La Trobe</b>		
Beaconsfield - Officer	9958	11873
Belgrave - Selby	146	151
Berwick - North	16732	17083
Berwick - South	15159	15998
Bunyip - Garfield	2554	2599
Cranbourne East	2849	4039
Emerald - Cockatoo	12769	13054
Koo Wee Rup	340	344
Narre Warren	9073	9413
Narre Warren North	2835	2934
Narre Warren South	0	0
Pakenham - North	11723	12871
Pakenham - South	17991	19346
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>102129</b>	<b>109705</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Holt</b>		
Cranbourne South	196	200
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>200</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>102325</b>	<b>109905</b>

*Compared to existing boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of La Trobe</b>		
Beaconsfield - Officer	9958	11873
Belgrave - Selby	146	151
Berwick - North	16732	17083
Berwick - South	15159	15998
Cranbourne East	2849	4039
Cranbourne South	196	200
Emerald - Cockatoo	12090	12344
Koo Wee Rup	157	156
Narre Warren	9073	9413
Narre Warren North	2835	2934
Narre Warren South	0	0
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>69195</b>	<b>74191</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Casey</b>		
Emerald - Cockatoo	0	0
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Holt</b>		
Narre Warren North	0	0
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of McMillan</b>		
Bunyip - Garfield	2554	2599
Emerald - Cockatoo	679	710
Koo Wee Rup	183	188
Pakenham - North	11723	12871
Pakenham - South	17991	19346
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>33130</b>	<b>35714</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>102325</b>	<b>109905</b>

*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Mallee</b>		
Avoca	1950	1949
Bendigo Region - North	67	67
Bendigo Region - South	90	95
Buloke	4750	4688
Castlemaine Region	20	20
Creswick - Clunes	0	0
Gannawarra	5012	5024
Irymple	4606	4639
Kerang	2938	2955
Loddon	5387	5429
Maryborough (Vic.)	6135	6118
Maryborough Region	4204	4211
Merbein	3373	3338
Mildura	22853	23197
Mildura Region	2591	2572
Nhill Region	5282	5202
Red Cliffs	3959	4012
Robinvale	1706	1661
St Arnaud	2735	2635
Stawell	461	452
Swan Hill	7640	7693
Swan Hill Region	4334	4263
Yarriambiack	5097	4949
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>95190</b>	<b>95169</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Nicholls</b>		
Echuca	11175	11256
Rochester	2786	2807
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>13961</b>	<b>14063</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>109151</b>	<b>109232</b>

*Compared to existing boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Mallee</b>		
Avoca	2	2
Buloke	4748	4686
Gannawarra	5012	5024
Irymple	4606	4639
Kerang	2938	2955
Merbein	3373	3338
Mildura	22853	23197
Mildura Region	2591	2572
Nhill Region	5282	5202
Red Cliffs	3959	4012
Robinvale	1706	1661
St Arnaud	2735	2635
Stawell	461	452
Swan Hill	7640	7693
Swan Hill Region	4334	4263
Yarriambiack	5097	4949
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>77337</b>	<b>77280</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Ballarat</b>		
Creswick - Clunes	0	0
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Bendigo</b>		
Bendigo Region - South	64	67
Castlemaine Region	8	8
Loddon	599	616
Maryborough Region	131	131
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>822</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Murray</b>		
Bendigo Region - North	67	67
Bendigo Region - South	26	28
Buloke	2	2
Echuca	11175	11256
Loddon	4788	4813
Maryborough Region	35	35
Rochester	2786	2807
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>18879</b>	<b>19008</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Wannon</b>		
Avoca	1948	1947
Castlemaine Region	12	12
Maryborough (Vic.)	6135	6118
Maryborough Region	4038	4045
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>12133</b>	<b>12122</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>109151</b>	<b>109232</b>

*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Nicholls</b>		
Benalla Region	38	38
Bendigo Region - North	27	27
Cobram	4563	4601
Euroa	628	637
Kilmore - Broadford	3712	3834
Kyabram	8066	8073
Lockington - Gunbower	2898	2904
Moira	2046	2040
Mooroopna	5641	5695
Nagambie	3140	3254
Numurkah	9045	9019
Rochester	278	277
Rushworth	3143	3112
Seymour	4794	4810
Seymour Region	2893	2930
Shepparton - North	12354	12547
Shepparton - South	15305	15647
Shepparton Region - East	2836	2825
Shepparton Region - West	7122	7156
Yarrawonga	6095	6222
Yea	23	23
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>94647</b>	<b>95671</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Bendigo</b>		
Heathcote	3557	3641
Kyneton	7200	7342
Romsey	96	99
Seymour Region	108	109
Woodend	5230	5349
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>16191</b>	<b>16540</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>110838</b>	<b>112211</b>



*Compared to existing boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Murray</b>		
Benalla Region	38	38
Bendigo Region - North	27	27
Cobram	4563	4601
Euroa	628	637
Heathcote	1	1
Kyabram	8066	8073
Lockington - Gunbower	2898	2904
Moira	1167	1168
Mooroopna	5641	5695
Nagambie	3110	3223
Numurkah	9045	9019
Rochester	278	277
Rushworth	3143	3112
Shepparton - North	12354	12547
Shepparton - South	15305	15647
Shepparton Region - East	2836	2825
Shepparton Region - West	7122	7156
Yarrawonga	6095	6222
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>82317</b>	<b>83172</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Bendigo</b>		
Heathcote	3556	3640
Kyneton	7200	7342
Romsey	96	99
Seymour Region	108	109
Woodend	5230	5349
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>16190</b>	<b>16539</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Indi</b>		
Moira	879	872
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>872</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of McEwen</b>		
Kilmore - Broadford	3712	3834
Nagambie	30	31
Romsey	0	0
Seymour	4794	4810
Seymour Region	2893	2930
Yea	23	23
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>11452</b>	<b>11628</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>110838</b>	<b>112211</b>

*Compared to proposed boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Wannon</b>		
Ararat	5597	5596
Ararat Region	2399	2444
Avoca	667	658
Beaufort	2858	2944
Camperdown	2750	2734
Corangamite - North	4097	4066
Corangamite - South	5279	5199
Glenelg (Vic.)	6677	6652
Hamilton (Vic.)	7573	7555
Horsham Region	0	0
Moyne - East	4813	4809
Moyne - West	7066	7167
Portland	8189	8205
Southern Grampians	4704	4583
Stawell	5696	5710
Warrnambool - North	15631	15890
Warrnambool - South	9434	9438
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>93430</b>	<b>93650</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Mallee</b>		
Horsham	12314	12378
Horsham Region	2516	2459
West Wimmera	2068	2047
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>16898</b>	<b>16884</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>110328</b>	<b>110534</b>

*Compared to existing boundaries*

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Projected</b>
<b>Retained from the Division of Wannon</b>		
Ararat	5597	5596
Ararat Region	2399	2444
Avoca	667	658
Beaufort	2858	2944
Camperdown	2750	2734
Corangamite - North	4097	4066
Corangamite - South	5279	5199
Glenelg (Vic.)	6677	6652
Hamilton (Vic.)	7573	7555
Moyne - East	4813	4809
Moyne - West	7066	7167
Portland	8189	8205
Southern Grampians	4704	4583
Stawell	0	0
Warrnambool - North	15631	15890
Warrnambool - South	9434	9438
<b>Total retained</b>	<b>87734</b>	<b>87940</b>
<b>Transferred from the Division of Mallee</b>		
Ararat Region	0	0
Horsham	12314	12378
Horsham Region	2516	2459
Stawell	5696	5710
West Wimmera	2068	2047
<b>Total transferred</b>	<b>22594</b>	<b>22594</b>
<b>Total Electors</b>	<b>110328</b>	<b>110534</b>