



Objection 28

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Objection to the 2023-2024 Victorian federal redistribution

I wish to object to the proposed redistribution's abolition of the seat of Higgins.

The proposal fails to recognise the historical origin of the name Higgins and its subsequent significance as the domicile of at least two Prime Ministers.

Further, the excision of that part of the electorate to the west of Williams Road and its addition to the seat of Melbourne makes little sense. There is no community of interest of any kind between the two seats and, indeed, the Yarra River physically separates them. How, for example, does Prahran connect in any way with West Melbourne?

It would make more sense for the proposed boundary of the Kooyong electorate be extended from Williams Road to Punt Road.

However, I strongly prefer that the Higgins electorate be maintained, and expanded as necessary.

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