## Electoral structure review - Moorabool Shire Council - Response Submission John Kowarsky - Ballan - 15 April 2023, 06:34 pm

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Dear VEC

Please accept this additional material from me for your deliberations.

One of our present Councillors provided the following opinion (below) in a local newspaper – their articulation of an important issue is better than I could do, and I fully support their view.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely

John Kowarsky

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"My view is, if you have divided wards, and you're just trying to do it by population, you're always going to have people who think they're not represented. By having an open boundary, everybody has the equal vote for every person that's elected to Council. When you've got two densely populated areas like Ballan and Bacchus Marsh, you're always going to struggle getting those equitable boundaries."

- Cr David Edwards: