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I support option A in the VEC's preliminary report on revision of Boroondara's local council ward structure, comprising four multi-councillor wards, consisting of three three-councillor wards and one two-councillor ward.

As pointed out in the VEC's preliminary report the proposed restructure retains the cohesion of communities of interest and allows for future population growth without constant redrawing of boundaries. The proposed boundaries most adequately enable representation of the variety of interests which co-exist within communities of interest in Boroondara. Option A is therefore in stark contrast to Option C where single member wards mandate the election of a single representative and voice at the expense of other views. While the views of the various communities which make up Boroondara could be represented under Option B (though not as well as under Option A), Option C would do the worst job of providing genuine representation.

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