

Electoral Representation Review - Boroondara City Council - Response Submission
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My vote is for Option A. As a rate payer I was frustrated, angered, and disolussioned by the Boroondarra Council's handling of the Dorothy Laver West development case. To have a councilor opt out of voting due to conflict, and another council not attend due to sickness on the evening the vote was conducted isn't good enough when there is only one coucilor representing a ward. The 'consultation process' was a joke, the community and local sporting clubs weren't listened to, and when I emailed the councilors I received an email back suggesting I no longer contact councilors directly but communicate any issues through the sporting club. It's my right as a rate payer to communicate with my councilor. There needs to be more councilors to keep the system fair and just.