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Subject: Re: Correspondence from the Australian Services Union

Hi Lisa,

Thank you for your letter regarding the announcement that a Liberal Nationals Government will subdivide Hume City Council to create two local government districts.

A new Sunbury City Council will be centred on the township of Sunbury and include surrounding rural land. The balance of the area will remain in the Hume City Council.

The creation of a new Sunbury City Council is consistent with the result of a 2014 democratic vote where local residents voted to create a council to get back in control of their community. Following the election the Andrews Government betrayed the Sunbury community and scrapped those plans.

The Sunbury community don't want overdevelopment to diminish their quality of life and stretch their services even more. That's why the Liberal Nationals believe it's so important that the Sunbury community has control over decisions affecting the Sunbury community.

A Sunbury Council will ensure that local people will have a much greater say in how their community develops and the sorts of services and infrastructure that their council provides.

Creating a new Sunbury Council to give local people more control over their community is one part of our comprehensive and strategic plan to decentralise our jobs and population and get back in control of the population squeeze.

Thank you again for your interest in this important policy announcement.

Kind Regards

Cassandra