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Subject: Online Submission : Waterford Boundary Review (Robert Malone)

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Area in which you reside. Specific addresses are not needed. Shanragh

Question 1 How might alteration of the boundary help or hinder the retention or creation of employment and the general economic performance of the area? It will have no affect on retention or creation of emplyment

Question 2 How might the alteration of the boundary help or hinder the identity or cohesion of local communities in the area? I think that a boundary alteration would affect the identity and cohesion of the local community.

There is a very strong identity with the people in Ferrybank, Slieverue Rathpatrick. People don't want to be in county Waterford or to be moved from Leinster to Munster

Question 3 How might alteration of the boundary help or hinder delivery of services by local government to ensure that the needs of the local community are met now and in the future? I don't think it will have any effect.

Question 4 How might alteration of the administrative boundary help or hinder the need to maximise efficiency and value for money in local government? Boundaries have no impact on the delivery of services

Question 5 How might alteration of the boundary help or hinder the Planning and Development needs, as administered by the local authority, of the community? The boundary is not an issue. The local authorities can come together to make coordinated plans.

Question 6 How might alteration of the boundary help or hinder the delivery of effective and accountable democratic representation? The boundary change would have detrimental affect on the democratic representation of people in the area. People at the moment are represented by 2 councillors out of 6 in the municipal district.

If altered they would be moving to a municipal district with 18 councillors based in a geographical area stretching from Ferrybank to Tramore.

Question 7 What strengths or weaknesses do you see in current local authority administrative boundary arrangements in the area? There are no particular strengths or weaknesses apparent to me.

Is there anything else you wish to add ? The two local authorities need come together and cooperate in the areas where problems occur.

A boundary change will drive the two local authorities apart.

For the good of the people cooperation is better.

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