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19th February, 2018

The Secretary,
Local Electoral Area Boundary Committee.

Dear Sir/Madam,

Boundary Review

We wish to make a submission re the possibility of boundary changes following on the Census of 2016.

Resulting from the last boundary changes, we found ourselves relocated, as it were, to the Carrick on Suir Municipal District. In fact, we considered that this was a high handed and peremptory decision made without any consultation to anyone in the local area.

As the matter is now coming up for review again, we are glad to have this opportunity to make a submission. We would like the Committee to consider realigning this area with Clonmel as of old. With due respect to Carrick on Suir, the local population looks to Clonmel for employment, education, shopping, services etc. and is the local town of choice.

While acknowledging that change is sometimes inevitable we would like to make the point that it is not always for the best and consequently urge you to reconsider returning us to the Clonmel area.

Yours faithfully,

Tom and Phil Flood

