

Tim Whetstone Member for Chaffey



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Dear Minister,

On July 8 2014, the Premier sent a letter to Health Advisory Councils across the Riverland and Mallee advising of a review of all statutory boards and committees.

I was contacted by HACs in my electorate raising major concerns with the proposal and its potential impacts on the future of health in the region. After speaking in depth with Loxton and District, Berri Barmera, Renmark Paringa, Waikerie and Districts and Mallee Health Advisory Councils, it is clear the community is against the proposals to abolish or amalgamate the HACs.

HACs are an integral part of the community and I believe an amalgamation of the HACs in the electorate of Chaffey would be detrimental to the functions of the local health network.

Yours sincerely

Tim Whetstone MP MEMBER FOR CHAFFEY

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