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Mr Paul Martin Chief Executive Officer Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale 6 Paterson Street MUNDIJONG WA 6123

Dear Paul

SHIRE OF SERPENTINE JARRAHDALE - WARD AND REPRESENTATION REVIEW

This letter is to advise that the Minister for Local Government has approved the recommendation of the Local Government Advisory Board to reduce the Shire of Serpentine-Jarrahdale's number of offices of councillor from nine to six at the next local government elections.

The department will now commence a series of administrative and statutory processes to obtain the Governor's approval and publish the changes in the *Government Gazette*. While there is no specific role for the Shire during this time, we will be in contact with your staff during this process and will notify you when gazettal has taken place.

It is anticipated that these changes will be implemented at the 2023 local government elections.

Thanks also to you and your staff for your efforts in undertaking and completing the review on behalf of the Shire.

Yours sincerely

Chloe Papasergio

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MANAGER, BOARD GOVERNANCE AND REPORTING

On behalf of the Local Government Advisory Board

15 May 2023