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Dear Sirs,

For the most part, I would like to offer support of the Cork County Council proposal to the commission as it reunites Carrigaline, and puts Crosshaven in the Carrigaline area. I believe it to be imperative that communities are not divided into two districts. But I was very surprised to see my village of Nohoval now divided in the proposal. The Parish of Tracton has been split in two by the Council proposal and I strongly believe Kilpatrick, Farranbrien, Ballyfoyle, Ballyfeard, Nohoval and Kinure all need to be in the same district.

The dividing of Carrigaline was wrong and everyone accepts that now. But why then move to the next parish South and do the very same thing? Please look at the map and see how much sense it makes to keep my parish (especially my village) together. If the proposal of Cork County Council is accepted, the school in the village will be in one district and the church and shop in another. Repeating the mistake made in dividing Carrigaline should not be allowed to happen here again.

Thank you for taking the time to read my submission, and I trust you can appreciate my point of view.

Best regards, David Hyde