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Submission: I have heard recently there is a move to include Mt. Vernon in the City of Fairfield. I write in support of this move as I have lived here for almost fifty years and have never made any real connection to Penrith. Forty years ago when we still had a bread delivery the Penrith Press was delivered with the bread but since then there is no easily available Penrith news in this area. When there are elections we rarely even have Councillors contacting us in any way to seek our support.

In these fifty years I continue to shop, bank, go to Church, use the Library and contribute to its research and many other things that make up a full life in Fairfield City. This is partly due to proximity and partly due to my historic links having been born and worked in Fairfield. I therefore strongly support the move to incorporate the Mt. Vernon area into Fairfield City. It would feel like coming home.