

To The Honourable the Speaker and the Members of THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

This Petition of the undersigned citizens of the South West of Western Australia draws to the attention of the House the lack of a fully licensed Post Office in Eaton Fair Shopping Centre which is being upgraded to Eaton Town Centre.

For the Attention of the House:

A fully licensed local Post Office Service is a vital and urgent necessity for the community of Eaton and surrounding areas.

Eaton is a rapidly growing community currently serviced by a Post Box and facilities to purchase stamps.

Within 500 metres there are two retirement villages which at capacity will house over 500 residents, some of whom like some other Eaton seniors cannot drive cars and rely on gophers and walkers to access the shopping centre. They are more likely to use mail!

A close to hand licensed Post Office is desperately needed for mail and as a facility to pay bills and licenses.

Eaton and its nearby communities use the shopping centre as a one stop shop for their needs seven days a week. The town centre also includes three schools including a senior college, a day care, recreation centre, library and medical centre.

This petition of citizens of Eaton in the Shire of Dardanup, Western Australia asks the House to request the Government, which is denying the petitioners urgently needed local official post office services, to take action in placing a Post Office in Eaton Fair Town Centre.