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I am a Leading Firefighter with the MFB, with 11 years' experience, and am currently stationed at the Box Hill Fire Station.

Whilst I live with my family within the MFD, my aging parents do not. They live in the fringe area suburb of Kilsyth South. As a result, they are not provided with the same level of fire protection or medical response that my family and I are afforded.

Their suburb is in no way part of the Victorian "countryside", yet they live in an area outside the MFD and therefore are not provided the same fire coverage or medical response, as other similar suburbs, due to its location and an out-dated fire services model.

Metropolitan Melbourne has grown considerably over the years, and it is past time that the fire service model is updated to reflect these changes.

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