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IPART
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Dear Sir/Madam

Expression of Interest – 2015 Special Rate Variation

I am writing to advise IPART that Oberon Council intend to apply for a Special Rate Variation Section 508A for 5 years from 2015/16 financial year.

Following initial community consultation regarding a possible application for a General Rate Increase, Council approved an expression of interest for an increase of 7.5% per year for 5 years (including the rate pegging increase).

The purpose of the Special Variation will be to address infrastructure backlog, while maintaining financial sustainability into the future.

Council's main contact for this application will be Lynette Safranek, Finance & Community Services Director. She can be contacted on lynette.safranek@oberon.nsw.gov.au, 6329 8123, or 0418 269 921.

Yours sincerely


Alan Cairney
General Manager