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Sent: Saturday, 11 July 2015 4:51 AM To: Local Government Mailbox

Subject: Support for the City of Sydney Council- Fit for the Future

To the Members of IPART

I am writing to support the City of Sydney's - Fit for the Future submission.

For over 30 years I have been a resident of both the City of Sydney and South Sydney and their amalgamation into the City of Sydney - twice.

For the past ten or so years I have been immensely proud of being a resident of the City of Sydney. Not only does it cater for the needs of its community, residents and businesses, but also the thousands of visitors, tourists and international students and others. These must surely be included when considering the number of people the City of Sydney Council services.

The City looks great, the parks and trees and facilities are world class, the services to maintain these are efficient and effective. The standard and quality of the buildings is improving which is obvious to anyone interested in beautiful and functional buildings and surroundings. There is a great community spirit which certainly did not exist previously.

I maintain that the City of Sydney Council is more than fit for the future and should remain as it is in order that it can continue the excellent work currently being carried out and also allow the implementation of the future plans. This is a world class city. There is no evidence that making a mega council will improve services and the quality of life of its residents, visitors and businesses.

I believe that you, as an independent body, will come to the conclusion that the City of Sydney has demonstrated that it is most certainly Fit for the Future.

