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Dear Sir,

Re - Mid Coast Council Rate Rise - Submission

I attach for your information / consideration, 3 letters from Residents of Mid Coast Council that were sent to our local Newspaper the "Myall Coast Messenger" in relation to the proposed rate increase for our location.

The views reflected in these letters I believe reflect the opinions of the majority of residents within the previous Great Lakes Council that has been included in the amalgamated New Mid Coast Council. I have highlighted relevant sections of those letters.

I would mention that along with many other residents of the old Great Lakes Council area I attended meetings, in my case at Tea Gardens Uniting Church and Buhadelah RSL Club. At these meetings those in attendance were informed that there would be no rate increases in the next 4 years. In view of the current circumstances it is clear that "we have been sold a pup".

Could you please pass on my letter and the attached letters from the Newspaper to the relevant area considering the application for a rate increase.

Thank you for your assistance

Yours faithfully

Alan Tawkeens