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Select Council	Lismore City Council
If you have any general feedback regarding your council's proposed SV, please leave your comments in the comment box below.	We, as a community and as individuals can not afford the SV or MR increase. I am struggling to pay the rates at the moment and put food on the table as I am on a pension. We pay enough as it is for our rates without them being increased b this absurd amount!! Lismore City Council need a complete overhaul as they can not be trusted to spend the money on things that actually need fixing like the roads and spend it on art sculptures that no one has agreed on getting.
Your comments on Criterion 1:	Lismore City Council put out a submission to seek the communities option on the SRV and it was rejected but they are still trying to get it through. They are disregarding anything that is put forward from the community and changing it to suit themselves and what they want.
Your comments on Criterion 2:	No one can afford to pay the absurd increase that the council has put forward. It's a joke!!
Your comments on Criterion 3:	The increase of the rates is unreasonable and the council can not delegate funds to the appropriate criteria and actually use the funds for that purpose. They funnel the money to fix the roads, which are appalling into art so the roads are worse then ever.
Your comments on Criterion 4:	They were exhibited and rejected by the community but the council has ignored the community on this matter

Your comments on Criterion 5:	The council has explained what they want to use it for but it's not something that we need or want for our area. They want to build a water park/ recreation area in a flood zone that will cost the community millions of dollars a year to maintain. It makes no sense
If you have attachments you would like to include with your feedback, please attach them below.	
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