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Submission: I'm opposed to this increase for several reasons, I have made many requests for tree removal on the road side these trees are now growing around my fence post on my [REDACTED] property at [REDACTED] and council reply is "not in our budget but I can do it at my expense" theses are camphor trees and should have gone along time ago before I requested. My road was finally sort of fixed (potholes) it only took about 9 years but some road in town nothing wrong with the surface but let's redo it, I feel we on the outskirts get forgotten about. We live with in our means I understand that as a business owner but we spend wisely and repair, protect, maintain the things that help us survive. I challenge you to drive your privately , personally owned vehicle around town and as you hit those bump think about the possible repair cost. Out here you don't hit the bumps at 40 or 60 km/h, let show some smarts from someone that's why you are in there.