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Submission: Dear Sir / Madam

I wish that Warringahs Position in its executive summary can be fulfilled. It is only logical that the 3 northern beaches councils be combined to form one. The savings will be substantial and only a few years ago in 1992 to be exact there was a greater Warringah which included Pittwater current council and that situation from a efficiency point of view was great but would have been even better if it included Manly council.

Logically having 3 general managers and basically 3 of everything else is a luxury we as ratepayers can afford no longer.

I am dismayed that all of the effort the State Government has gone to to properly carry out this merger proposals state wide and only a few councils have responded positively.

We cant let this situation continue with my ratepayers money. As a former council and state government employee in the planning area i know absolutely that there are worthwhile areas of savings to be made and made easily

Thank you for this opportunity to comment and good luck with the mergers.