

LG Submission Form 2020-2021

Submission date: 28 February 2020, 1:24PM

Receipt number: 109

Related form version: 10

Question	Response
IPART Special Variation Submission Form	
Industry	Local Government
Review	(LG) Special Variations & Minimum Rates 2020-2021
Document Reference	
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.	I would like to oppose any SV that this council is seeking, i feel with a low income population & high unemployment area & a declining population ,that this increase is not justified, I think council should consider selling off parts of its under performing assets , I also feel that this council has not managed their funds in a sensible manner & do not listen to the community. They have 3 big under performers, Goonellabah sports & recreation centre , Blakebrook Quarry & Lismore Airport all run at a loss of millions per year, The Council has also wasted millions on a new recycable facility that ran for aprox 3 weeks , now sits idle gathering cobwebs, I feel if they just provided the basic services without all the bells & whistles this SV would not be needed. WE have some of the highest rates in the state & increasing them further would not be good for Lismore . people are closing bussiness & relocating to Ballina Shire as rates are so high in town, I think about 70 bussiness have closed this financial year with more leaving or closing. I think this council is incompetent & needs to rethink itself as know ones has any faith in them.
Your comments on Criterion 1:	
Your comments on Criterion 2:	
Your comments on Criterion 3:	
Your comments on Criterion 4:	

Your comments on Criterion 5:	
If you have attachments you would like to include with your feedback, please attach them below.	
Your Details	
Are you an individual or organisation?	Individual
If you would like your submission or your name to remain confidential please indicate below.	Anonymous - my submission can be published but my name should remain anonymous
First Name	
Last Name	
Organisation Name	
Position	
Email	
IPART's Submission Policy	I have read & accept IPART's Submission Policy