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Submission: I strongly oppose the amalgamation of City of Sydney with its adjacent councils.

I've never lived in a region of NSW with such a responsive and well run Council.

The proposal to amalgamate this council will be disruptive, costly and inevitably reduce the capacity of the resulting mega-council to listen and react to local concerns as the size of the resulting council will be significantly larger.

Having relatively small councils as the closest tier of government to the individual is a structure that in this case has worked exceedingly well, increasing this councils population to be roughly the same size as Tasmania will not.