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I object to any increase in North Sydney Council rates.

There is NO justification for this increase since the size of the CBD and its rate base is being drastically increased.

Rate-payer's funds are being squandered on vanity projects such a ridiculously expensive rebuilding of the pool and pointless expenditure such as poorly conceived traffic measures.

The epitome of this bureaucratic farce is the Anderson Park study – plan. Hundreds of thousands of of ratepayers dollars spent to achieve nothing other than covering the park in astro turf was a really [REDACTED] idea.

Littering the streets with banners such as “Vibrant” and “Progressive” are a sick comedy. Its little more than [REDACTED] and unresponsive might be more appropriate.

The per capita economy is not growing and neither is that of most ratepayers. (Doubtless that is not true of the council’s bureaucracy.)

The claimed justification for this increase is nothing more than (‘management speak’) drivel.

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