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Subject: Fit for the Future Proposals: City of Sydney

We write as residents of Pyrmont to oppose the forced amalgamation of Sydney City Council with Botany Bay, Randwick, Waverley and Woollahra. The SCC is a wonderfully successful council that listens to its local community and our concerns are :

- the close working partnership we have now with SCC will become non-existent because of the huge effort required to address the needs of 500,000+ people. Our voices will no longer be heard if this forced amalgamation goes ahead.
- we have more in common with our neighbours in Glebe and Ultimo rather than Botany Bay, Randwick, Waverley and Woollahra.
- the fact that this forced amalgamation will bring the population to over half a million people is totally unthinkable, unworkable and unacceptable.
- the cost of the amalgamation will be enormous as will the disruption to all services.

The Sydney City Council is already "Fit for the Future". Please don't spoil it!

Deb and Bil Yeo