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Sent: Wednesday, 29 July 2015 8:40 AM

To: Local Government Mailbox

Subject: objection to the proposed amalgamation of City of Sydney

Dear Sir/Madam

I would like to **object** to the proposed amalgamation of City of Sydney with the adjacent eastern and southern local councils.

As an architect I can see the positives in having one large organisation to deal with large scale problems and solutions in regards to planning etc. However a large organisation will not necessarily make better or quicker decisions and could in fact have the opposite effect with more bureaucracy, red tape and less common sense.

Most importantly the already small voice of the local population will disappear from the decision making if our council becomes even larger. This is contrary to the whole idea of local government. We already have large state and federal organisations above us.

Regards Erik Rudolfsson