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to Chairman Dr. Peter Boxall

The proposed rate increases for the Mid Coast property owners must not go ahead. Firstly we live in a democracy and the temporary administration is unelected. Secondly the rates have almost doubled since i bought my place ten years ago. Thirdly major works and backlogs need to be financed by state government grants. The capacity for ratepayers to finance all works is not possible.

So please reject any proposed request for any increase at all by the unelected temporary administrators. Or it will undermine any faith and respect we have in our system and processes.

Mr George Mercier