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With regard to the proposed rate hike by clarence valley council.

In this area the rates are already higher than Sydney according to some who have sold and relocated here. Why? The suicide rate is appalling like last weeks statistic, 5 people in 10 days. Is this because rents are going up because of the crews of workers starting to dribble into town. What are council doing to help people in this situation? Nothing. In fact they want to make it even harder for the local community. How can they be rewarded for their ongoing mismanagement of money. Domestic violence, theft and alcohol abuse has skyrocketed, along with drug related crime. The council could be concentrating on improving life for the community and helping provide a safe and wholesome environment.

Why would you support a council who clearly is inefficient and ineffective in every way. Please help us. Do not support this rate hike. Make this council accountable and transparent before you support the money grab.

Regards
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