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Your submission for this review:

I'm not in favour of the proposed increase. New water and stormwater services in growth areas should be FULLY funded by developer contributions, not by existing customers. I also believe that increasing the service charge is wrong - if anything, it should be an increase in the usage charge - that would encourage people to use less water, reducing strain on the system. This proposal comes at a time when there are proposals for large increases for other services like electricity, gas and local council rates.