To whom it may	concern,
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I write to you to state that I am opposed to Blue Mountains council's recent rate rise.

Despite surveying the community they have decided to push ahead regardless, increasing what are already very high rates.

To add insult, it is reported that the general manager of the council pays himself a third of a million dollars. And the staffing costs amount to 44% of the council's entire budget.

This is a council set on lining it's own pockets at the expense of rate payers, and should be suspended and investigated, let alone allowed to continue to increase rates whenever it suits them.

Kind Regards,

Peter Berthet