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Submission: Dear IPART

I am a long term resident of Leichhardt Municipality and I fully support Leichhardt Council's decision to remain a standalone council and to not amalgamate with neighbouring councils.

Leichhardt Council has always been a dedicated and capable council. We have a very strong sense of community in our council area and I believe any amalgamation will adversely affect our strength, heritage and sense of community.

I request that my council area remain in its current form and be allowed to continue its excellent service to its residents.

Yours faithfully

Robert D'Arcy-Irvine