From: Ronald Rosen

To: <u>Local Government Mailbox</u>
Subject: Proposed Rate Increase

Date: Friday, March 02, 2018 4:59:06 PM

Dear Manager, as long time rate payers to Randwick City Council, we oppose any proposed rate increase for the reasons listed below.

Sincerely,

Ruth and Ronald Rosen

Council should live within its means and not squander its income on selfapproved wage increases, nor on facilitating state and federal government agendas.

Council should not borrow \$27 million from NSW Government.

Past special rate variations designed to be temporary have never been removed.

Council should improve its efficiency and reduce its expenditure..

Council should not engage unnecessary consultants.

Council should not have allocated a \$300,000 prize to developers for the K2K Design, nor spent \$0.5M on amalgamations in face of overwhelming community opposition.

Council has failed to maintain gutters and drains in a clean and operational condition, and nature- strip trees remain overgrown and . polluting.

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