

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, 18 March 2014 3:05 PM
To: IPART Mailbox
Subject: Warringah council request rate increase

Hi

I have just learnt that our council provides
The following vehicles for its staff
Mayor with a 2012 Jaguar XF (\$65000) (repay \$500 per month by mayor)
1x Audi (senior manager)
1x clk Mercedes(senior manager)
4 vw.s to is staff and a balance of vehicles at a cost of 1.2 Million
The general manager staff salaries alone \$1 mil (3 STAFF)

Their last pay rise they gave themselves was 2.3 million.

And they have the audacity to want a massive rate rise while this council has SPENT VAST LOTS
OF OUR MONEY ON THEMSELVES
I as a rate payer have had enough of councils taking our money for granted and still approaching
your dept. for more money !

Their spending habits are too self-indulgent and frankly questionable to say the least.
Something has to be done to quell this frivolous spending in the most secretive of manners and
make councils MORE accountable for their own spending

Something has to be done !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Yours Most Sincerely

Scott Butler

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, 3 March 2014 2:41 PM
To: IPART Mailbox
Subject: ITS OUR MONEY

Hi

I am writing in concern with the rate rises Warringah Council is proposing
The lack of restraint ,especially of them giving themselves continued pay rises while advising
that more funds are needed for projects they want to do is outrageous!
The salaries they offer are also outrageous
How can Ipart recommend any increase when this and many other councils show NO restraint to
their own expenditure.(company cars for private use etc)
This council has to show it rate payers financial responsibility but showing restraint themselves.

I asked for my street to be cleared of leave that was blocking drains only to be told that a committee decided that there were too many leaves falling from trees for them to do the work.(it only needed a bloke with a shovel just to clear the drains) pathetic!

There is too much over governance and they are paid too much(WE ARE NOT bhp).

1.They need to quell their personal expenditure to show the people who pay them they are also responsible

2.Salaries need to be capped and an independent body has to assess their worth when pay rises are offered.

I am aware you do not have anything to do with wages but some one has to

We are not something to be taken for granted.

ITS OUR MONEY

Scott butler

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