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Submission: hi,

I object very strongly to the proposed creation of a super council: it is totally unnecessary and way over the top - it's just a power grab by the state government.

The City is in a strong financial position due to over a decade of stable progressive government, professional corporate administration, prudent financial management and strategic investments. I have been living in the inner eastern suburbs for over 30 years now - and the City has never been in a better condition

I have lived through previous amalgamations and de-amalgamations - and they were a mess. Another government-mandated amalgamation will just result in years of disorganisation, confusion and tremendous expense; and for what - just so that a bunch of grubby state politicians can pretend to be doing something about our problems - and to force out the Independent Mayor and her team and to replace them with another sleazy politician on the take from one of the major parties: which is what we always had prior to the present City governance.

So I strongly object to the proposal.

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