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I wish to make an objection to Hunter Water making an increase on my water rates. I am already struggling to keep on top of my house hold bills and the rate increase will only add undue stress on an already stressful family budget. Why should a family, who can't afford to go on holidays, have to struggle even more for an essential item such as water.

My storm water drains are covered up by debris, sand and grass. How can I be charged for stormwater when the drain is no longer functional and has been neglected? This is making me feel like I am being extorted.

I am not happy about this increase hike nor have I been notified by Hunter Water.

Yours truly

A black rectangular redaction box covering the signature of the author.