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Dear council

This letter is in regard to the proposed rubbish tip on Church street, Lidcombe.

I'd like to express my concern and objection at this proposal. Not only is it preposterous that a rubbish tip/organic waste collection be situated in the middle of the city, but it is a huge health and environment health hazard.

I have two young children, my eldest attends St Joachim Catholic School, a mere few hundred metres away close to Lidcombe station. It would be hazardous to her health and all 300 students at that school, not to mention the public school with 800 kids next door. My daughter, who is 5 years old, has already been hospitalised 4 times in the past 1.5 years due to her asthma. It will only be exacerbated by the rubbish tip and the hazardous waste byproducts. Australia has one of the highest pollen count in the world (source: [Asthma Australia](#)) which is already unlucky for us and all the young children suffering from this. But to have the Council approve a rubbish tip a mere hundred metres away? We live on Rawson and Bachell street and would definitely suffer from this unwelcome addition to our neighbourhood.

Please consider our objection and contact us if you need further information.

Regards,