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Hi there,

My name is and I am emailing to appeal Council to reconsider the building of a large waste transfer station in Lidcombe.

I have been living in Lidcombe for almost two years (having lived in Berala for the last 20 years) and believe that this waste transfer station will have detrimental effects for the community.

I am concerned about the increase in traffic this would cause. The area is sandwiched between Parramatta Road and Centenary Drive, where traffic is already congested. The additional trucks that would be coming in from all across Inner West and Central Sydney would cause further delays, not to mention, damage the integrity and quality of roads and roundabouts over the long term.

I am also not assured that the facility will be able to manage odour control. Ventilation would be important for any processing station and it will be quite difficult to control and contain about odour that will inevitably escape.

Being so close to residential areas as well, it is an inappropriate location to house a waste transfer station where the local community live and sleep. The operation hours proposed are also not considerate of the local community - just as they can't control odour, it will also be very challenging to control noise level if machinery is operating until 10pm.

I would also like to question the issue of chemical waste. Would the waste station be handling chemicals during the waste disposal process? What are their plans to manage the disposal of chemicals involved?

I sincerely hope Council will take my aforementioned concerns into consideration. A waste station in our community will put a heavy strain on community morale and spirit. I hope community feedback will be carefully considered, and all due diligence will be undertaken prior to any major decision.

Thank you,