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To Whom it may concern,

Hope you are well.

I am a resident of Lidcombe and I would like to state my concerns and objections regarding DA2023/0130(organic waste transfer station at 109A Church St, Lidcombe).

Due the number of additional 118 trucks coming in and out of already congested Lidcombe streets, is one of the concerns. We have pre-schools, schools, places of worship and aged care nearby to this proposed Waste Transfer station. Additional traffic will bring additional risks and incidents. And the odour from the moving trucks carrying waste will not be pleasant for anyone in the area. It may create air and noise pollution.

There will also be additional costs to maintain the roads as there will be significant damage to the road and roundabouts. It also is not possible for the trucks to be covered while transporting waste and there will be debris of waste left/flying out from them that generates bad odour. Though the hours of operation is set to be from 6.00am to 10.pm, it can be extended as per business need.

The location itself is very close to the residential areas where there are elderly and children. Though it is currently proposed that it will be organic waste, what if, in the future, the scope of waste is extended into other industrial wastes. And in the initial proposal that the station will be covered during operations but how can we ensure that it is, all the time?

To recap and point out the concerns:

- -the proposed site is too close to the residential area and town center.
- -additional 118 trucks (potentially will increase) in already congested Lidcombe roads.
- -odour control with little means of knowing how bad it will be. Odour from the truck and the debris left behind.
- -health and traffic hazard for elderly and children, which includes the center operating and trucks moving in and out late into the night.

only feel at ease when we are home, after long days of work. If home became unpleasant due to odour, noise and within hazard, what do we have left?			
Kind Regards,			
Address: Contact details:			

On emphatic grounds, we, as common people, have been and are still going through a lot these years with pandemic, monetary inflation and high living costs, etc. We really