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Dear Cumberland council

I hope this email finds you well. I am writing to you as a concerned resident in the Lidcombe area regarding the recent proposal to build a rubbish tip in our community. I want to express my strong opposition to this plan and highlight the numerous detrimental effects it would have on our environment, health, and overall quality of life.

First and foremost, constructing a rubbish tip in Lidcombe would pose a significant threat to the environment. It is well-documented that landfills emit harmful greenhouse gases, such as methane, which contribute to climate change. Given the urgent need to reduce our carbon footprint and combat global warming, it is counterproductive to introduce a waste disposal facility that would only exacerbate the problem.

Furthermore, Lidcombe is a residential area with families, schools, and parks nearby. Building a rubbish tip in close proximity to these communities would have severe implications for public health. The emission of noxious odours, hazardous waste, and potential contamination of groundwater are genuine concerns that could lead to various health issues, including respiratory problems, infections, and even long-term illnesses. It is crucial to prioritize the well-being of the residents and ensure they are not subjected to such risks.

I believe there is more risk than this, and I also believe that by working together, we can find innovative and sustainable solutions that meet the waste management needs of our region without compromising the health, environment and social fabric of Lidcombe.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. I trust that you will take our concerns into serious consideration and make a decision that is in the best interest of our community.

Regards