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## Dear Cumberland Council,

I am writing this letter to express my strong objection to the proposed construction and operation of an organic waste transfer station at 109A Church Street, Lidcombe, NSW 2141 (Lot 1 DP 778492), as outlined in File: DA2023/0130. I believe that this project would have several negative impacts on our neighborhood and the quality of life for its residents.

Firstly, the addition of a waste transfer station would significantly contribute to increased traffic congestion in the area. With the already busy traffic on Church Street due to the construction of apartments, the introduction of waste transfer trucks would further exacerbate the problem. This congestion would cause inconvenience, longer commute times, and potential safety hazards for pedestrians and drivers alike.

Furthermore, I strongly object to the potential noise pollution that would be generated by the operation of the transfer station. The constant movement of vehicles and the handling of waste materials would undoubtedly create a disruptive environment for nearby residents. If the transfer station were to operate during nighttime or early morning hours, the noise disturbance would further impede the peace and tranquility of our neighborhood.

In addition to noise, I am concerned about the potential release of dust fumes into the surrounding area. Waste transfer stations involve the movement and handling of waste materials, which can generate airborne dust particles. Inhaling these particles poses health risks to residents, and the presence of a dusty environment would create discomfort and reduce the overall quality of life for those living nearby.

Lastly, the unpleasant odor that may emanate from the waste transfer station is a significant concern. Organic waste, if not properly contained or managed, can produce foul smells that spread throughout the vicinity. This odor would not only be unpleasant but also potentially hazardous to the health of residents, creating an undesirable living environment.

In light of these objections, I strongly urge the relevant authorities to reconsider the approval of this proposed waste transfer station at 109A Church Street. I believe that alternative locations, away from residential areas, should be considered to minimize the negative impacts on the community.

I also request that a comprehensive and transparent environmental impact assessment be conducted to thoroughly evaluate the potential consequences of this project on the neighborhood. The concerns raised in this letter should be taken into account during this assessment process.

I kindly request that you acknowledge receipt of this objection letter and keep me informed about any further developments or opportunities for community consultation regarding this matter.

Thank you for considering my objections. I trust that you will give this matter the attention it deserves and act in the best interest of the community.