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Dear Cumberland Councillors,

I would like to voice my strong objection to the proposed construction and operation of an "Organic Waste Transfer Station" at Lidcombe.

Firstly, the description of the proposed development is misleading. To most people "organic" means coming from the natural environment whereas the waste to be processed in the proposed facility will include waste originating from households and building sites. Hence, rubbish tip is a more accurate description.

Secondly, rubbish tips do not belong in residential areas. The reasons for this are understood and agreed upon by most people.

Finally, as with any proposed development, the positive features and outcomes it will bring to the community must be considered.

Will it beautify the suburb and make it more appealing to live in?
Will it entice visitors or tourists?
Will it create jobs for the locals?
Will it improve the happiness, health and safety of the residents?
Will it fit the landscape and community?

In this case, the answer to each of the above is a resounding NO.

The only impact a rubbish tip will have on the Lidcombe community is a negative one.

No one wants the increased traffic, noise and pollution. No one wants their health and safety compromised. No one wants their property devalued.

No one wants a rubbish tip in their neighbourhood.

Therefore, this proposal should be dumped and thrown on the scrap heap where it belongs.

I trust that Cumberland Council will carefully consider the objections raised. I look forward to a prompt response outlining the actions Council will be taking in regards to community objections.

Yours sincerely,

