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Subject: [EXTERNAL] OBJECTION to DA2023/0130, Lot 1 DP 778492, 109A Church St,

Lidcombe, NSW 2141

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To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to express my strong opposition to the proposed development application (DA2023/0130) concerning Lot 1 DP 778492, located at 109A Church St, Lidcombe, NSW 2141.

As a resident of Lidcombe, and I am deeply concerned about the potential negative impacts that this proposed rubbish dump could have on our residential area. Specifically, I am troubled by its close proximity to residential properties.

One of the most concerning aspects of this proposed rubbish dump is the anticipated increase in traffic it would bring to an already congested area. Given the current influx of new apartments and the growing population, our roads are already heavily burdened. Introducing additional traffic from the dump would exacerbate the existing issues and pose a significant safety risk, particularly for children who reside and play in this area. It is crucial to acknowledge that this development carries substantial safety implications for our community.

Moreover, Lidcombe is rapidly transforming into a high-density region, attracting residents who have made substantial investments to establish their homes here. Placing a rubbish dump in such close proximity to residential areas seems to disregard the efforts of the hardworking community, which has strived to create a secure and pleasant environment for their families. The proposed rubbish dump threatens to negatively impact our neighborhood, compromising not only the well-being of its residents but also our ability to enjoy the place we call home.

The potential consequences of a rubbish dump in our community extend beyond increased traffic and inconvenience. Odor pollution is a genuine concern, as the disposal of waste materials inevitably generates unpleasant smells. These odors would permeate our neighborhood, making it difficult for us to enjoy outdoor spaces and diminishing our overall quality of life. Additionally, the risk of contamination and associated health hazards presents a significant threat to the well-being of our community as a whole.

I strongly urge the council to reconsider this proposal and take into account the genuine concerns and objections raised by residents. Rather than locating a rubbish dump in our suburban area, it is crucial to explore alternative sites that would cause minimal disruption to the residential community and ensure the preservation of our well-being.

Thank you for giving due consideration to my concerns and incorporating them into your decision-making process. I have confidence that the council will make a decision that aligns with the best interests of the community and upholds the unique qualities that make Lidcombe an attractive place to live.

