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**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Strong Objection to Proposed Waste Disposal Facility Development at Lidcombe DA2023/0130

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Dear Councillor,

I hope this email finds you well. I am writing to you as a concerned resident in the Lidcombe area. I would like to express my strong objection to the proposed development of a new waste disposal facility in our community. I have grown up in Lidcombe/Auburn area and I have been frustrated with the lack of infrastructure investment in the area for many years. For example, the parks and playgrounds in Lidcombe are in such disrepair, they are hazardous. The population has boomed but still no high school for Lidcombe, but you want to build a waste site. I think your priorities are wrong and the waste site is a terrible idea.

Firstly, I believe it is crucial to emphasize the potential detrimental impact such a facility would have on the health and well-being of our local residents. Waste disposal facilities often emit unpleasant odors and toxic fumes, which can lead to respiratory problems, allergies, and other serious health issues. Our community should not be subjected to these risks, especially when it comes to the health of our children, elderly, and vulnerable populations.

Moreover, the proposed facility's location is highly problematic. It appears to be in close proximity to residential areas, schools, parks, and other places where people live, work, and play. This raises significant concerns about noise pollution, increased traffic congestion, and the negative visual impact on our surroundings. Our local area should be a safe, clean, and pleasant place to live, and the development of a waste disposal facility contradicts this vision. There has been massive over development of Lidcombe in recent years with no new roads or infrastructure built to meet the increases and yet you want to add a new waste site to add new truck movements in the early morning and late night.

It is essential to consider alternative options for waste management, such as investing in recycling facilities and promoting sustainable practices. By focusing on recycling and waste reduction programs, we can minimize the amount of waste that needs to be disposed of in the first place, thereby reducing the need for such a facility.

Furthermore, I urge the council to conduct a thorough and transparent environmental impact assessment before making any decisions regarding this proposed development. It is imperative that all potential risks and impacts on our community and the environment are carefully evaluated and taken into account.

In conclusion, I strongly oppose the development of a waste disposal facility in our local area. The potential health risks, negative impact on our community, and the environmental consequences are too significant to overlook. I implore you to listen to the concerns of the residents and act in the best interest of our community by reconsidering this proposed development.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. I trust that you will carefully review the objections raised and take the necessary steps to protect our local area.

Yours sincerely,