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Our Ref: 101838



30 November 2017

Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal  
New South Wales  
Level 15  
2-24 Rawson Place  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

Dear IPART,

### Notice of Intention to Apply for Special Rate Variation

I am writing to advise that at its Ordinary Meeting of 28 November 2017, Hawkesbury City Council resolved to advise IPART of its intention to prepare an Application for a Special Rate Variation based on the following elements:

Information Required	Council Response
type of special rate application	Application under Section 508A of the NSW Local Government Act – being a special rate variation over a period of three years
percentage increases each year	9.5% in 2018/19, 9.5% in 2019/20, 9.5% in 2020/21 (inclusive of rate peg)
permanent or temporary increase	A permanent increase which is retained within the rate base.
purpose of the special variation	Primary purposes (based on IPART categories) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• maintain existing services</li><li>• enhance financial sustainability</li><li>• infrastructure maintenance/renewal</li></ul>
principal contact	Joseph Litwin Executive Manager Community Partnerships

If you require any further information in relation to this Notification of Intention, please feel free to contact me on ( [REDACTED] )

Yours faithfully

**Joseph Litwin** | Executive Manager Community Partnerships | Hawkesbury City Council  
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