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Submission: I write to oppose plans to force Marrickville Council to amalgamate into an Inner West Super Council.

Forcing Marrickville Council into such an arrangement with more suburban councils further to the south and west would dilute the progressive and creative spirit of the area.

If Marrickville is to amalgamate it should be with Leichhardt Council and/or the City of Sydney as they are areas that share the same vibrant and progressive spirit.

However in the event that Marrickville is made to amalgamate into a Super Council the number of councillors should be increased so that there is still good local representation in the new council body.