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Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal
Local Government Division
Review of local Council Fit for the Future Proposals
PO Box K35,
Haymarket Post Shop, NSW 1240

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Re: Local Council Fit for the Future Proposals

To Whom It May Concern,

I write regarding the State Government's proposals to merge Local Government Areas based on fit for future proposals.

I have been a resident of the City of Sydney since 2012. In that time I have come to find a well-run Council that is focussed on the needs of the local community – the core responsibility of what a council should be doing. The fact this is done on a financially sound basis by a council untainted by corruption is exceptional by any measure. I therefore feel it is un-necessary to merge the City of Sydney with an adjacent LGA.

While I understand there may be other local councils in financial peril attention should perhaps be directed at these rather than foisting these onto the City of Sydney. To merge a model council with another is effectively punishing this local government area for being in a good financial position.

Yours sincerely,

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Anthony Rassias