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Why are central coast residents continually being forced to foot the bill for council inability to manage funding? Why are we constantly seeing funding being spent in areas like terrigal for cosmetic enhancements that arent necessary instead of on critical and necessary infrastructure to areas of the coast that are in dire need of road upgrades, public facilities upgrades and improvements in existing infrastructure technologies. It seems that funds are readily [REDACTED] with little to no consequences for repeat [REDACTED]. The funding for infrastructure improvements should come from the sales of all the new land releases and developments being built on the coast, of developers want to develop a parcel of land that will be a few hundred houses that will put strain on the existing infrastructure then they should have to contribute to the upgrade of the existing infrastructure before being able to utilize its services for their development. Future planning and process improvements are another area in which council can make improvements and save money instead of relying on hindsight and wasting money on improvements that should have been done in the first place. Obviously you cant have growth on the coast without expenses to upgrade infrastructure, but if you make rates etc too pricy growth will grind to a halt because people will look to cheaper areas with respect to cost of living eg the Hunter.