To: Local Government Mailbox

Subject:Objection to Port Stephens Rate RiseDate:Friday, 8 March 2019 10:44:32 AM

I strongly object to this rate rise proposal.

As a local Salt Ash resident, our property has been devalued by the PFAS contamination and we have suffered financially because of this and there is no short term solution.

I see no reason to enforce such a significant rate rise – far in excess of CPI or annual wage increase. We have suffered enough financial hardship and this is proposal is unwarranted and unfair.

I also find it appaling that this notice was published with the incorrect email address and date. I have tried several times to submit this objection and hope this one is received.

I am happy for my comments to be made public, but wish to remain anonymous.