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Submission: As both a resident and city-based business owner, I think the current City of Sydney boundaries reflect "the city" and should remain as they are.

I haven't heard anything resembling a convincing argument for amalgamation. "Greater efficiency" is the mantra, but if you follow that logic, we'd have a single world government.

I haven't seen any argument that points to specific problems being caused by the current size and location of the City of Sydney. I'm aware there are problems elsewhere in the state, and perhaps amalgamation would be helpful for them. But here in Sydney, the council is still small enough to be approachable and (reasonably!) responsive, while being big enough to do the job.

I say leave it as it is.

Regards,

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