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Subject: Lismore LGA's proposal for a rate variation

To whom this may concern,

I am writing in support of the proposed Lismore City Council's rate variation for the Biodiversity Management Plan. As a landowner and a resident in Lismore's LGA I consider the proposed variation to be reasonable and believe that our local environment is worth the cost. An ongoing contribution from ratepayers will go a long way in improving our biodiversity and natural beauty- an asset that most people, I believe, are proud of and would like to see improved upon. The "imaging Lismore' 10 year plan cited our natural biodiversity as a core aspect of our environment that people would like to see improvement in, and this rate variation is an essential step in meeting this goal.

Kind regards, Ivy Young