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Dear Sir/Madam,

I recently attended the meeting at the surf club and as a result object to the Proposed Special Rates Variation (PSRV).

As a 45 year resident of Evans Head I strongly object to the PSRV applied for by Richmond Valley Council for the following reasons:

No money from rates being spent in Evans Head from the last SRV..

Land values rIn Evans Head realise more rates per rateable property than other towns in the shire.

Council spending millions of rate payers dollars on the stock exchange yards in Casino which has absolutely nothing to do with Evans Head.. Every other town in Australia as indicated on ABC Landline, shows how councils all over Australia are EXITING all cattle sale yards.

A drive to Casino from Evans Head will soon show all rates are being spent in Casino (and more land being cropped etc).

Amalgamation will halt this.

We are already the victim of some 5 or 6 million dollars bad investment by council. Council received 3 million dollars for the sale of Evans Head Airport - where has this money gone ??

Any PSRV is extremely unfair causing hardship to pensioners who seem to be supporting an industry which does not exist anywhere near Evans Head.

Regards

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