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The price increases for residents, particularly the fixed charges which double by 2029/30 are untenable (and lowering them by pushing up the per kl price would be untenable too). Households are already on the brink and will not be able to afford their water bills if this happens. Water should not be considered a commodity to make profit on. It should be a basic human right, and these charges proposed will put it out of reach for a large section of the population already struggling. If Sydney Water wants to invest in infrastructure the cost should come 100% out of the multi million dollar developers who are building these housing estates, not charging wider society for the over-development problems investors and poor housing stock management have caused. In addition, charges should be pushed towards the water wasters - there are many clubs that have converted to artificial turf/grass in recent years (our local club a great example) and even during droughts they are getting permission to pump out gallons of water onto PLASTIC. Complaints to Sydney Water have gone unheeded - they seriously couldn't care less. The clubs spraying water on plastic turf should be charged through the nose for this to prevent it from happening. In conclusion my whole household STRONGLY OBJECTS to the proposed price hikes.