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To whom it concern.

We are media outlet at Port Stephens. We remain impartial to the Special Rate Variation proposed by Port Stephens Council.

We have best communicated the positives of Council and outlines concerns of resident to the community.

We have conducted an Online Poll over the last 3 week period. We have directed rate payers to this poll with every balanced story we have run in each edition.

The poll is set for '1 vote per Person' (1 vote per IP Address)

Over 650 votes are recorded.

Over 90% have said "no" to the Rate Rise that is proposed.

Around 10 have said "Yes" to the Rate Rise that is proposed.

See the POLL and Results here http://www.newsofthearea.com.au/polls-say-issues

Kind Regards

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