



29 March 2016

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Dear Mr Kitto

**Submission on the revised Community Consultative Committee Guidelines –  
State Significant Projects**

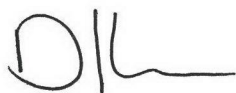
Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments on the revised Community Consultative Committee Guidelines – State Significant Projects.

Warringah Council has strong relationships with the community and key stakeholders and has adopted a Community Engagement Policy and Matrix. Council is committed to developing partnerships to involve and empower the community and key stakeholders. Council's active community committees and strategic reference groups are a clear reflection of this commitment.

In summary, Council supports the revised guidelines to include state significant projects. This will facilitate greater participation opportunities between interested community members, stakeholders and allow a deeper level of understanding of issues in all stages of development.

If you would like further information on Council's Engagement Policy and Matrix to assist in the revision of the Department's Community Consultative Guidelines, please contact Kate Lewis, Community Engagement and Research Manager on (02) 9942 2731 who will be happy to assist.

Yours faithfully



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