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The General Manager

Lane Cove Council

## **Greenwich Hospital Development River Road**

Dear Sir

The Environmental Impact Statement indicates the trees to be felled and the trees to be retained. It is one of the most important documents in the Application because retained trees will help to ameliorate the imposition of the large and numerous buildings proposed. Many trees are also of heritage value.

I request that the Council impose a condition of full-scale protection of the proposed trees to be retained including their root systems. Further I request that the Council provides inspection through out the construction period and imposes a tree conservation order for their continued preservation.

It is my experience that builders will find a number of retained trees to be inconvenient for their work and will dispose of them on the spot without such orders and inspections. There will always be another subcontractor to blame.

Yours faithfully

David Jackson

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