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Attention: Director-Social and Infrastructure Assessments

LORETO NORMANHURST SCHOOL REDEVELOPMENT (CONCEPT PROPOSAL AND STAGE )

91-93 PENNANT HILLS ROAD, NORMANHURST (SSD-8996)

OBJECTION TO LORETO SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT. (SSD-8996)

Having lived in Nepean Ave. Normanhurst for close on sixty years I have seen Loreto School change from a quiet facility embraced by its neighbours, to an ever growing monster on our doorstep.

The residents are now consistently inconvenienced by the traffic chaos in Osborne Road caused by the school staff, students, parents and visitors to the school—not only on school days but at weekends when sporting facilities are hired out. This is with a school population of eight hundred and fifty. If the school numbers are increased to two thousand, access for residents in surrounding streets will be impossible.

For residents of Osborne Road, Currawong Ave., Rivertop Close, Nepean Ave., Wendy Ave., and Dunbar Close. The only entry / exit is via Osborne Road. In the case of a bushfire or other disaster how would we escape? We have already experienced times when it has taken thirty minutes to travel from the corner of Osborne Road and Currawong Ave., to Pennant Hills Road and S,ervice Vehicles have been unable to negotiate entry to the area because vehicles are parked on both sides of Currawong Ave,.

I suggest that Loreto be required to construct a road through their property with direct access to Pennant Hills Road leaving Osborne Road for residents access.

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