

5 June 2015

1 Slim Place  
Cabramatta 2166

Dear Sir or Madam,

## **SIMTA MOOREBANK INTERMODAL FACILITY STAGE 1**

I understand that negative externalities arising from the Moorebank Intermodal may make the Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre 'unviable'.

The following are comments I have made on Facebook at:

<https://www.facebook.com/liverpoolleader/photos/a.437393130987.234888.286302235987/10152821730765988/?type=1&theater>

I cannot imagine the community without the **Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre**. This is one of the most engaging treasures we have in the South West. I don't live in the Liverpool LGA but, as I have said repeatedly, it is a next door neighbour.

It must be noted that not only the Liverpool Community may be affected. There are huge numbers of people, individuals, families, schools, organizations and groups from outside Liverpool who also attend and get immense pleasure and use from this remarkable and unique place.

I have visited the centre often to enjoy the delights of its high quality exhibitions and functions. I have also been to meetings held by Georges River Combined Councils' Committee, Hawkesbury-Nepean CMA and to meetings of the Botany Bay and Catchment Alliance, the last one being only last month. I have also been with walking groups that have visited. I am aware that bike groups have too.

The Mayor of Liverpool, the people of Liverpool and others have fought the good fight against the placement of the intermodal and I attended one of the rallies that have been held. I would have been to more but I can only be at one place at a time.

My Facebook page has numerous albums about this fabulous place situated on the Georges River. Here is a sample:

<https://www.facebook.com/media/set/...>

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I have just uploaded a video of a Disability Day to YouTube. It shows in my view another of the treasures associated with the centre, that is, as a pleasant and comfortable venue for many events. It is at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=toc4J7LElsw>

Look at it, listen to it and savour it. The loss of what the centre gives to us will be sword to our very soul.

It is for the above reasons, together with the proximity to the Georges River that I consider the intermodal would best be placed elsewhere such as proximate to the proposed Sydney second airport.

Yours faithfully,



Charles Gream