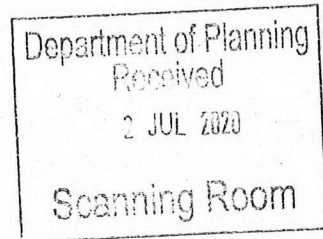


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My family would like to protest the proposal to redevelop and use Mt Errington as a school. There are already very good schools in the area as depicted in the following guide:

<https://www.goodschools.com.au/compare-schools/in-hornsby-2077?page=1>

What a shame to destroy the interior and grounds of this beautiful old building. We have lived in this area for 50 years and Mt Errington has been an icon in this area (which is recognised by its heritage listing) and to see it degraded like this is an absolute disgrace.

Resident access will be exacerbated by the additional traffic a school will bring, especially as there are already plans for high rise buildings in the area.

William Street is already a bottleneck with parking on both sides of the road forcing cars going in one direction to pull over and block driveways to allow traffic in the opposite direction through. This is much worse on garbage days when traffic is unable to get through at all. Dural Street isn't an alternative either as it is partly a one-way street!

Even without additional traffic, it could prove quite dangerous for emergency services to get through quickly to residences in Old Man Valley if required. As residents of Rosemead Road, William Street is our quickest exit in case of emergencies.

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