

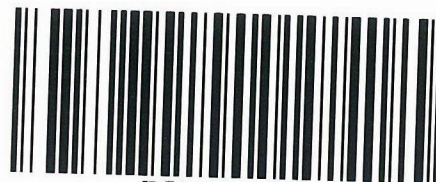
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Dear Sir/Madam,

**PACIFIC HIGHWAY UPGRADE – WOOLGOOLGA TO BALLINA  
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT – FURTHER SUBMISSION**

Within Council's formal submission, dated 11 February 2013, it was explained that the earliest opportunity to report this project and Council's submission to an Ordinary Meeting of Council was 19 February 2013, the day after submissions closed. As such the submission sought an opportunity to make a further late submission, if warranted.

A further issue has arisen concerning the apparent lack of detailed assessment toward impacts on the Woodburn and Broadwater communities resulting from their proposed bypass, and on the New Italy community from altered access arrangements.

Council therefore seeks that the project should be conditioned to have a full Socio-Economic Study completed and that it be actioned to undertake identified mitigation measures to minimise both short and long term impacts upon these communities.

If you wish to discuss this matter further please contact me on 02 66600276 or via email at [tony.mcateer@richmondvalley.nsw.gov.au](mailto:tony.mcateer@richmondvalley.nsw.gov.au) .

Regards

  
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additional submission on  
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