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Response to West Connex EIS

10,000 Friends of Greater Sydney (FRoGS) presents this submission in response to the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) released by the Department of Planning on 13th August 2014 for Stage 1 of the proposed WestConnex project - the widening and upgrade of the M4 Motorway from Church Street, Parramatta to Homebush Bay Drive, Homebush.

The submission is presented in three parts -

- 1. The WestConnex concept as a strategy for future development of transport for Sydney; and
- 2. The specific proposal for Stage 1 widening and upgrade of the M4 from Church Street, Parramatta to Homebush Bay Drive, Homebush.

3 Paper prepared by FRoGS The attached paper by 10,000 Friends in December 2010 "Why Fast Metro to West?" provides more detail on the new rail tracks proposal.

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