

- During the construction period there will be an increase of dust, this may impact our filtration system of our swimming pool and in and around house. We have already noticed an increase of dust and dirt in our swimming pool and in and around the house over the past few years. This may impact on the children being able to spend time in the back yard.
- Our fourteen year old child suffers from Asthma and we are concerned that the increase in dust and dirt will aggravate it.
- During the construction period we are concerned about the increase of traffic and noise by the works which may be going on through the night. (Noise and vibration from heavy machinery). I am a shift worker and am concerned that I will be interrupted as I sleep during the day.
- We are deeply concerned for the welfare of our children. We believe that the proposal will have a adverse psychological and physical effect on our children with symptoms including but not limited to fatigue, sleep deprivation and depression.
- We have a six year old disabled child, a twelve year old and a fourteen year old child. Our concern is that they may be unable or be disrupted during their sleep periods which may impact on their studies. (Our property has been identified in the EIS as potential exposers to noise and vibration)
- Once the construction is completed it may be rezoned and sold to developers and high density living may be approved. The issues with this is that we lose privacy, the potential to lose natural sunlight which would increase shade, require more heating in winter, the increase of vehicle traffic and lack of parking. We have noticed that while the Westconnex site may have parking, there are workers parking in front of our house almost every day of the week. A few months ago we saw one of the workers discard a water bottle from his car and place it on the ground, the bottle contained a yellow liquid we believe to be urine.
- Previously the adjacent business operated for approximately 10 hours per day, and was closed most public holidays.
- Due to Sydney's growth rate and the cost of the toll, we don't believe that there will be a reduction in traffic, as was evident in the recent tolls of the M4 with motorists reverting to Parramatta Rd.
- The rear part of our property, side part of our property and the front of our property have been acquired by the RMS. This we believe will impact on the value of our house to the uncertainty of what will be approved after the works.
- Due to the recent acquisitions by the RMS and the most recent next door and around our property, we believe that our property will be difficult to sell, hard to rent and an undesired property that no vendor would risk purchasing now and perhaps in the future.
- Not conducive to a happy family environment as may lead to stress and anxiety.
- Concerns of the effect to children as can lead to physical and mental issues such as fatigue, sleep deprivation and depression.
- Our youngest daughter suffers from a rare disability, diagnosed as HDAC8, she has been classified as severe and we are unsure how she will cope and how we can support her through this stressful difficult period.
- Several years ago we received a letter from the RMS stating that we were going to be acquired. We then received a phone call telling us that we were not affected, we now are

directly affected. This uncertainty has caused stress in our family and will continue for many years.

- A submission was sent to the Chief Executive, RMS last year very similar to this one, to date no response was issued and we don't believe that this one will be replied to.
- A site diagram on the Westconnex website indicates that a multi-level site office is being placed directly beside our property which will cause overshadowing, noise issues with air conditioners and workers at the site seven days a week twenty four hours a day.
- Why wasn't this property acquired? We have been told that we could not be acquired after many pleas to be. We have been told that it cannot be justified. How can the RMS then justify purchasing the old Muirs site which is using less than fifty percent of the site for the project? The property directly next door to us is being used as a car park which would increase traffic in the street. Please explain to residents and our family what is going to be done with it after the project.
- What measures of mitigation is being put in place during the knock down of the old Muirs site? (Noise and dust.)