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Dear Katelyn

RE: Breen Resource Recovery Facility (SSD-10412) - Sutherland Shire Council Submission

Council welcomes the opportunity to provide a submission on this important project which has significant implications for Council and the community.

Within our submission, Sutherland Shire Council objects to the Breen Resource Recovery Facility. The main basis for the objection is the impact the SSD Proposal has on the delivery of obligations under the 2010 VPA between Sutherland Shire Council, Breen Resources and Frasers Property (Australand).

Council's submission is set out in two main sections. The first raises issues and concerns relating to the impact of the proposal on the 2010 VPA, and concerns of Council as a future land owner and manager of portions of the proposal site. The second focuses on potential environmental impacts associated with the proposal.

Overall Council considers that while the provision of a resource recovery facility and embellished parklands have the capacity to make a positive contribution to the people and the environment of the Sutherland Shire, there is a significant information gap in this application, particularly in relation to any type of details with finished levels and impacts of landfill operations on the surrounding environment. This makes it difficult to assess its potential impacts.

Additional detail is provided within our attached submission.

If you require further information on this submission please contact Ian Drinnan, Manager Environmental Science Unit on 9710 0547 or idrinnan@ssc.nsw.gov.au as needed.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a series of loops and a long horizontal stroke, followed by a small vertical mark.

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