

## **INQUIRY INTO CROSS CITY TUNNEL**

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Summary

## **Submission to Cross City Tunnel lodged by Craig Tansley**

The 'East Sydney Neighbourhood Association' [ESNA] has been making representations on behalf of our local community for many years now. It should be noted, however that they do NOT speak for all of us - in fact their agenda is indicative of a small (albeit well organised and vocal) minority who are fortunate enough to have the unwavering support of the notoriously "car hating" Clover Moore.

Many members of ESNA are well aware that they stand to gain financially through increases real estate resulting from local road closures. Much like those associated with the approval and magagement of the CCT, they are willing to put their own financial gain ahead of public well being.

This is completely unacceptable!

Many roads were closed purely so the owners of the CCT could make more money, and they should be re-opened immediately. Anything less is extortion, which is still illegal for members of the public is it not? This shameful situation needs to be rectified, and local residents and businesses should be compensated.