INQUIRY INTO CROSS CITY TUNNEL

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I commend the proposed tunnel to the extent only that it will provide a 7.5km long cycleway from Naremburn to North Ryde. The cycleway will have the following benefits:

- 1. Healthy, productive, fit and energetic people make for a productive Economo and harmonious society.
- 2. As working hours are extended in response to competitive pressures, many people get their essential exercise as part of their commute to and from work.
- 3. The new cycleway will see an significant increase in both pedestrians and cyclists commuting to work.
- 4. The lower north shore will become even more desirable to live and to work, and will become a model for the more extended areas of metropolitan Sydney.
- 5. Health and Safety will be improved for all users of the infrastructure, motorists, pedestrians and cyclists.
- 6. The cycleway will relieve the increasing pressure on government to provide other more expensive modes of public transport, as petrol prices inevitable rise to \$2 per litre (\$100 per barrel).

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