

**Submission
No 2**

THE TRANSPORT NEEDS OF SYDNEY'S NORTH-WEST SECTOR

Name: Mrs L. Beaumont

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To the Director,
General Purpose Standing Committee,
Dear Sir,

I believe that I have cheapest, & very best option for the North-west and Carlingford rail links. Also excellent time wise construction.

I have just returned from Vancouver, & seen this in action. It is called the Sky rail, & I suggest that you send a person of responsibility, & authority, to Vancouver to investigate, get information, & promote the idea.

It has the appearance of the old Roman viaducts, but instead of water, there is a 2-3 carriage train running frequently, with no timetable. The pillars which hold up the structure, over roads & low buildings, could be made very attractive, & so prevent people complaining. As well, low shrubbery could be put under, & medium size trees at sides. This would save devaluation of homes, & discomforts of people, living over present, proposed tunnel areas.

Tunnel areas are used in this scheme, but are short (less expense), where necessary.

Details are:- track supported on pillars
- track clears roadways & other train lines.
- few carriages (in demand), & run frequently.
no timetable.
- short tunnels for hilly parts, etc.

To erect a rail line, I am sure will be so much cheaper & quicker, than the present proposals, thus
break even

Yours sincerely
(Mrs) L. Beaumont.