

Submission
No 482

**INQUIRY INTO IMPACT OF THE WESTCONNEX
PROJECT**

Name: Name suppressed

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To whom it may concern,

As local residents and community members of the inner west we would like to register our concerns and dissatisfaction of the Westconnex project based on the following:

- It is inconsistent with the NSW Government's policy to reduce the number of cars coming into the city and to reduce congestion;
- It has a flawed business case based on assumptions that are no longer valid;
- It poses serious threats to our city's liveability including reduced air quality and a massive loss of parkland, trees and valuable inner city land;
- It demonstrates a serious lack of transparency and consultation with affected communities;
- It is extremely short-sighted, directing public funds into infrastructure that encourages more cars on the roads and more pollution, with inadequate public transport solutions;
- It will contribute to parking issues for inner west residents as the inner city car parking issues extend to the inner west suburbs with the anticipated increase in car traffic.

We hope you consider these aspects during your deliberations into the impacts of the Westconnex project.