

Submission
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**INQUIRY INTO PROPOSAL TO RAISE THE
WARRAGAMBA DAM WALL**

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To the people involved in making this decision

I grew up on a property not far from where this wall rising will take place and in the 12 years that we lived on the property for most of those years it was drought.

Instead of raising walls, we need better water reforms, instead of a one off program why is there not a program that would create jobs and help our environment and that would be turning grey and black water into flushing water instead people using drinking water to flush with why is not the government using grey and black water to flush toilets this would save thousands of litres of water, stopping dripping taps, if someone leaves water dripping then there needs to be fine taps.

Giving people who install waterless toilets incentives, leaving water restrictions in place, more often than not we are in drought more than we are in flood water needs to be re-evaluated more tanks where people have tanks then connect them to toilets and washing machines education about waste.

Let's not forget stopping mining near rivers and water storage so that water is not lost to crack in river banks, there needs to be less irresponsibility and wastage of water it's appalling. New taps that cut off, dry washing there are other ways of doing things and it's time for a change. I'm sure Michael Mobbs would be more than happy to assist as a consultant.