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## RE: DA2018/1924 - Forest Way FRENCHS FOREST NSW 2086

Dear Northern Beaches Council,

As a local resident of Brown St/Bentley Ave, I am writing to ask you to reconsider the traffic planning relating to the Forestway Shopping Centre Development. The streets from the back of Forestway through to the lights at Brown St are already a thoroughfare for traffic bypassing the congestion of the Forest Way and Warringah Rd intersection. Some of these 'back streets' do not have pedestrian footpaths (particularly Bentley Avenue). It is only logical that an upgraded shopping centre will increase the daily traffic demand on all these suburban streets, as well as potentially endangering young children in the area who often cycle or walk on/near these roads.

I understand the original DA featured a set of traffic lights to filter shopping centre patrons directly right onto Forestway (which has been rejected).

While the upgraded shopping centre will be an excellent improvement to the community, I hope that there will be a more complete and effective traffic management plan for the residents of this area.

Kind regards,

Angus Donald