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To: Council Northernbeaches Mailbox

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Dear Northern Beaches Council,

As a Narrabeen resident of 30 years and a regular user of Narrabeen and Collaroy beach for swimming, fishing and photography, I am strongly opposed to any further expansion of the seawall which is a disaster for the future of our beach.

There is extensive international research which has shown how damaging vertical sea-walls are for beaches and sand movement. Added to this the current constructed wall is incredibly ugly and limits the public's access and amenity to the beach. Further extension will simply compound the errors already made.

Adaptive responses to increasingly intense east-coast lows, storms and sea-level rise need to account for future projected climate impacts but also involve full public discussion.

Consultation involving the broader northern beaches community is needed to explore a full range of possible responses in adapting to beach erosion over the coming decades.

Yours sincerely,

Professor Christopher Wright

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