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**RE: DA2019/0200 - 130 Old Pittwater Road BROOKVALE NSW 2100**

I am writing to make a submission against the above development application. DA2019/0200

I would like to express my concerns regarding the profound effect that this development would have on animals, wildlife, plants, noise and the ongoing safety and longevity of the wildlife in this vital wildlife corridor in Allambie heights.

This area is a sanctuary and home for wallabies, echidnas, bandicoots, and such a diverse range of birdlife including the threatened Powerful Owl. This area of bushland also contains at least 43 species of flora.

There has already been a large portion of this land literally "bombed" with explosives to dig out and this is an extremely frightening sound and sight when living so close.

There have been abysmal efforts to adequately assess the impact on the environment. This area is also a recognized slip zone close to a steep gradient and with no detail of the volume of rocks and soil to be removed, there is a significant risk of erosion and other fundamental environment issues.

This is an extremely frightening proposal on what is a vital bush corridor for our wildlife, plant life, and bird life. This is also considered crown land, and I would love to understand how this proposal has even been considered - how can a developer propose construction on crown land??

I'd like to finish with this - there has been a large steel gate placed across beautiful crown land near oxford falls to prevent bikes and 4wd from accessing and exploring this land due to the risk of "damage" to important flora and fauna, yet you are willing to allow a developer to absolutely demolish land in Allambie heights which is just as important and just as vital to our wildlife???

Please consider disallowing this application to go ahead, I know myself along with so many other residents of the northern beaches have serious concerns about the impacts of this.

Thank you