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

My understanding is that RMS have rejected the proposed right hand turn onto Forest Way which was part of the proposal to redevelop Forestway Shopping Centre. This will mean that traffic leaving the site and heading south will only be able to use the route of Grace Ave/ Altona Ave/Deakin St/Bentley Ave and Brown St to get back to Warringah Road.

These are all relatively narrow residential streets, not designed for the volume of traffic the redevelopment will create (with parking spaces increasing from 428 to 738)

Residents of this area have already experienced the total grid lock that occurred during the recent Warringah Road roadworks between Forest Way and Wakehurst Parkway.

And given the RMS decision re access to Forest Way, the Grace Avenue route is the only alternative - which is totally unacceptable.

Local Council is supposed to support the local community but subjecting the local residents to this massive traffic increase will severely negatively affect our environment and lifestyle. These quite residential streets will no longer be family friendly nor safe for our children.

So please act in the best interests of the residents of this community by rejecting this application.