

SP CW (WORKING SESSION)

May 20, 2014

ITEM: 1

***Registered Ratepayer /Community Association Policy Changes Council Meeting***

***Draft Statement you may wish to make at the City Council Meeting on May 20<sup>th</sup> at 7pm***

My name is Johnny Farro and I live at 98 Velmar Drive . I am a resident of the Weston Downs community.

I want to let you know that the current registered ratepayer policy does not work and needs to be changed. I support the recommendations that have been made by the Ratepayer Policy Review taskforce and I am asking you as my representatives of council to implement those changes. In particular, I am asking you to implement changes to section 8 and 9 of the new policy recommendations. These changes directly affect me and my community of Weston Downs.

Currently, the East Woodbridge Community Association (EWCA) is the official association registered with the City to represent the interests of my community. This association does not represent my interests nor that of my community. We have had many issues come forward which affect our community and EWCA has done nothing to support my community. In fact, on one issue they worked against our community. Also, I am not aware of any active members of the EWCA that live in Weston Downs. The EWCA should not be allowed to continue to represent Weston Downs when they never have.

Recommendation 8 and 9 make changes to the policy that allow me and my fellow residents in Weston Downs to decide who we want to represent us, not the City, not one individual or one family. These recommendations are democratic, they let the people decide. As a resident of Weston Downs and as taxpayer, I urge Council to do the right thing and implement these changes.

Respectfully,

Johnny Farro

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**From:** Johnny Farro of Inter-All Ltd [<mailto:johnnyfarro@me.com>]  
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**Subject:** Resident of Weston Downs  
**Importance:** High

Hello My name is Johnny Farro I am a current concern resident of Weston Downs. I would like for you to review the attached letter. I have been called away and will not be able to attend the meeting on Tuesday May 20, 2014 at 7pm at City Hall to review the Ratepayers Policy and recommendation. The President of the Weston Ratepayers' association Mr. Anthony Francesucci is well aware of all our concerns he will keep us informed of all issues. I ask to please consider our request.

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