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The Chief Executive Officer,
Northern Beaches Council,
725 Pittwater Road,
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Dear Sir,

Re Submission re Draft Code of Meeting Practice 2018

We refer to the above mentioned Draft Code of Meeting Practice 208 and advise the Newport Residents Association (NRA) supports the above code including the retention of the Public Forum's other than noted below.

The NRA believe that holding only 10 council meetings per annum is insufficient to cover all the matters the newly amalgamated council has to deal with. We believe that there should be 18 to 20 council meetings held per annum. By holding additional meetings each meeting may then be of a shorter duration than is currently occurring.

Yours sincerely

Gavin Butler
President