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Mr Dick Persson, Administrator Northern Beaches Council 725 Pittwater Road, Dee Why NSW 2099

Dear Mr Persson,

Re: Royal Motor Yacht Club (Broken Bay) Pty Ltd v Northern Beaches Council (2017)

We refer to the recent decision regarding the above whereby the court upheld the RMYC appeal against the council's decision against the expansion of the club's marina.

We have received a copy of a letter written to yourselves from Pittwater Forever (we are a member), dated 9th June 2017, requesting council to appeal against that decision.

The Newport Residents Association (NRA) would like to separately confirm our agreement with the Pittwater Forever request for you to appeal. We are also very concerned about a precedent being set that may allow other commercial marina operators, who have swing moorings, to expand their marinas and agree that if those swing moorings were converted into expanded marinas the impact on the Pittwater waterway would be catastrophic.

We request that the Northern Beaches Council give serious consideration to appealing the L & E Court decision.

Yours sincerely,

Gavin Butler President