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**To:** OLG - Ku-ring-gai Council <kmc@kmc.nsw.gov.au>  
**Subject:** objection

Dear Sir,

I am the grandfather of three children whom my wife and I are privileged to support in attending the Wahroonga Adventist School. I should inform you that we ourselves are Seventh-day Adventists. I have just learned with dismay of a proposal to erect 200 residential units (5 high-rise buildings) and car parks (MD 07\_0166 MOD 8) immediately behind the school. Normally, as Adventists, we are supportive of our church's projects, but this one seems ill-conceived and we must register our objection to this development.

The school itself has an expansion plan so as to be able to teach not only at the primary level but also through to the senior high-school level. The proposed building plan will box the school in and prevent it from implementing any plans it may have of providing playing fields. It will, I imagine, be difficult for the school to develop such facilities as an aquatic centre, an auditorium, or a modern digitally orientated library.

The impact on the school during construction will be severe, but even worse I fear these overshadowing apartments, since they are so close, will continue to impact the school even post construction. This is not an inner city school, and any plans to turn it into one should be vigorously resisted.

Thank you for considering my concerns.

Yours sincerely

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