

Dear Sir or Madam,

My name is Daniela Cattarin and I am the owner of [REDACTED]. I am writing to you today as I have been upset and overwhelmed with the new map which was released prior to Christmas, which I might add was terrible timing having this news sprung on us approaching the Festive season, when spirits should be high and joyous.

My family and I have been living here for 20 years. This includes my husband and out 2 adult children. Along with my Mum and Dad which live in a separate dwelling.

While we always knew the day would come when the airport would be built and we would possibly have to relocate. What we didn't realise is actually how stressful the process would actually be.

After the release of the first map, my family and I along with many other residents, attended a meeting at Bringelly Hall on Greendale Road to view the map in more detail and to ask questions expressing our concerns. We could walk around the room to view various maps and representatives from the Department were there to help answer any questions.

After carefully viewing the maps we quickly realised our property was not affected by the Green (spine) Corridor. But to our surprise most of our neighbours were and we really felt for them.

I along with my husband approached one of the representatives Mr Brett Witworth to which we were asking him various questions about the Green Corridor. One of our questions to him were 'Will there be any changes to the width and length of the Green Corridor' to which he replied 'The corridor will decrease in size but will NOT increase

With that said my family and I left the information session feeling safe and satisfied that we would not be affected by the Green Corridor, unlike our fellow neighbours.

Then just a few weeks before Christmas we got a knock on our door, presenting us with the latest map. That was an absolute smack in the face to us especially after being told by a senior Department member that we had nothing to be worried about. The last couple of months have been tough. I have endured many sleepless nights because this news came as a shock and it literally has become very consuming. The actual area of what is to be acquired and that is to be zoned Environmental and Recreational is exactly where my house is sitting on our property and is approximately 1700sqm (this is what we have been advised) It makes me very sad and anxious that my house will be bulldozed to make way for Recreation and Environment use, And as I've mentioned before this has been our home for the past 20 years and holds many memories for my children and my parents and my husband and I.

We are really gutted that part of our property has now become part of the Green Corridor and we feel cheated with that decision. We feel that this will tarnish our remaining developable land and in turn rob us of our future. Relocating wont be easy and we are realising that our little piece of paradise that we now own in Bringelly will never be able to be replaced. Because in actual fact we live a Rural life that is very closely situated 20 minutes from suburbia and we love that so much.

Thank you for taking the time to read my submission and I look forward to a favourable response.

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