



MEDIA RELEASE

BRING BACK HOLROYD COMMUNITY GROUP

RESIDENTS CALL FORCED MERGER OF HOLROYD A SHAM AND DISHONEST.

Saturday 1st December 2018.

The Bring Back Holroyd Community Group is today launching the Bring Back Holroyd Campaign to reinstate Holroyd Council which had over 100000 residents when it was forcibly amalgamated into the new Cumberland Council in May 2016.

A press conference is being held at 10am today, located at Merrylands Oval, corner of Merrylands Road and Burnett Street, Merrylands.

Speakers include Save Our Councils Coalition members Phil Jenkyns and Will Tuck, Member for Granville Julia Finn MP, Member for Prospect Hugh McDermott MP, Shadow Minister for Local Government Peter Primrose MP along with angry residents.

“The Holroyd Community have had a gutful of the Berejiklian Government’s undemocratic and damaging forced amalgamation of Holroyd.” said Di Jogia, spokesperson for the Bring Back Holroyd Community Group.

“The process has not been democratic and treated the Holroyd Community with contempt.

The Bring Back Holroyd Community Group wants to see the immediate de- amalgamation of Holroyd from Cumberland Council or at the very least give the residents of Holroyd a say via a binding referendum.

“The forced council amalgamation of Holroyd has now been shown for what it is – a sham and a deeply dishonest process. The forced amalgamation of Holroyd has no legitimacy in the eyes of the Community nor does the Berejiklian Government have a mandate.

“Local democracy is precious to the people of Holroyd, and the way in which this Government has trashed local democracy and ignored the Holroyd Community has made many, many people angry”.

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SATURDAY 1st DECEMBER 10AM

WE WANT IT BACK!