

## WE DID IT FOR THE DEVELOPERS – GLADYS BEREJKLIAN SPEECH 9 NOV 2017



PREMIER GLADYS BEREJKLIAN AT SYDNEY INSTITUTE 9 NOV 2017

A question was asked by Save Our Councils Coalition President Brian Halstead to the Premier Gladys Berejiklian in relation to forced council mergers.

In giving an answer as to why the Government pursued this policy against the wishes of the community the Premier said: “We tried to make life easier for anybody who wants to work in the Greater Sydney area in dealing with multiple layers of government.”

In other words, all the pain and grief for local communities over the last couple of years, the loss of identity and loss of representation – all that so as to make it easier for the big developers to get their way!

What a disgrace, a complete failure to understand the importance and role of local communities and their elected councils – for this city, state and nation.

A Government that fails to listen to and understand local communities does not deserve to govern.

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