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Mr Darrell Channing
Director
Adjudication
Australian Competition & Consumer Commission
GPO Box 3131
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Via email: adjudication@accc.gov.au

Dear Mr Channing

Thank you for your invitation to make a submission regarding the Metropolitan Waste and Resource Recovery Group's application for authorisation AA1000451. As a party to the arrangements contained in the submission, Bayside Council supports the application.

The collaborative procurement process is necessary as the recycling processing sector is going through significant change and Council, acting alone, is unable to offer a product of sufficient volume to generate needed change in this market.

Please don't hesitate to contact me on should you have any further questions.

Yours sincerely

Mick Cummins

**Chief Executive Officer**