



# DERWENT VALLEY COUNCIL

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THE ARTS

Dear Sir

## RADIO INDUSTRY INQUIRY

I refer to the Radio Industry Inquiry into radio services in regional and rural Australia.

Although the Derwent Valley Council does not intend making a formal submission on this matter we wish to inform you that there are areas within the Council's municipality in and around the townships of Westerway, National Park and Maydena in the Florentine Valley that AM broadcasts are difficult to receive. Residents of these areas advise that they particularly miss out on receiving current affair and Parliamentary broadcasts on ABC Radio.

It may help your Inquiry if a technical assessment were to be made of this areas.

Yours sincerely

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