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Dear Mr Pigg

I believe that Shoalhaven City Council staff have failed the residents at Lake Conjola.

They failed to open the Lake when they were well aware that flooding was extremely likely given the available weather forecasts. Again it is the residents who have paid the price of incompetence on the part of the Council staff.

Contrary to one Council officer's claim that taxpayers money was saved by not intervening in the opening of the Lake, Council is now burdened with excessive waste management costs due to the enormous amount of rubbish and written off household goods in the local tip, and residents not only carry the financial cost of lost and damaged property, but also the emotional stress of living through, and recovering from the flood.

Could you please ensure that the delayed dredging program is implemented as soon as possible and before we lose the funds.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_