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Submission to:

The Local Government Rates Capping and Variation Framework Review 2015 Victoria

We live in the Frankston Council area and submit that what is known as 'rates' is an unlawful land tax, prohibited by the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia-the law of the land.

We also submit that shire councils are not in existence anymore and that corporations exist in their stead and are charging unreasonable and extravagant 'rates' in order to sustain bloated administrations of these corporations masquerading as shire councils and that these businesses have lost their way in terms of the simple services the men living in these shires require from the former shire councils.

We do not believe there are anywhere near enough democratic processes in place to take notice of what the men want from a shire council. This Frankston corporation, for instance, treats garbage collection and disposal as an extra rather than core *raison d'être* for a 'local council' !!!!!!!!!!!

In a similar vein, park rangers do not seem to be in existence so that illegal motor-bike riding on roads, tracks and footpaths is completely out of control all over the shire area and no-one is responsible for controlling this. Ring the corporation known as Frankston Council and they will ask to ring police or show similar lack of interest.

All sorts of misadventures directed from alien corporations such as the United Nations and linked to the EVIL Agenda 21 proposition are paid for and entertained by this Frankston corporation masquerading as a council, through the levying of UNLAWFUL LAND TAX ('rates') !!!! Most of these misadventures and spending are done BEHIND THE BACKS of the 'ratepayers'.

To describe –as the ESC has done in this 'Review' –the corporations masquerading as shire councils as GOVERNMENT is also contentious and provocative, since the men of the nation have been asked repeatedly in referenda whether they wish to confer this legitimacy to these corporations OR COUNCILS and have been TOLD-IN LAW-that the answer is NO!!!!!!!!!!!!

The Frankston corporation masquerading as a council has charged unreasonable rate rises consistently over roughly 5 years. This was all published in the local Leader newspaper and the pay rate of the CEO as well, which is quite obscene for the austere times in which we live , especially considering how many 'ratepayers' must be unable to find work, yet expected to pay the largesse of these out of touch bureaucrats!

So it is heartening to see the State government *be seen* to be reigning-in this out of control spending (and to be honest-often real corruption, especially in the area of property re-zoning and development...Pirates of the Suburbs anyone?...) BUT is this only an exercise in appearances?

It is our will these views be presented and canvassed to those holding this review, who commissioned it, and who will possibly adopt it, which of course will include the Premier of the state and other interested parties. This done to the fullest extent, so that if appropriate it be mentioned in parliament as a far more back to basics revolution is required in the arena of local shire matters.

We put that these views are more widely held than you credit.

We would appreciate a reply, as we wrote recently asking questions on the appropriate format for submission and heard yet nothing.

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