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Dear Mr Colotouros

Euroka St Roundabout lighting & recommendations from EA

Our committee has read Energy Australia's recommendations and believes that they do not adequately address the problems of collision safety and nighttime visibility.

Yellow lighting directly over the roundabout will draw attention to it, as it does in the case of the roundabout at the intersection of Woonona Rd and Sailors Bay Rd.

Simply increasing the intensity of lighting from the light poles east and west of the intersection will not produce the desired outcome and will lead to greater light spill.

Likewise we believe that the pole should be moved further away from the intersection and were rather bemused that EA should see it as form of collision protection for the house on that corner.

It should be noted that the pole has a sizable split along part of its length. Also the redirected traffic is depressing the service utility covers at this roundabout.

We would be happy to take part in an on-site inspection if it would be of benefit in drawing this matter to satisfactory conclusion.

Yours sincerely

John Becroft
President

Copies: Sailors Bay Ward Councilors