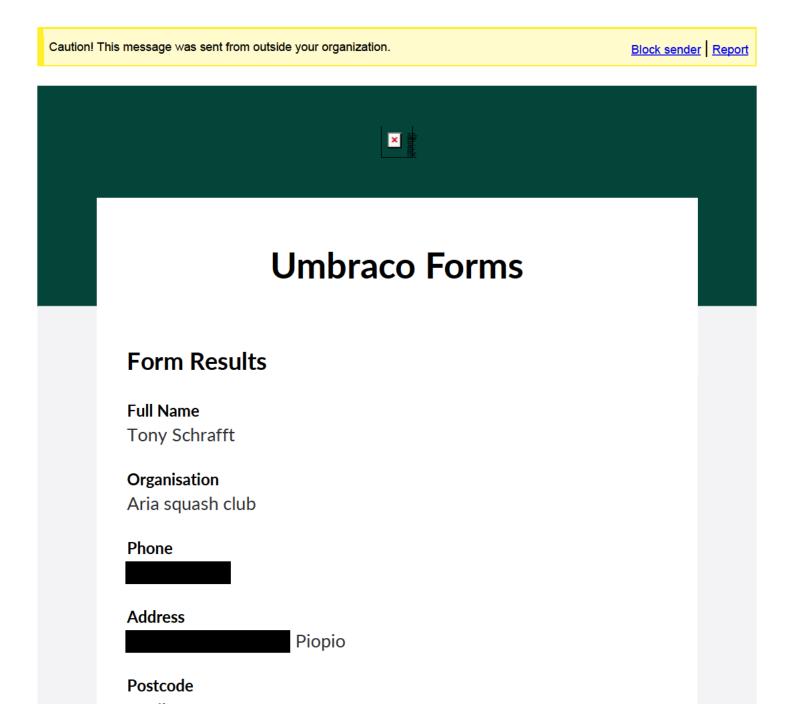
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Requirements

I wish to speak to Council about my submission

No

Do you have any feedback on the overall increase to our fees and charges by 3%?

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Do you have feedback on fees and charges that have increased by more than 3%?

No

Do you have any other feedback on the fees and charges for 2025-2026?

The increase in liquor licensing fee proposal. Establishments where there business is to supply and sell alcohol should not be subsidised by Council. The increase to then is fair. Small sports clubs like the Aria squash club do not have there primary focus on selling alcohol. Small clubs provide a safe regulated environment in a social setting as an extension of our main role of engaging our community with sport. Profit from bar takings currently do not cover the cost of liquor licensing, bar managers certificates. Further large increases as proposed would make small clubs opt out of having a liquor licence allowing persons to bring their own unlimited amount of alcohol to a venue with no controls or restrictions over amount consumed or age of persons. Small clubs are the backbone of our communities with volunteers putting in the hours. Rate players should continue to subsidise clubs Not establishments where sole purpose is to make money from alcohol sales.

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