

The Hon Kate Washington MP

Minister for Families and Communities
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The Hon Robert Borsak MLC
Chair
Portfolio Committee No. 5 – Justice and Communities
Parliament of NSW

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Re: Clarification of evidence for Budget Estimates hearing

Dear Chair,

I write to advise of a clarification of evidence given by myself at the Budget Estimates hearing for Legislative Council Portfolio Committee No. 5 – Justice and Communities, on Thursday, 9 November 2023.

I would be grateful if you could publish my clarification below. If you require further information, please contact my Chief of Staff,

Sincerely,

Kate Washington MP
Minister for Families and Communities
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27	<p>The Hon. NATASHA MACLAREN-JONES: What I gather, Minister, is that there is no time frame. How much is being spent on maintenance and security in regards to Tomaree?</p> <p>Ms KATE WASHINGTON: The Tomaree Lodge – because it is such a special site, I think it is about \$1 million for the security on the site.</p> <p>The Hon. NATASHA MACLAREN-JONES: Security and maintenance?</p> <p>Ms KATE WASHINGTON: And on maintenance, it's about \$800,000.</p> <p>The Hon. NATASHA MACLAREN-JONES: Close to \$2 million all up.</p> <p>Ms KATE WASHINGTON: I beg your pardon?</p> <p>The Hon. NATASHA MACLAREN-JONES: So it is \$1.8 million across maintenance and security per year.</p> <p>Ms KATE WASHINGTON: Yes, I believe so. There are many heritage buildings on the site.</p>	<p>I am advised:</p> <p>The cost of security and maintenance for the decommissioned Tomaree Lodge site is approximately \$1 million per year.</p> <p>The cost of security and maintenance for the decommissioned Stockton Centre site is approximately \$1.8 million per year.</p>