

# Cut the deadwood

Paul Olsen surely must realise that erecting ugly, intimidating signage or steel cabling to secure six dying pines with as little as five years to live would cost far more than replacing them with tall, attractive specimens.

The real threat to Brighton-Le-Sands is from tree-hugging, extreme greens ruling and wrecking Rockdale City Council.

The marina would get the axe, the F6 the chop and the new civic centre with pools, gyms, halls, library and lakes would also.

Rockdale's citizens and visitors deserve a brighter Brighton, more jobs, revitalised retail, commercial and residential amenity.

I got elected to progress our city of Rockdale, not watch it die. It is a sad reality of life but sometimes you have to cut the deadwood to make way for new growth.

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