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It beggars belief & is beyond anyone's comprehension that a group of people allegedly with heaps of business acumen & ability to be elected to represent the people of Ipswich, were oblivious to the indiscretions of previous Mayors that they had no inkling to what was going on, particularly so as a group of professional people working so close together were not at least had their suspicions and were left completely in the dark particularly as one of them has previous form. As to the assertions of the councillors that an administrator would be detrimental to ratepayers that they would have no representation I would like to point out that as a ratepayer of 46 years I have never seen a councillor, in fact, I would not even know who my local councillor is. Urban myth or not, they are seen to be only looking after themselves and treating Ipswich as their own little fiefdom, and I don't believe they have the right or moral capacity to be in their current positions. They are not running a corner store but are in charge of a business with a multi million budget and should be held accountable for what has occurred, including the loss of reputation and money to Ipswich.