

Dear State Growth

Tonight I have read the governments spin and as attached PMATs Submission which I fully endorse, to be honest I think they should be running Tasmania's Planning Scheme, they know what the Tasmania residents want and need.

The state government taking away planning from council, killing democracy, eliminating people rights will not see this government re-elected, I chose to live in Tasmania 12 years ago, during that time I can see it is going backwards in the Health, Housing, Education and Security in regard to Police and Fire departments, not enough funding as usual.

Early in our arrival here our visitors would say Tasmania has good roads, well they wouldn't say that now, the contractors should be held accountable for poor road surface which obviously keeps them in work with having to patch up or rebuild sections of roads. Look at NZ, arrows are painted on the roads for visitors from overseas that are used to driving on the other side of the road. As far as Tasmania highways go, all sections that reduce to single lanes should have arrows and centre fences in the middle of two way lanes so no overtaking can take place, the four lane highways in Melbourne and Sydney drivers are confused with our highways here when reducing to single lanes, I think they expect two lanes are going one way (which of course they do in parts) so they overtake in the wrong land resulting in head on collisions resulting in death, just research how many of these deaths involve interstate or foreign visitors.

Heritage Building are NOT valued, the mere fact that Government buildings are sold, city heritage building sold to foreigners.

Selling out Tasmania, not only to the Chinese but to The Indian community too. It has happened in Sydney that whole suburbs have been taken over by foreigners, resulting in Australians moving out of their area, shops have been bought out by them resulting in their own foreign sign writing on shop fronts. High rise Flats to accommodate them because they are used to living on top of each other in concrete jungles.

It is happening here now in Tasmania and you should stop it right now. The Indian congregation are currently taking over Mowbray near Launceston, I am not racist but these people like the Chinese can afford to buy up in Tasmania, they are not refugees, they take jobs away from Tasmanians, these are the people you should not be letting into Tasmania.

I would think plenty of Australians are interested in moving to Tasmania, we do not need growth from overseas people.

Tasmania has the poorest education in Australia, instead of taking away funding increase the training quality to get quality teachers and pay them accordingly. Teach heritage history in the schools so they grow to appreciate what Tasmania has and when they become politicians they are more likely to protect it!

Free TAFE to produce the skilled workers that are very much needed. University is unaffordable to most Tasmanians, moving the universities to inner cities is another step backwards for Tasmania.

Listen to Older Tasmanians, they have the wisdom, they are the volunteers that governments rely on because the Tasmanian government are not looking after the people in need, I can't believe how many are living on the streets, how many people are in poor health that can't get access to doctors

etc etc

As this submission has to be in by midnight I will close in saying Please thoroughly read PMATs submission, everything is answered as Tasmanians think we should have for quality and sustainable living, we do not need foreign growth, this government is doing a pretty poor job at the moment in addressing river health, jobs, businesses etc, stop selling us out to foreigners listen to us, The key recommendations in PMATs submission should be thoroughly reviewed by State Growth, just stop the spin, the same old things get talked about for years with nothing done..and we don't need the stadium!

Regards

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