

I am 73 years of age and have lived continuously in Tasmania since the age of nine years. I have been a rate payer and voter in the Clark (previously Denison) and ALSO (for 47 years) the Braddon electorates.

I have made representations and submissions to State, Commonwealth and Local government concerning the TAS Regional Forest Agreement, Forestry Tasmanian and now Sustainable Timber Tasmania; to the Environmental Protection and Biodiversity Conservation submission process; AND on many other issues – including Hot Regeneration Burning practices and pollution, Managed Investment Scheme taxation practices, World Heritage Area impacts, Lapoinya native forest clear felling, wildfire management practices in light of the Climate Change we are all now suffering, unsustainable impacts of marine aquaculture, public transport insufficiency (eg. the removal of a bus-shelter and bench on Sandy Bay Road outside Wrest Point Casino which is still not replaced), negative impacts of high-rise development, a proposed cable car and an AFL stadium in our heritage-value capital city, plastics and waste streams, and education/health management and funding.

I FULLY ENDORSE this PMAT submission re Refreshing Tasmania's Population Strategy. I have used ***bold/italic/underline*** to emphasise my **fundamental** points of agreement and believe that the Tasmanian Government should now establish PMAT – as an INDEPENDENT body to a) advise its future actions and b) continue to consult with Tasmanians (MY Key Recommendation 3). This is an excellent submission and I commend PMAT for producing it.

Yours sincerely,

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