

**INQUIRY INTO GOVERNMENT'S MANAGEMENT OF THE
POWERHOUSE MUSEUM AND OTHER MUSEUMS AND
CULTURAL PROJECTS IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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OBJECTION TO THE RELOCATION OF POWERHOUSE MUSEUM

First, please tell me why? Why fix something that isn't broke????????!!!!!!!

I guess it's motivated due to some windfall for the state from the property in the City of Sydney and also to show the people out in the Western Suburbs of Sydney that the State Government is decentralising and taking tourism beyond the confines of the harbour city. I understand ...

But why do you need to demolish two beautiful local heritage listed buildings - Willow Grove and St. Georges Terrace for the Powerhouse development? Shame on you for even considering it. I, for one, am appalled and very saddened that a government whom I respected and applauded would even consider this absurd undertaking.

Surely, we as a state, have enough on our plates with this dreaded Covid-19 and all that it's left in its wake. Monies that should be better spent, perhaps helping those living on the streets and don't have enough food in their bellies would be a more humane and more appropriate way of spending this money.

On many a Saturday I have walked past these gorgeous buildings and almost cried, thinking of the demolition which is to take place. Have you no respect for heritage and our short but significant past?????

I know I'm emotional about this situation. I cannot help but be emotional.