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Hello,

My name is Jill Sumrall. I am a registered Counsellor working from the east coast of Tasmania.

This is a huge subject matter - so much so, that my submission is to call a moratorium on the construction and have open debate and information sessions that we can all attend.

This will change our very existence on this planet, I believe, so much so that they very inventors warn that it could be the end of us as a race. It is full of unknowns. One thing it does ensure is control over people with information and power that we did not vote for.

Please stop this dangerous implementation of such centres until we can all feel safe about them, dispelling our fears. And, if you do not have the answers, be courageous enough to say NO not in Tasmania. The water usage and perhaps shortage to us, the inhabitants of this State, must be addressed, a plan if one exists, shown as to how we can provide water to feed the installation.

Have you considered future generations or is this a race against other countries to install these centres. Add the robust question of whether they will think for themselves, and all the other things going on in the world, we just need to STOP and find some answers. Build our communities, not global dominance.

Kindly,
Sincerely,

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