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My submission

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Dear Committee Secretary

I write to outline my opposition to the proposed \$750 million stadium at Macquarie Point.

As a taxpayer I object to public funding going towards this project when thousands of Tasmanians can't get a home, more than 55,000 Tasmanians are on the health waiting list to see a specialist and the cost of living is making life harder for more and more Tasmanians.

The AFL shouldn't be making Tasmanians pay for a new roofed stadium to have our own Tasmanian team. No other state has been made to do this. Tasmanians have not been consulted on the chosen site. Also there seems to be no information on the cost of running the team in the AFl, who is paying for the players etc.

I do not support the decision made by the government.

The government has not presented a business case that outlines the merits of this project or explained why our state should be burdened with further debt when the state already has two AFL standard stadiums, one in the north and one in the south that will now go to waste.

I also note that tasmania will pay half that's tasmanian people paying for this and then we are told that the federal gov. will pay half so tasmanian taxpayers get to pay again double dipping

For us tassie people, in my book it's a con job.

Another stadium is the wrong priority for our state and I don't support it in any form. If we have to have a team get it up and running for ten years and then have a look at the stadium when times are better with inflation and economy showing on the right side of the spread sheet.

Kind regards (First Name, Last Name, Postcode) Alastair stirling

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