

Comments on Joint Petition

Name	City	State	Postal Code	Country	Date	Comment
1	Botany		2019	Australia		"The Powerhouse in ultimo should keep opens"
2			2075	Australia	27-Dec-23	"This is a betrayal of all that was promised by this government. We Must maintain the existing museum with minimum disruption."
3	Sydney		2000	Australia	27-Dec-23	"You promised to leave it open. Kids and schools enjoy it and need it. Leave it open and get a better plan, the closure plan stinks."
4	Balmain		2041	Australia	27-Dec-23	"The Powerhouse Ultimo, an iconic institution, should undoubtedly remain open. Destroying our heritage demeans us all and goes against all the promises Minister Graham has made."
5	Castle hill		2154	Australia	27-Dec-23	"This place is an icon for a lot of Australias technical history."
6	Sydney		2000	Australia	27-Dec-23	"I am against the destruction of our cultural heritage."
7	Alexandria		2015	Australia		"This is a poor decision pushed by people who want to kill off our science and technology museum"
8			4075	Australia	27-Dec-23	"Closure of the powerhouse is an outrage to our cultural heritage"
9			2766	Australia	27-Dec-23	"This government promised that the Powerhouse would stay open!"
10	Ashfield		2131	Australia	28-Dec-23	
						"This Government has broken every promise it made before and after the election. Who exactly is advising this Government- what are the Arts Bureaucrats telling the Government. The current CEO WHO IS SPECTACULARLY UNQUALIFIED TO BE IN THIS JOB SEEMS TO BE CALLING ALL THE SHOTS, AND ALL PROTESTATIONS BY EXPERIENCED MUSEUM PEOPLE ARE TOTALLY IGNORED. I am ashamed to have voted for this Government as I thought they were going to support retention of the Powerhouse as it has been for 35 years- after the cultural vandalism of the previous Goverment"

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11	Sydney		2000	Australia	28-Dec-23	
						"Iconic site. Our child grew up going there often and at 13 he
						still does. We invite people to join us there with their kids.
						Seems like selling land to developers is more important than
						keeping iconic sites and the characteristics of what we know
						and remember as Ultimo."
12	Wollongong		2500	Australia		"We do not like to be lied to"
13			2154	Australia		"It would be more accessible to all."
14			2257	Australia		"It is an iconic museum and should be saved."
15			4077	Australia		"History matters"
16	Sydney		2212	Australia		"The Sydney CBD is the best location for museums"
17	Long Jetty		2261	Australia	28-Dec-23	"What the state governments have done to this cultural icon is
						disgusting. Sydney isn't a world class cityit's a backwoods
						outpost run by crooks who plan to take advantage however
4.0			0040	A (1)		they can."
18	erskineville	New South Wales	2043	Australia	28-Dec-23	"The Powerhouse is a beautiful museum that should remain
						where it is for all to enjoy. If removed the building will become
10			2020	Australia		expensive apartments that we don't need"
19			2038	Australia	28-Dec-23	WATE ALL LARGE ALL AND AND AND AND A REPORT OF
						"We all know that the space will be used for more high density,
						expensive apartments with retail at ground level, which, as
						Sydney-siders who enjoy the city as it is, do not want or need.
						No more foreign investment! Leave *our* museum where it has
						been for over 100 yrs (in Ultimo) & use material from archives
						to create a new museum in the West. It's not rocket science."

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20			2203	Australia	28-Dec-23	
						"I see no reason why a small area of the current building could not remain open during the entire renovation. This would be a clear signal that the Powerhouse Museum is here to stay; as it should be! The Powerhouse Museum needs protection from rapacious property developers who have had the ear (and other parts?) of LNP people going back years. With a change of government; the same considerations apply to ALP people. For me, alarms started going off when the Baird Government said in 2014 that the Powerhouse Museum was to be moved to Parramatta. My personal BS Detector went off-scale briefly! I could comment on the milkcrate-on-a-floodplain in Parramatta; and the regrettable, egregious, and dishonest destruction of "Willow Grove". I urge people to seek out anything written by Kylie Winkworth regarding the Powerhouse Museum. She wrote several articles for City Hub which now resides at: <a href="https://cityhub.com.au/ [Was formerly at: <a href="https://cityhub.com.au/ [Was formerly at: www.altmedia.net.au" rel="nofollow">www.altmedia.net.au Mas formerly at: www.altmedia.net.au Mas formerly at: www.altmedia.net.au Mas formerly at: www.altmedia.net.au Mas formerly at: www.altmedia.net.au Mas formerly at: but is no longer there]. In one article by Alex Smart on 19 February 2019 the ALP's Arts Spokesperson described the proposed new building as a "monstrosity on stilts" and I am not inclined to disagree with that apt description."</a </a </a </a </a </a </a </a
21 22	Mittagong		2753 2575	Australia Australia	29-Dec-23	"We need public museums"
22 23	Mittagong Sydney		2000	Australia		"I've loved this Museum of scientific and technological wonders since a child, marvelling at the Strasbourg Clock and steam engines. I don't want it to become a function centre with dresses!"
24			2753	Australia	29-Dec-23	"It is against the public interest, and does not pass the pub test. To have no internationaly recognised applied arts and science museum unavailable for some years just does not make sense."
25			2060	Australia	29-Dec-23	"The Powerhouse Museum has a unique collection and is also important for young Australians to be able to view their heritage."

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26			2097	Australia	29-Dec-23	"'Live Steam'! I've never been to another museum as interesting for my grandchildren and me."
27	Sydney		2000	Australia	29-Dec-23	"Sydney needs such an iconic attraction for both visitors and residents to remain within the city area which is soo accessible"
28	Cammeray		2062	Australia	29-Dec-23	"I love the Powerhouse Museum - as a revered museum - and the Minns government promised it would not be closed. I fear for what is actually planned by the current regime and not revealed."
29				Australia	29-Dec-23	Powerhouse, with much fanfair for the benefit of the public both local and oversea visitors it should be kept and nutured instead of destroying anything with history and collectables in our short history. Take a leaf from Europe and preserve what little we have!"
30	Mudgee		2850	Australia	29-Dec-23	,
31	Sydney		2000	Australia	29-Dec-23	"The Powerhouse Museum was set up and created at a cost of millions of dollars and is a great place for people to Visit. It needs to be where it is for convenience and for tourists to experience. Keep it in Ultimo"
32	Mudgee		2850	Australia	29-Dec-23	"I love the power house in it originally purpose to go hands on and understand the industrial science from steam to space. I miss the weapons display and fear it may of been stolen given the extremely rare item with in it by Japan's best sword maker of the late 19;th century also the gun collection I'm told was destroyed by the manager in 1980? When gun register became law .(He had no idea of its value nor their evolution) and fear many item have disappeared under the current board of Philistines."
33				South Korea	29-Dec-23	
34	Sydney		2009	Australia	29-Dec-23	"It's the only tech museum in the Sydney area that records
35	Sydney		2009	Australia	29-Dec-23	valuable steps on our road to technological achievements" "as a local resident, I want the destruction of this important and historic museum to stop."

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36	Pyrmont		2009	Australia	29-Dec-23	
						"It's time that the government kept its promise to the people of NSW to keep the PHM open. The current exhibition shows that it is a successful and conveniently located museum space"
37			2113	Australia	30-Dec-23	"I feel strongly enough to put up with the damned unrelated reminders from change.org"
38			2069	Australia	30-Dec-23	"The Powerhouse should remain in Ultimo as a museum of applied arts and sciences. This plan turns it in to no more than an events centre"
39	Lilyfield		2040	Australia	30-Dec-23	"The Powerhouse is a unique museum that needs to be preserved, it has become a political football that has damaged the collection and exhibition space."
40	111	New South Wales	111	Australia	30-Dec-23	"The Powerhouse has staged some very powerful exhibitions encouraging us to think about social change and equity. We need it!"
41	Mt Ommaney		4074	Australia	30-Dec-23	"This is a wonderful place for families to play and learn. We need museums!"
42			3147	Australia		"There are many historic aviation treasures housed in a wonderful building near the centre of the city."
43	Parramatta - Sydney		2150	Australia	30-Dec-23	
						"We don't need a secondhand museum, Parramatta in itself is a show piece Museum telling the story of Australian Colonial infancy - both the streetscape, cultural, archieture landscape both buildings & amp; plantings. The current Powerhouse also reflects the past & amp; future - why move it to a floodprone areas is beyond common ceases."
44	Geelong		3215	Australia	30-Dec-23	•
45	Sydney	New South Wales	2000	Australia	30-Dec-23	
46	Paddington		2021	Australia	30-Dec-23	"The powerhouse is an invaluable institution of world class educational importance."
47 48	Sydney Blacktown	New South Wales	2000 2148	Australia Australia	30-Dec-23 31-Dec-23	"Historical significance and positioning"
						"I want to keep a science museum not change by dishonesty."

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49			2046	Australia	01-Jan-24	
						"The Powerhouse Museum belongs to the people of NSW and
						must be renewed as one of the world's leading museums - a
						museum of applied arts and sciences - as the Labor government promised. It must not be morphed into a
						contemporary arts and entertainment venue. The so-called
						'heritage revitalisation' is a farce with no respect for the
						Museum's heritage: its purpose, precinct, buildings and
						collection. Please sign this petition so we can tell Premier
						Minns to actually save the Powerhouse Museum as Labor
			0077	A (1)		promised. No civilised society destroys a museum."
50			2077	Australia	01-Jan-24	"A world famous Science and Technology Museum in the living
						heart of our great city of Sydney is a must and logical. It has to stay in tact as one of Sydney's many great tourist attractions
						where it currently lies."
51	Sydney		2000	Australia	01-Jan-24	"The museum is significant in heritage terms and
						educationally; no rationale has ever been provided for the
						changes already made or for what is proposed or its closure. It
50			0070	A (1)		is cultural vandalism"
52			2072	Australia	01-Jan-24	"The Development is seen by a state of the state of the second sta
						"The Powerhouse is much needed in a time when our kids are
						being encouraged to study STEM subjects- It's hands on and can inspire small kids to be interested in science and
						technology. Young and older people love this museum."
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53	Melbourne		3787	Australia	01-Jan-24	

"Ultimo should be a museum of NSW's diverse cultures and a safe place for object learning for families, a showcase for our inspiring and nationally significant collections and our cultures. The ALP should have its own vision and strategy for the Powerhouse Museum that includes collaboration with, and participation in our multicultural communities, to care for our diverse collections and tell our stories and to help fight the rise of Islamophobia and Anti-Semitism. It should also support First Nations people to care for country and maintain culture and lore through their collections. The poor response to the Voice in NSW is in part a failure of NSW public museums to mediate the histories of First Nations people and a disconnect with communities including Western Sydney and rural and regional ones. The former NSW Migration Heritage Centre and Communities Gallery were based at Ultimo and popular including with Western Sydney communities and rural visitors. Both have vanished. There is still no NSW immigration museum. Diversity Arts Australia has highlighted the whiteness of NSW's cultural sector including museums. The Government should honour its election promise to save the Powerhouse Museum at Ultimo. NSW is now a decade behind Victoria in its

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						management of public museums and heritage collections - a generation of school children has been deprived of culture and learning in the Powerhouse Museum at Ultimo already. They shouldn't need to visit Melbourne or Canberra to attend a major public museum or head south to Multicultural Museums Victoria's six ethnic, culture and faith-based museums to learn about their histories and to share pride in their diverse cultures through collections and associated programs in secure and safe public galleries. Don't close Ultimo for at least 3 years, it has lost its community collections heart for a decade already. Aim higher. Ultimo should remain open. It's not difficult to bring its collections heart back. John Petersen, CEO Multicultural Museums Victoria <a <br="" href="http://www.mmv.org.au">rel="nofollow">www.mmv.org.au "
54	Leichhardt		2137	Australia	01-Jan-24	"The Powerhouse Museum is one of Sydney's most significant heritage arftefacts and a testimony to its labour, social,
						technological and technical education history and heritage of NSW dating back to its origins as the Museum of Arts and
						Sciences. It is of immense concern that a Labor Government has demonstrated a lack of commitment to the preservation and access to this history and hereitage and has not kept its election promises."
55	Lilyfield		2040	Australia	01-Jan-24	
	-					"I don't want the museum mothballed with the real prospect of not re-opening for many years. My grandchildren love visiting the PH, it's the only one of it's kind in Sydney"
56	Bondi		2026	Australia	01-Jan-24	"I like the museum where it is and love its current exhibitions, keep it and reopen"

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57			2042	Australia	02-Jan-24	
						"The Powerhouse Museum is an irreplaceable part of Sydney's cultural heritage. The Minns Government promised to save the Powerhouse Museum and keep it open. Instead the museum is being de-funded and stripped of its collections, assets and expert staff in the greatest secrecy so the former museum can be turned into an arts, entertainment and venue hire business. This is the end of a museum that was purpose designed to display the transport, power and engineering collections in the conceptually and spatially resonant spaces of the former power station. It's goodbye to the trains, planes and automobiles, and the steam engines working under live steam. These collections will never return to the PHM. Please visit the museum in the coming month. See Leo Schofield's 1001 Remarkable Objects exhibition and ask why is this museum closing? Who benefits? Take a last look before a great public museum is emptied of its
						collections and turned into a cultural crime scene."
58	Sydney		2007	Australia	02-Jan-24	"This government promised to keep the museum open for us. They must be held to account."
59	Sydney		2041	Australia	02-Jan-24	"This important and well loved institution must be preserved and renovated for the people of New South Wales . Do not destroy our history."
60	Sydney		2000	Australia	02-Jan-24	"Governments that break promises, that operate in secret and tell lies, end up losing elections. The Powerhouse Museum issue lives on and is gathering momentum and will come back to bite you, Mr Minns."
61	Killara		2071	Australia	02-Jan-24	"Is it a public good to view real estate as private property for personal aggrandisement?"
62	Bellingen		2454	Australia	02-Jan-24	"The Powerhouse is exactly where it should in exactly the right historical building. Wonderfully interesting and learning place for all ages. Build it back and restore its collections."

Name 63	City Rydalmere	State	Postal Code 2116	Country Australia	Date 02-Jan-24	Comment
00	Tyuaimere		2110	Australia	02-Jan-24	"The Powerhouse Museum is THE most important institution for recording and preserving the cultural and industrial history of Sydney, NSW and Australia. It should be respected and protected and NEVER closed. It has been a source of inspiration for past and present generations and must be allowed to continue in this role without pause."
64			1001	Australia		"The Museum is a much loved community assett."
65	Annandale		2038	Australia	02-Jan-24	"The Powerhouse Museum with its incomparably inspirational collection tells a story of developments in science and technology vital to imagine our future."
66	Sydney		1001	Australia	03-Jan-24	
67	Sydney		2114	Australia	03-Jan-24	"there has been nine years of waste and mismanagement by successive governments on secret business plans and unnecessary rebrandings which could have revitalised not only the Powerhouse Museum in Ultimo but the entire local government regional museums sector. If the Powerhouse Museum closed in February 2024 there will be nothing left but an empty shell. The subsequent facility under construction at Parramatta will also fail to fill the void left by the dismantling of the Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences. NSW is a poorer State because of nine years of waste."
01	Gyuney		2114	Australia	00-Jan-24	"It is an absolute nonsense to strip out the extremely large items that are well displayed and preserved such as the steam train, James Watt steam engine and the aeroplanes. It is also a nonsense to close the Ultimo Powerhouse Museum while the new Parramatta Powerhouse Museum is still being built and years from opening. The Powerhouse board are a shambles. They should have stood up for the Ultimo Powerhouse from the start when the Liberal government tried to abolish it so that they could sell off the site to developers. If board members aren't going to defend The Powerhouse Museum we love, they
68	Melbourne		3006	Australia	03-Jan-24	should resign." "Cmon this museum is important. It's a national treasure"
69	Sydney		2068	Australia		"Because it is an absolute must save situation"

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70			2000	Australia	03-Jan-24	"It is deeply concerning to me, as someone who wishes to see the Powerhouse Museum in Ultimo retained as a museum of applied arts and sciences, that the "revitalisation" has not been fully funded and will not be completed during the current NSW Labor government. Why am I worried? It's too likely that the Liberals will get in and immediately take advantage of the fact that the museum is "closed for renovations" and reinstate their original plan to gift much of the site to developers. The rest will be gifted to the current Powerhouse CEO's pet project of providing a place for misfit, edgy creatives (like she was before she got a couple gallery management opportunities) who are ignored by mainstream art museums and galleries to "belong" at the expense of de-emphasising the fusion of arts AND SCIENCES that is the internationally-known focus of the Powerhouse Museum. Please see NINE YEARS of content related to community efforts to save the museum, and multiple NSW governments' repeated attempts to destroy it, at http://www.powerhousemuseumalliance.com if you don't already know that there's an "off" smell to the years' of governments' interest in redeveloping the museum site despite strong community and worldwide museum expert objection to it. While Labor initially made an election promise to save the museum, including its focus on both the arts AND sciences, the recent developments don't back up that this is still their goal. The current plan just looks like a somewhat scaled-back version of the previous government's massive repurposing of the site. If the closure proceeds, Sydney (and the world) will lose a precious resource. Current leadership has little respect for historical collections, and simply wants to run a "culture hub", not a museum."

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71			2064	Australia	04-Jan-24	
						"The Powerhouse Museum in Ultimo is one of the great
						museums of science and engineering and it must be kept open
						with a large focus on science and engineering. We need more
						graduates in STEM subjects and this museum has for many decades been helpful in encouraging young people to develop
						an interest in STEM subjects - subjects that are fundamental to
						our success as a nation. Keep the Powerhouse Museum in
						Ultimo OPEN!"
72			2850	Australia	04-Jan-24	"Keep it open Labor"
73	Great Mackerel Beach		2108	Australia	04-Jan-24	"It needs to be saved"
74	Lilydale		3140	Australia	04-Jan-24	"It is very informative and interesting especially for kids. My
						kids enjoy going there whenever we go to Sydney."
75	Randwick		2031	Australia	04-Jan-24	5
						to me. I like that people in western Sydney will also have accessible access but I don't think it should be at the expense
						of those closer to the city."
76	Waitui		2322	Australia	04-Jan-24	•
						the Powerhouse museum to a different location makes it even
						harder for Sydney visiting families to access. The Powerhouse
						does just belong in ULTIMO"
77			2039	Australia	05-Jan-24	
						"Keep the vibrancy of this museum open for all to enjoy and let
78				Australia	05-Jan-24	us know the development plans before its closure."
70				Australia	03-Jan-24	"The 'revitalisation' of the PHM should not result in the
						Museum's closure. I'm signing this petition to send a message
						to the government to stick to their election promises."
79			2011	Australia	05-Jan-24	"This unique national institution is a highly valued resource for
						the community, and deserves respect and support from
						government."

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80			2021	Australia	05-Jan-24	"36 years ago, when the Powerhouse Museum opened, there
						was no other museum in the world to match it. It reflected the standing and the intelligence of the then government which in turn supported the knowledge and ideas of the Powerhouse Museum staff. Over a couple of decades or so, the groundbreaking exhibitions, collection, education and public programs became the benchmark. Now, heading downhill and
						into oblivion, there is still a chance to turn things around: read and learn from the grand vision of the Museum founders, both, 1879 and 1988!"
81			2012	Australia	05-Jan-24	
						"This is both a brazen act to negate the Museum by closing for "renos" yet underpinned by the belief that stealth will carry the day. Unbelievable except for the fact that it is happening."
82			2582	Australia	05-Jan-24	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
						"Surely to goodness we in NSW, Australia for that matter are so ignorant as to keep a significant piece of history alive all for the want of - its not viable Historic icons such as The Power House Museum are beyond such trivialities. What are they going to do, put up a parking lot?"
83	Umina		2257	Australia	05-Jan-24	
84	Sydney		1001	Australia	05-Jan-24	"The museum is a vital part of our cultural heritage. Without it we are prone to becoming ignorant peasants, losing our art and science culture. It is part of our 5 million year cultural ascent from the Stone Age."
85	Sydney		2034	Australia	06-Jan-24	-
86	Caringbah South		2229	Australia	06-Jan-24	"Much too valuable to close and move to Parramatta."
87	Coogee		2034	Australia	06-Jan-24	"I am annoyed with the labour government who has broken their election promise to save the integrity and purpose of the PHM. Instead they are now also acting irresponsibly with tax payers money as badly the previous liberal party. Don't be suprised when labour gets voted out in the next election and the independants hold the balance of power in NSW andfederally. We will be voting for them because we trust them !"

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88	Sydney		2000	Australia	06-Jan-24	"The Powerhouse Museum at Ultimo is iconic and must remain open."
89			2031	Australia	06-Jan-24	"It's one of the few tourist attractions we have - and the kids love it."
90			2037	Australia	07-Jan-24	"I was a victim of Hitler a few weeks after my birth to Jewish parents in 1938. We lost our citizenship and became refugees! NOT to have this again !!!"
91	Sydney		2000	Australia	07-Jan-24	"The exhibitions are wonderful & benefit everyone. It is a treasure of a building and an asset to the community as it is."
92	Hurlstone Park		2193	Australia	07-Jan-24	• •
93			3220	Australia	07-Jan-24	
						"Our history and heritage is important. We learn from the past. I regularly visit the Powerhouse when visiting Sydney - its museums are the reason that I go there and spend money on accommodation, food and drink. If the museum is closed, there will be a direct loss of economic activity."
94			5164	Australia	07-Jan-24	"I love the powerhouse and want it to remain open"
95			6100	Australia		"I have no trust in political decisions and their financial management."
96	Carlton		3053	Australia	08-Jan-24	"I'm signing because back in the '70s I was the consulting architect for the Powerhouse Museum"
97	Cape Town			South Africa	08-Jan-24	"We thoroughly enjoy going and went first as a tourist and great that is is accessible to both tourists and lcals"
98	Melbourne		3124	Australia	08-Jan-24	
						"Our heritage needs to be protected, preserved and displayed."
99			2533	Australia	08-Jan-24	"The whole poorly planned project has been an almighty stuff up. Please try and repair this mess by completing all the funding required to restore the Ultimo Powerhouse."
100	Sydney	New South Wales	2090	Australia	08-Jan-24	"Love going to powerhouse museum Always been a favourite museum"
101	Sydney		2000	Australia	09-Jan-24	"I would like a guarantee that the Powerhouse WILL re-open after it us renovated."
102	Kiama Downs	New South Wales	2016	Australia	09-Jan-24	"It's so weird that Labor is pandering to the property developer lobby. This will degrade NSW heritage badly. The Powerhouse Museum was unique in the world, and a tourist attraction per se."

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103	Cammeray		2062	Australia	09-Jan-24	"the Powerhouse is significant because of its cultural heritage and the highly unusual exhibitions it holds- their displays cannot be seen anywhere else!"
104			2000	Australia	09-Jan-24	"The Powerhouse Museum is an important cultural place for the inner city of Sydney and should remain."
105			2028	Australia	09-Jan-24	
106			4740	Australia	09-Jan-24	
						"I know that when you close these doors and remove the fabulous, permanent exhibitions - they are gone foreverno matter what is stated now. Necessary maintenance can be carried out while doors are openso where is the problem? The new agenda - a spot for Fashion and Design. I'm sorry - this isn't the building for this. It a historic, Science and Technology Museum - let's not lose this famous institution. The Hon. John Graham - please keep your promise!"
107	Sydney		2000	Australia	09-Jan-24	
108	Dee Why		2099	Australia		"It's an important amenity in the heart of the city. I love the Powerhouse and my children adored it growing up. Too far to Parramatta from the Northern Beaches!"
109	Brighton		3186	Australia	10-Jan-24	"The Powerhouse Museum is a place of great education and knowledge that we must retain not just for locals, but as a much visited Tourist attraction and exhibition staging venue. Do not keep hiding and destroying our history."
110	Sydney		2000	Australia	10-Jan-24	
						"It's heartbreaking to imagine the Powerhouse Museum closing and becoming what exactly? Not being itself and never again seeing all the unique treasures it proudly displays is profoundly sad. Great cities need to keep their museums to inspire everyone, especially children. Ive been so fortunate to visit the beloved Power House Museum close to 30 years. It needs to continue to celebrate the power of Sydney and beyond. Everyone needs to sign this petition to help keep special places alive and away from ruthless developers, greedy namby pamby politicians and CEOs who dont care for community voices to be heard."
111	Melbourne		3001	Australia	10-Jan-24	"I believe this is nationsl heritage resource and must be kept available to public and education"

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112	West pennant Hills		2125	Australia	10-Jan-24	"It is an iconic attraction in Sydney for school excursions displays for tourists from cruises that they wouldn't travel elsewhere to see."
113	Seddon		3011	Australia	10-Jan-24	"I have always loved the powerhouse museum and think it's an iconic connection with the past history of Sydney. We should stop losing these connections."
114				Australia	10-Jan-24	
115			2233	Australia	10-Jan-24	"It's an institution & amp; a fascinating educational experience" "It's an absolute abomination of public trust, money, and competence"
116			2067	Australia	10-Jan-24	"The powerhouse should remain open"
117	Sydney		1001	Australia	10-Jan-24	"This historic and valuable place should NOT be closed for ANY reasons"
118	Kiama		2533	Australia	11-Jan-24	
						"The Powerhouse Museum is a virtual assett to Sydney City, easily accessible to locals and visitors alike and brought many hours of informative delight to many generations of our family!"
119	Dyke	Scotland	IV36 2TF	UK	11-Jan-24	"Anything that jeopardizes this world-class museum and its outstanding collection would be an unforgivable act of cultural and educational vandalism."
120			4218	Australia	11-Jan-24	"The power house should have never been touchedand should never close"
121	Loganholme		4128	Australia	12-Jan-24	"Wake up govts. Powerhouse is wanted and needed. Stop ruining every out of greed!"
122				Australia	12-Jan-24	"This is a wonderful museum where I often take my kids. They love going there. And when I have overseas visitors, it's always a place they enjoy."
123	Scarborough		4020	Australia	12-Jan-24	
						"Although i have never visited the musuem it appears to have a great educational purpose and should remain open until further consultation takes place on this matter. Seems absurd to take exhibits out of an already existing and operational musuem just to place them into storage facilities."
124	Sydney		2000	Australia	14-Jan-24	"I love it , my kids loved going there while growing up. Do not take it away from us"
125			2021	Australia	14-Jan-24	

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126	Collaroy Plateau	New South Wales	2097	Australia	15-Jan-24	"I loved taking my children to this wonderful Museum. It educates them on how things work and is interactive- kids love it as do the adults♥□ ▲"
127	Concord		2137	Australia	15-Jan-24	"The Powerhouse has been in Ultimo since it was the Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences, more than 50 years ago. It is part of our heritage."
128	Sydney		2000	Australia	15-Jan-24	"Sydney central is the bext location for this important museum. The State Govt should put increased funding into mainting, improving, and extending the exhibition and storage spaces - instead of purseing and funding a museum in a FLOODZONE in Parramatta!"
129	Bangor		2234	Australia	15-Jan-24	"It is a stupid idea and waste of my taxes to close Ultimo and even worse to create a new Powerhouse museum in a floodprone area at Parramatta,"
130			4169	Australia	16-Jan-24	"The Boulton and Watt engine is a particularly important survivor from the late 18th century and must not be moved again. The Powerhouse Museum at Ultimo must remain open."
131			2041	Australia	16-Jan-24	"The Powerhouse is a unique institution!"
132				New Zealand	16-Jan-24	"This is barbarism as its worst. I am ashamed to be an Australian when I read these proposals."
133	Sydney		2009	Australia	16-Jan-24	"I believe the current proposal is ill thought out and needs urgent review."
134	Sydney		2000	Australia	16-Jan-24	-
						"The upgrades to the museum can be carried out whilst the museum still operates. Closing it down would put this Govt on the same slippery path as the previous one who for years determined to destroy from Mike Baird's pandering to developers. If it had been left to previous Liberal/Conservative Govts the Rocks would have been destroyed also."
135			2439	Australia	16-Jan-24	-
						"I am sick to death of grandiose corporatised approaches to public spaces, places and the public purse. What Lobbyists were behind this scandal one wonders?"
136	Narrabeen		2101	Australia		"Once closed, when and if it will reopen"
137	Melbourne		3000	Australia		"I have supported the MAAS for nigh on 50 years. Am an Associate. What city disposes of its culture so brazenly."
138	East Maitland		2323	Australia	16-Jan-24	"This is an important institution in Sydney - it needs to be kept in Ultimo!"

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139			2820	Australia	16-Jan-24	"I just can't believe that we have to continue to argue for the importance of maintaining our cultural heritage"
140	Southport	England	PR9 9LG	UK	16-Jan-24	"This is a vital educational resource for all ages of Australians who love to visit . This museum enriches our lives and must be kept for now and the future."
141 142	Ultimo		2304 2007	Australia Australia	17-Jan-24 17-Jan-24	"it is an asset to schools and the community."
						"Another land grab and Labor (under Minns) is no different to the Libs (under GB or DP) - prime site for real estate development that will only be available to the wealthy."
143	Wollongong		2500	Australia	17-Jan-24	·····
						"These places mean a lot to the community and are a part of the attractions to the area. Surely you can keep the funds going for something so special wanted by the community"
144	Canberra		2614	Australia	17-Jan-24	"Keeping the Powerhouse Museum open was a Labor government promise. Keep your word!!"
145	Sydney		2000	Australia	17-Jan-24	"I feel strongly that the PowerHouse is an important public institution."
146			2758	Australia	17-Jan-24	"The Labor government is extremely disappointing both in its actions about the PHM and in its general attitude to the value of heritage in this state."
147	Queens Park		2022	Australia	18-Jan-24	"The powerhouse museum is an integral and iconic part of Sydney and provides an architecturally important space for people to congregate to experience all facets of the arts and culture with others."
148	Sydney		2600	Australia	18-Jan-24	"Exhibits are frequently not well maintained when mothballed and the Powerhouse Museum exhibits are an important part of our cultural history."
149	SYDNEY		2407	Australia	18-Jan-24	"This is so obviously an excuse by a timid government to shut a glorious facility while consultants are paid millions to re invent the wheel!"
150	Sydney		2010	Australia	18-Jan-24	
151			2015	Australia		"I visit regularly and enjoy it very much."
152			2064	Australia	18-Jan-24	"Labour government promised in the last election to keep the museum open and preserve and maintain the exhibits. Closing the museum for 3 years breaks this promise."

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153	Sydney		2099	Australia	18-Jan-24	,
154	Sydney		2000	Australia	18-Jan-24	
155	Sydney		2000	Australia	18-Jan-24	
						"i remember being a kid and walking into the powerhouse museum for the first time, staring with marvel of the many treasures that laid in front of my very eyes, in awe of the thought and work that went into building these intricate machines. i remember other kids and i coming out the museum, gleaming with joy with all the marvellous things they've seen. and while i myself havent been to the museum in years, i want everyone to be able to appreciate the wonders that the powerhouse museum holds. please keep it open. The
						Powerhouse Museum is dear to my heart."
156	Watson's Bay		2030	Australia	18-Jan-24	and these kinds of exhibits should be open and accessible for
157	Central District			Hong Kong	19-Jan-24	many more generations of kids"
158	Bankstown		2200	Australia		 "It's important to keep it in its original location"
159	Ferntree Gully		3156	Australia		"We all love the Powerhouse Museum, it holds a wealth of
139	Femalee Guily		5150	Australia	19-Jaii-24	interesting information and history. Such a fantastic place for all ages."
160	Sydney		2000	Australia	19-Jan-24	"The government needs to be held accountable and everyone who signs is helping keep them alert to how many people are interested . We mustnt risk not being seen or heard. Talk and share this petition."
161			4005	Australia	20-Jan-24	"Culture and the arts are so important."
162	Hobart		7000	Australia	20-Jan-24	"The powerhouse museum is important - over 9 years of knowledge will go down the drain for everyone in sydney - young minds and old alike"
163			2028	Australia	20-Jan-24	, ,
						"The Powerhouse is an extremely important museum - the only science and technology museum in the state. It is also a heritage building containing very significant objects - which if moved may be irreversibly damaged. It is also an historical site with structures of our Ultimo power station. It is the museum of applied arts and sciences. It must be kept."

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164	Brisbane	Queensland	4500	Australia	20-Jan-24	
						"Please keep the Powerhouse open. The Science and
						Technology displays are amazing and would be such a loss to
						the community and inter state visitors, as we are. We make
						sure we visit every time we are in Sydney and Ultimo is the
						perfect place for visitors to get to. Please keep it open."
165			2008	Australia	20-Jan-24	
400						"I want the powerhouse to remain in Ultimo and stay open."
166			2206	Australia	20-Jan-24	"Essential cultural places keep our communities alive,
					~	engaged and caring."
167	Yarras	New South Wales	-	Australia		"This public asset deserves our protection"
168			2221	Australia	20-Jan-24	
169	Claremont		7011	Australia		"This is an Australian treasure! Please do not close"
170	Old Toongabbie		2146	Australia	21-Jan-24	"I believe the steam machinery will never run again if it is
						dismantled and moved. This machinery has world wide historic
474			0000	A ()'	00 1 04	significance."
171			2009	Australia	22-Jan-24	o 1
						preserve and protect this vital repository of our scientific and
170			2011	Australia	04 Jan 04	technological heritage."
172			2011	Australia	24-Jan-24	"The Devicehouse is a public sultural institution that interprets
						"The Powerhouse is a public cultural institution that interprets,
						and presents important, cultural heritage material, and belongs to the tax payers. It deserves to be sustained and enhanced as
						an educational resource for the community."
173	Sydney		2120	Australia	24-Jan-24	•
170	Cydney		2120	Australia	24-0411-24	Sydney, as a kid whenever asked what I wanted to do id say
						powerhouse and we'd always get a pie afterwards, it's a
						brilliant free museum with so much incredible stuff, it would be
						a shame to lose anything"
174			2515	Australia	24-Jan-24	
						"I have had many years association with the Powerhouse - a
						conference many many years ago and began again visiting
						progressively with my 9 grandchildren who now range from 24
						to 13 months. I will be sad if I cant bring the last two 4 & amp;
						13 months to the Powerhouse. 4 year old has already been 3
						times!! Long live the Powerhouse for us and our children."

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175	Canberra		2612	Australia	24-Jan-24	"The best collection of science meets the arts in Australia, there is no NEED to close for so long!"
176			2519	Australia	25-Jan-24	-
						"Its a wonderful museum and should stay open for everyone"
177	Forde		2914	Australia	25-Jan-24	"A museum is necessary for people to learn about history and how we got where we are now"
178	Sydney		2000	Australia	25-Jan-24	"The Powerhouse Museum is an icon."
179			2500	Australia	25-Jan-24	"We call on The Hon. John Graham, Minister for the Arts, to HONOUR HIS PROMISES, keep the Museum open and not allow the removal of the permanent exhibitions to storage (Boulton and Watt Engine, Loco No1, Catalina Plane, Strasbourg Clock and Steam Revolution, Transport and Space and Experimentation Exhibitions) until a "Heritage Revitalisation" project is developed in full and open consultation with experts, relevant community groups and the public, and is ready to be implemented. Please do not denigrate this important facility."
180	Sydney		2000	Australia	26-Jan-24	"I want it keep going"
181	Davidson		2084	Australia	26-Jan-24	"The power house is a wonderful museum that should stay open."
182			2038	Australia	26-Jan-24	"Closing the Powerhouse Museum is highly risky and a major loss for the public. If budgets are the issue, then funds could be saved simply by not messing with this institution quite so much, in an absurd, top-down reinvention every 2 years. It is a state treasure, with extraordinary object collections not a developers' sandpit."
183	Paddington		2021	Australia	26-Jan-24	"It's our heritage when it is gone it is gone and this is just
184			2062	Australia	27 Jan 24	vandalism" "I want to see it remain open. A great asset to Sydney."
184	Lake Munmorah		2002	Australia		"Because that is where it should be. Nothing wrong with
100			2200	Adstralia	27-0011-24	branches in outer suburbs."
186	Sydney	New South Wales	2007	Australia	27-Jan-24	"This closure and expense is unnecessary and the process to get to this is full of broken promises and lack of transparency. The Labor government has broken its promise and the Museum should stay open and the wonderful exhibits should not be taken out, whether temporarily or not"

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187	Blackheath		2785	Australia	27-Jan-24	"Closing public collections to the public who own and treasure them, without a real plan to CONSERVE and display them is appalling managerial practice and displays contempt for the public."
188			2009	Australia	27-Jan-24	
						"It is a cultural icon that needs to remain open for public
189	Dulwich Hill		2203	Australia	27. lan-24	access.I want the premier to honour his election promise." "It appears that this closure will do two things: 1 Enrich
100	Daiwich fill		2200	Australia	21-0011-24	government mates through contracts, and 2 ensure a cost
						blow out that will be used to justify permanent closure of the
						PHM and sale of the Kate , once again to government mates.
						The PHM closure is a transparent scam for closure and sale,
190			2602	Australia	27-Jan-24	not for its "saving"" "It is a wonderful museum"
190 191			4032	Australia	27-Jan-24 27-Jan-24	
101			1002	/ dotraila	27 0411 21	"What is happening to the Powerhouse is National Disgrace!"
192	Milsons Point		2061	Australia	28-Jan-24	
						"The Powerhouse Museum is a wonderful museum for families. I take my grandson there every school holidays and we really enjoy our time there together. Without this museum he and I will be bereft of educational and exciting places to spend our time with each other. There has been such unnecessary ongoing controversy about keeping this museum open- who really stands to gain from closing it. It is such a valuable and important asset in Sydney it puzzles me why any politician would want it closed. Please keep it open ."
193			2061	Australia		"Looks like shonky business!"
194	Melbourne		3131	Australia	28-Jan-24	"Powerhouse museum respesents a very important piece of community history and culture"
195	Adelaide		5001	Australia	28-Jan-24	"It is an institution that should be kept and maintained for everyone, especially all future generations!!!"
196			2032	Australia	28-Jan-24	
						"It's vital to retain a technology and science museum in the CBD of Sydney for us all - children, adults, locals and visitors."
197	Sydney		2000	Australia		"We need this museum for our future generations"
198	Dungog		2420	Australia	28-Jan-24	"The site is accessible and the exhibits have a huge educational value, a teacher"
199	Sydney		2000	Australia	28-Jan-24	"It needs to stay in Sydney and not go to parramatta"

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200	Waverton		2060	Australia	28-Jan-24	
						"The museum is a significant heritage site and educationally
						facility; no reason has been provided for the changes already made or proposed that seem intent on its closure. This is
						heritage, educational and cultural vandalism."
201	Seaforth		2092	Australia	29-Jan-24	
						"The PHW should remain open in Ultimo. It shouldn't even be
						an option for whichever party is in power to close it. If the
						building requires renovation then it should be done in stages,
202			2540	Australia	30-Jan-24	with the large objects covered for safety." "This is an established cultural part of Sydney. Build
202			2540	Australia	30-Jan-24	something somewhere else BUT leave the Powerhouse where
						it is."
203	Sydney		2000	Australia	30-Jan-24	"Loved going here throughout the years. The Powerhouse
						Museum is an extraordinary place that should be kept open for
004			2000	A	20 1 04	others to enjoy."
204 205	Canberra		2060 2611	Australia Australia		"I think it's a very special place love going there" "This is a fabulous museum, and it needs to be lead by people
205	Caliberta		2011	Australia	50-5an-24	who understand its value and make it work again. Stop
						massacaring our cultural institutions ."
206				Australia	30-Jan-24	-
						"As I live in a regional area, and an ex school teacher I have
						always taken excursions to this site, as it is accessible for
						school students out of the Sydney Metropolitan area. Do we want to lose the access to this wonderful resource for our
						country school students. I also visit this site with my
						grandchildren. Again as it is easily accessible. If it was out at
						Parramatta country schools would never have the ease of
						access or the time to visit in a day"

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207	Sydney		2066	Australia	30-Jan-24	
						"I worked a dozen years at the Powerhouse from 1987 to 1999. It was an amazing collection and we worked with curator's to tell stories of our culture. Social history and science, technology, design, and decorative arts. It is terrible seeing this once proud statutory authority reduced to its current state. The
						complete closure of the Ultimo site is unnecessary and premature and a waste of tax payers money. Removing Locomotive No 1, the catalina and the Boulton & amp;Watt rotating Beam Engine from ultimo is ridiculous.now more than ever our diverse city needs to understand the linchpin iconic items of our colonial history. Stop the closure Labor! We
						expected better."
208			4075	Australia	30-Jan-24	"This is a closure which is culturally devastating and will in
200			4070	/ dollana	00 00H 24	future be seen as a low point in Australia's international reputation"
209			2065	Australia	30-Jan-24	"It is an educational institution essential to the future of Australia."
210			2571	Australia	31-Jan-24	"Important to keep this open"
211	Taro			Solomon Islands	31-Jan-24	"My relatives have donated items and it needs to remain In the city which is assessable for everyone"
212			2530	Australia	31-Jan-24	"I want the power house to stay it's in a great location"
213			1465	Australia	31-Jan-24	
						"if you have seen the 1001 Remarkable Objects exhibition you would understand why this part of our history must be saved,"
214	Portsmouth	England	PO6 2JZ	UK	31-Jan-24	
						"This is a culturally important museum and should be kept open during the necessary repairs and maitenance period."
215	Surry Hills		2010	Australia	31-Jan-24	"This is a particularly very significant social history collection and exhibitions"
216	Adelaide		5000	Australia	01-Feb-24	"Governments of the present want to remove our awareness of the past because past achievements reflect so badly on present administrations."
217	Epping		2121	Australia	01-Feb-24	"It is important to keep social history items and stories readily available to the public. It is especially important to keep the past available for study and to give relevance to how we live today."

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218			2330	Australia	01-Feb-24	"In my years teaching,the Powerhouse Museum was a must.
						Likewise for so many others. Thousands upon thousands of children were enchanted .I cannot understand the thinking!"
219	Sydney		2000	Australia	01-Feb-24	"It's the best museum in Sydney and doesn't deserve to be shut down. With no transparency in the refurb plans it's clear
						this project is set up to overrun the budget, fail and collapse as a white elephant. We deserve better."
220			2039	Australia	01-Feb-24	
						"This is about having a creative and Interesting place for all people. It should never be about real estate developers."
221			2155	Australia	01-Feb-24	"The Powerhouse Museum is an Icon and is being Gutted with no thought to the loss of the public heritage such as the
						Boulton & Watt engine & the Strasbourg Clock. The whole thing is being carried out in secrecy, & the "consultation" is a
						disgrace."
222			2261	Australia	01-Feb-24	"The Powerhouse Museum is a unique and valuable collection
						of our history. It must be preserved and remain open to the public. Plans for its refurbishment must be openly shared with
						the public for consultation."
223			2250	Australia	02-Feb-24	"It is a wonderful asset and part of Darling Harbour for tourist in Sydney Central"
224	Balmain		2041	Australia	02-Feb-24	5 5 1 5
						have an absolutely fantastic collection of technology and history and they are destroy the very thing they wanted to
						save."

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225	Cherrybrook		2126	Australia	02-Feb-24	
						"The founders of the PHM had S.T.E.A.M. education at the forefront of their vision. Years before the PHM first opened, plans were made public, plans for innovative, permanent exhibits which stood the test of time. This vision tied what was to be built with what was to be displayed, and made the powerhouse a destination museum of international standard. People from around the world put this place on the list of things to see when travelling to Sydney, with the steam engines and space and transport hall the parts people are most wanting to visit. If we were to loose those, it would be like the Louvre loosing Mona Lisa. Even today, with many of the iconic exhibits (Despite showing signs of wear and tear) the spaces within this museum continue to be loved by children and adults alike, with many making last minute visits, worried they won't be able to see it again. This is why so many former curators, directors and staff are so unhappy with the government's lack of clarity on this subject, especially with the lack of museum expertise on the current board. This museum needs a restoration after years of neglect, but we've been given no guarantee that during the closure, they won't just tear everything up, while out of the public eye. The fact that it's the same people who were in charge when the LNP wanted to kill off this museum does not paint a pretty picture. Plus, they're sacking a lot of the staff, including people with years and years of experience. These are the people who know most what parts of the museum actually needs work done on it, not a
226	Coburg		3058	Australia	02-Feb-24	remote firm with little connection to the actual place." "Though I don't live in Sydney I love to visit the museumit's a wonderful record of the history of Australia and it's in an ideal situation."
227	Sydney		2207	Australia	02-Feb-24	"Melodie Reddy"
228	Devonport, Tasmania		7310	Australia		"It's the right thing to do!"
229	OATLEY		2223	Australia		"Unhappy that the Powerhouse is closing. It is iconic, educational and part of many Australian's childhood."
230	Perth	Western Australia	6163	Australia	03-Feb-24	
						"The Museum should remain where it is. Why should it move?"

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231	Sydney		2000	Australia	03-Feb-24	"It seems this Labor government is too weak to reverse even the most egregious excesses of its corrupt Liberal predecessor."
232	Lilyfield		2040	Australia	04-Feb-24	"The Powerhouse at ultimo is too important to lose. I believed and expected a new Labor government to stop the destruction commenced by the previous government. John Graham you can do it - please do."
233			2092	Australia	04-Feb-24	'
						"Australia cannot be a clever country if the history of inventions is lost! We are sacrificing this unique institution for nothing"
234			2000	Australia	04-Feb-24	"This is a Sydney icon and needs to be saved from being sold for profit"
235			2780	Australia	05-Feb-24	"It's absolutely necessary to have a museum of applied arts and sciences in the cbd. This is the hub of our cultural society . This museum was designed for that purpose and was a fabulous place. Don't take it away or minimise it to the extent that it folds."
236	Empire Bay		2257	Australia	07-Feb-24	"Historic car owner Austin seven 1925"
237	Glenlyon		3461	Australia	09-Feb-24	"The heritage buildings and collections belong to the people and must be accessible"
238	Chippendale	New South Wales	2008	Australia	10-Feb-24	"I can't believe that this could happen, after all the effort we went to to save it. We must keep The Powerhouse for not only is, but future generations as well."
239	Newcastle		2291	Australia	15-Feb-24	"Culturally we are being starved, more & more"
240			2044	Australia	15-Feb-24	"The collection is being frittered away, the site is being trivialised."
241	Blairgowrie		3942	Australia	17-Feb-24	"This building contains wonderful things from the past! I loved visiting it with my children!"
242			2179	Australia	21-Feb-24	"I am sick and tired of the lies and deceipt that has been going on for years to destroy OUR Powerhouse Museum. Invest in our past to educate our future. Support our fantastic PHM and not destroy it."
243			2251	Australia	27-Feb-24	"Ultimo is the proper place for the Powerhouse. It should be in the heart of the state's capital not out in the backwaters!"

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244	Sydney		2000	Australia	01-Mar-24	"This whole process has been a sham from the beginning. The true & amp; relevant locally based history of Sydney's tram centre and subsequent displays of transport technology are all now out the window. Instead, the name Powerhouse Museum will be transferred to Parramatta, where local history is colonial."
245	Blaxland		2774	Australia	01-Mar-24	"The NSW Government has not given any real detail of future plans for the Powerhouse and appears set on vastly reducing display space, undermining the capability of an, until now, top class major museum."
246	Penrith		2750	Australia	01-Mar-24	"Museums are items to see and feel and we need it instead of technology."
247	NFA		2548	Australia	01-Mar-24	"the Powerhouse is a well situated public treasure ."
248	Sydney		2000	Australia	03-Mar-24	
						"I AM FED UP WITH THE WAY NSW GOVTS, LNP OR LABOR LOVE TO TREAT THE COMMUNITY WITH SUCH REPEATED DISRESPECT ON ANY MAJOR PROJECT, LIKE A MUSEUM, STADIUM, SYDNEY RAIL OR WESTCONNEX WITH THEIR CLAYTONS COMMUNITY CONSULTATION."
249	Sydney		2034	Australia	08-Mar-24	"The museum was world class and should be kept in its current form."
250	Manchester	England	M21 8XD	UK	30-Mar-24	"I believe that the PowerHouse Museum is essential to the history of engineering and technology in Australia."
251	Sydney		2000	Australia	31-Mar-24	"I love going to the powerhouse museum"
252			6149	Australia	02-Apr-24	"this is an incredible and unique museum"
253	Broomfield	Colorado	80020	US	05-Apr-24	"Why are you doing this?"
254			2226	Australia	06-Apr-24	"This valuable and important Museum should be re-opened as soon as possible. This supposed "renovation" seems a smokescreen. Is the agenda really to renovate it, or to redevelop this priceless piece of real estate for housing towers?"
255	Sydney		2000	Australia	14-May-24	"It just makes sense to keep the museum open as long as possible. So, please Mr John Graham, Minister for the Arts, honour your promises. Thank you."

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256	Sydney		NSW 2026	Australia	15-May-24	
						"The Powerhouse is a world class asset available to all. Closing it down for work which can be accomplished while it is continuing to provide visitors both local and international with access to its unique collections and information about current and historic perspectives, is a tragedy and a gross mistake by this government. Relocating part of the collection to a flood prone location is also a very poor decision, endangering the collections. Save the Powerhouse!"
257			2536	Australia	16-May-24	
						"I believe the Powerhouse Museum should be retained in its present internationally recognised form. The museum should not be closed down for any length of time in order to pander to NSW Labor's lack of interest in cultural heritage."
258	Palm Beach		2800	Australia	17-May-24	
						"I learned of the powerhouse museum via unique historical buildings info and intended to visit when next in Sydney."