

Planning (Social Impact and Community Benefit) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2025

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I wish to oppose the construction of a Whitewater Centre in the Redlands, at Capalaba. Primarily, such a centre would only have significant use during the 2032 Olympics event, and thereafter, would be of little use to the people in the Redlands. The Redlands has not enjoyed any improvement in water sport facilities in this century; but the population has grown very significantly over this timeframe. Public pools where the Redlands people can learn to swim; exercise regularly; train for all manner of 'non Olympic' water sports; allow all ages to play in water are massively substandard. In these current economic times, I believe that existing venues across Australia should be repurposed for this event - even to contribute funds for appropriate upgrading!