



Andrew Fraser MP

State Member for Mount Coot-tha

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Dear Mr Jones

I write regarding our previous consultation and the outcomes of the community consultation process conducted at Rainworth State School on Wednesday evening.

I remain of the view that Telstra has not sufficiently explained to the local community its consideration of alternatives to the proposed Gerler Street site. I am sure this must be your conclusion after Wednesday's meeting.

Given the legislative requirement to give priority to co-location it remains my view that this should be revisited by Telstra.

While mobile phones are a modern fact of life and indeed widely utilised by the community I represent, I must admit to being unconvinced of the particular importance to Telstra of the proposed location vis a vis existing alternatives.

I would urge Telstra to revisit their commitment to proceeding with the proposed construction in Gerler Street. An alternative co-located facility should be pursued.

Yours sincerely

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