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Although there are specific issues to address in the planning and development of a football stadium in Hobart, it appears nowhere on the list are there impact resolutions on the following issues:

- 1) the already atrocious traffic problems into and out of Hobart;
- 2) gridlock and parking in Hobart CBD, including parking garages in which modern SUV's can barely get in and out and cannot access the small size of the parking spaces;
- 3) the hilly and winding geography of roads and neighborhoods;
- 4) housing density;
- 5) heritage homes, buildings (including the University and government buildings), pubs, waterfront and docks, parks, and museums;
- 6) social housing and social issues pushed aside to focus on an unnecessary, grand, and expensive sporting stadium;
- 7) if, in fact, there would be a huge influx of people for the proposed stadium events such as footy games and rock concerts, how will they be accommodated and transported (including air travel) in an area which is already such a bottleneck that even Tasmanian residents across the state avoid going to Hobart if at all possible;
- 8) and, finally, there are so many Tasmanians needing assistance with just trying to survive (check the parks and shelters) due to country and state economic problems, I believe there is a duty of care to manage Tasmania (and its residents) first, before launching into grand projects such as this stadium, especially as the planned events will include ticket prices well out-of-reach of many Tasmanians once they manage to get to Hobart.

Please consider.