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BERRIMA

Further to Berrima being the most intact GEORGIAN VILLAGE on mainland Australia and nationally second only to PORT ARTHUR in Tasmania, it is vitally important that the CURTILAGE to the village which includes its location in its' environment which is RURAL is protected and must be considered in relation to the guidelines for such as referred to in the BURRA CHARTER.

To welcome those coming to Berrima via the North - South motorway for its heritage value by a COAL MINE is hardly in keeping with intent of the BURRA CHARTER and totally insensitive to those visitors.

We have destroyed so much of our heritage both European and Indigenous it really is time to consider where we allow such development and reject this mine proposal

M A X I M WE CAN LIVE WITHOUT COAL BUT WE CAN NOT LIVE WITHOUT WATER

See article in the SMH Mon11 Feb. 2019

Re. Coal miners derided climate action 'sideshow'. Now it's the main event.

This judgment by the Chief Judge of the NSW LAND and Environment Court must has been a long time coming and must surely set some precedent for the refusal of this proposed Berrima Coal Mine.