

28 October, 2022

Public meeting: '8-year anniversary of the community campaign to keep the Powerhouse Museum in Ultimo'

A public meeting organised by the Save the Powerhouse community group, will be held in Ultimo on Friday 28 October, 2022. See their Facebook page here:

<https://www.facebook.com/savethepowerhouse>

26 October: REMINDER: PUBLIC PHM MEETING FRIDAY, UCC, 6pm!

Now that the list of speakers has been published (**see poster below**) we hope you all come along on Friday with any questions about the Powerhouse.

This will be your opportunity to put your questions to politicians and experts with inside knowledge of the Powerhouse and the important place it has on our daily life. See you then.

19 October: Hi Everyone,

We are pleased to announce that "Save the Powerhouse" is organising a **Public Meeting at the Ultimo Community Centre, 6-8 pm, on October 28**, to "mark the 8-year anniversary of the community campaign to keep the Powerhouse Museum in Ultimo" and everyone interested is warmly welcome.

It will be an opportunity for community members to hear different perspectives on the Powerhouse from politicians and museum experts, all with the shared goal of preserving our unique Arts and Sciences museum - and to put forward their questions and views for general discussion.

We are still working on the speakers list, but the format will be a short address from each of them, followed by Q & As from the floor and general discussion of "where are we now?" and "what next?"

The object of the meeting is to 'have our say' - to remind an apparently deaf NSW Government and MAAS management that Sydney residents in Ultimo, Pyrmont, Glebe, Newtown and beyond **REJECT** the changes they aim to impose that would turn the time-honoured Powerhouse **MUSEUM** into a (commercial) "creative industries" **FACILITY** with a "fashion and design focus".

The more people who attend the meeting, the more noise we can make! So please see the attached flyer for event details and a background summary <http://tiny.cc/ts80vz>, and send them on to your friends and associates.

Let's not forget that NSW State elections are only five months away. The opposition is already well ahead according to the latest polls, and a hoped change of government could dramatically alter the future of our Powerhouse Museum.

All the best,

Save the Powerhouse



PUBLIC MEETING

to mark the

8-year anniversary

of your

Community Campaign to keep the Powerhouse Museum in Ultimo

SPEAKERS include

Dr Lindsay SHARP, *Powerhouse Museum Founding Director (via Zoom)*

Cr Linda SCOTT, *Australian Local Government Association President*

Cr Sylvie ELLSMORE, *City of Sydney Deputy Lord Mayor*

Kylie WINKWORTH, *Museum Expert, Former PHM Trustee*

Andrew GRANT, *Former PHM Senior Curator, Transport*

Damian McDONALD *for the Public Service Association*

MODERATOR

Jennifer SANDERS, *Former Powerhouse Museum Deputy Director
Powerhouse Museum Alliance*

When: Friday 28 October, 6pm-8pm

Where: Ultimo Community Centre

Corner Bulwara Rd/William Henry Street, Ultimo



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