

JENNIFER SANDERS, FORMER POWERHOUSE MUSEUM DEPUTY DIRECTOR  
SPEECH TO EVENT ON PHM FORECOURT ON SUNDAY JANUARY 28<sup>TH</sup>, 2023

We are very grateful to all the mourners here today to mark this day of sorrow in the history of NSW.

The world-renowned, much loved Powerhouse Museum is being closed down never to be experienced again. That is why we have a coffin. You are welcome to go and leave your flowers at the coffin and make it known that it is a much loved museum.

This destruction is all happening so that the CEO could fulfil her stated goal of breaking the Museum by ignoring history, language and architecture and by never explaining or trying to educate. A museum director who says "I don't ask the audience what they want, I ignore them.

How many billions are given to this woman who is not the least interested in the community or the audience?

The Powerhouse Museum is being destroyed, not revitalised by the Minns Labor Government who are now complicit in the unmaking for the Powerhouse Museum, a vendetta began by the Baird Government in 2014.

We thought there was a change of Government in March 2013 but we were duped. It is Liberal Party 2.0 still monsterring our Powerhouse Museum!

No civilised society destroys a museum!

Thank you