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Dear Mary and Mick

This is my submission to the “independent” flood inquiry 2022.

This is climate change and will only get worse. Listen to eminent scientists such as saying it will be like hell on earth.

Too much emphasis on profit not people has led us to this unnatural disaster and thousands of climate refugees from Brisbane(Meanjin) to the Northern rivers.

The new highway and the levee caused more damage to affordable housing in North and South Lismore.

People cannot afford flood insurance and their contents insurance has not been kind after the 2 floods of 2022 thus far.

Listen to indigenous knowledge and to Mother Nature and give the land back to the traditional owners and the river.

Stop looking at wildlife habitat and swamp land as developers and look as humans living in harmony with the environment.

Do not forget those climate refugees made homeless by the floods in 2022 and those still lining in tents and caravans since the bushfires of 2019/20.

Look into the eyes of your children or grandchildren and tell them you protected them from climate catastrophe and gave them a liveable planet.

Listen to the people of Lismore and keep them safe.

Protect them and the wildlife and relocate the city to the university grounds.

Move their houses to higher ground and build affordable housing not millionaire mansions.

Talk to Widjabul Wiabul elders and work with ancient knowledge and nature.

Fossil fuels have caused these Mega floods and Mega fires.

Let the people decide not the millionaires.

Put the Love back into Lovemore!

Love Peace CouRage and Resistance Always and Forever

Sent from my iPhone