

**urbanrenewal - Please Adopt the Policy**

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I have worked in Newcastle's CBD since 2000 and have seen significant change

The Honeysuckle precinct is one of the greatest things to happen to Newcastle in my lifetime, I'm 42 years old.

The Joy Cummings Promenade along Newcastle Harbour is indeed a tourist attraction in itself

However development on the southern side of the inner-city rail line has remained dormant for decades.

The advent of Renew Newcastle to revive the Hunter St Mall was a band-aid solution, it has achieved nothing in real terms.

One side of the city continues to thrive while the other is lagging so far behind it may never catch up.

Please implement the staged revitalisation of our city through the Urban Renewal Policy

Thanks

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