

Low-rise the go

GOOD article Elise Archer (Talking Point, September 12), apart from one important point. You say "the proposed 45 metres [building height] is clearly nonsensical as at least a dozen buildings in Hobart are already taller than this." This is not a valid argument against low-rise. With intelligent planning, none of those tall buildings would have been passed and, with luck and good planning, some may one day be removed. Their pesky existence must not be allowed to influence the new maximum height, which should be set to help preserve what remains of Hobart's heritage.

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