

Blind to aesthetics

THANK you to Stephen Jeffery for his letter regarding the siting of the toilet at Alonah, which draws attention to the lack of sensitivity to this beautiful state by the officers and councillors in local government (*Mercury*, September 27). Myself and supporters tried desperately to have this toilet block sited elsewhere, giving many sound environmental reasons as well as the poor use of such a lovely site. It went ahead, regardless of the availability of less intrusive sites nearby. Mr Jeffrey's letter gives me great hope that some of these people in positions to make a difference may read it and be more aware and not blind to the aesthetics in the decisions they are trusted to make.

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