

■ Totally agree with H. Krenske's letter to the Editor, TC 22 June. 20 - 30 kms of mountain bike tracks in Redwood Park will destroy a large part of the habitat needed for the ground dwelling birds and animals. Why should Redwood Park be destroyed just to suit less than 1% of Toowoomba's population? You only have to look at Jubilee Park to see how destructive these bike tracks are.
G. Tba

Redwood Park

OUR Mayor Paul Antonio said this about the upcoming Olympic bid (TV news) and I quote, "I will take what I can get", making reference to mountain bikes and equestrian events.

Does this mean that he would take Redwood Park that our forebears set aside for a wildlife refuge and turn it into an Olympic sized mountain bike trail to earn him the bid?

Would he do it at the expense of everyone else who would like to enjoy the wildlife there? Is this the legacy he wants to be remembered for to achieve his goal?

I, as a taxpayer of this wonderful city of Toowoomba, am feeling very uneasy about leaving such an important decision in the hands of someone who says, and I

quote again, "I will take what I can get".

Is this the Mayor who some of us elected, someone who is all about big business and forgets about the rest of us?

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It's not political

TO claim the draft proposal by UNESCO to declare the Great Barrier Reef endangered is politically motivated is laughable. The only politics being played is by the current government.

Having twice visited the University of Queensland's reef research station on Heron Island it's clear the reef is endangered.

UQ scientists spending their days on the reef have grave concerns about the reef's future. They have seawater tanks in the research centre held at the long