Gerry Wood, the Independent Member for Nelson, says a Palmerston resident not only couldn’t be bothered using his Palmerston Tip or even using the Howard Springs transfer station (which he shouldn’t be), instead he has dumped his rubbish next to a creek used a swimming hole at the end of Whitewood Road Howard Springs.

The interesting thing as seen from the photos is that he left his rego papers and number plate from a boat trailer amongst the rubbish.

Perhaps the media might resurrect the ‘shame job’ or ‘lazy bastard’ approach by highlighting this mess and shaming the offender into cleaning up his rubbish and taking it to the tip. I am sure rural people would appreciate that move.

Darryl Gibbons (acting Pres Litchfield Shire Council) and Gerry would be quite happy to show media this attractive site first hand this afternoon on the above phone numbers.