Subject: Lue mine... it should not go ahead... leave the land alone... no contamination.

Dear Planning Authority,

I am a retired nurse living in Sydney.

The silver mine proposed for 2km from Lue must not go ahead for environmental reasons.

I am a friend of people in Mudgee who are extremely concerned that there not be contamination, and that the mine not go ahead. Some of the reasons I give below...

- 1. Lead contamination associated and caused by the mining process.
- 2. Cyanide poisoning of the land and groundwater.
- 3. Destruction caused by the tailing dam, esp. the destruction of Lawsons Creek.
- 4. Noise pollution caused by trucking through Mudgee.
- 5. Over-use, misuse of water.

There are many other reasons. It is up to you, with respect, your responsibility, to stop this destructive project and represent the best interests of the human population. There is also the rest of the natural world and our collective future to be considered.

Please let me know of your decision.

Yours sincerely,

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