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**Ref: Minarah College** 268-278 Catherine Field rd, Catherine Field NSW 2557

## **Application Number: SSD-30759158**

I am writing to Oppose the Minarah College project in Catherine Field.

I request that my personal information remain confidential.

I declare that I have not made or received any reportable political donations



As a long term resident of Catherine Field, I have major concerns relating to the Application regarding Minarah College and want to oppose the application.

I do not have an email address, I only heard about the school from others who received a flyer (I did not). I was unable to join the zoom meeting (without an email address) and have heard nothing further other than what my neighbours tell me. I had to ask family to type this up for me.

I am also aware of many in Catherine Field who also do not have email or computers and I feel this is a huge disadvantage.

I think that there was not enough community awareness or opportunity to have our say. To this day, I have not seen any documents in my mailbox informing me of the application.

28 days is not enough time for the community to read the documents and send a letter through Australia Post.

I strongly oppose the school based on the poor condition of the local roads, I think a school will generate much more traffic not only during construction but also when it opens. There is no access to sewer mains. Sydney Water are too busy trying to fix the issues they currently have in Oran Park and Austral to worry about connecting Catherine Field.

Sincerely

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