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To Whom it may concern,

RE: WINTERBOURNE WIND FARM | APPLICATION NO. SSD-10471

- I am attaching my submission to the above-referenced development application
- I hereby declare that I support the Winterbourne Wind Farm proposal ID SSD-10471
- I would like my personal details (i.e., my full name):
 - ☒ to be published on the NSW planning portal
 - ☐ to be withheld and not published on the NSW planning portal
- I have not made any reportable political donations in the previous 2 years

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While I currently live in Carlingford, and have done so for 33 years, I was raised, educated and taught in country NSW for the preceding 40 years.

I am very aware of the need for projects such as the Winterbourne Wind Farm to exist in rural communities. Through my education in Armidale and teaching in Armidale and Narrabri, I can understand the benefits of such a project to the Uralla and Walcha communities. Research shows 400 jobs and \$750,000^{annually} in benefits to those communities.

95% plus acknowledge that climate change is happening and is real. Evidence such as rising temperatures and sea levels, greater extremes in climate with increasing fires, storms, droughts, floods etc is indisputable.

Wind energy is far cheaper than new fossil fuel generation and this Winterbourne Wind Farm project helps facilitate the urgent requirement to transition from fossil fuel generation.

Regards,

Bruce Jacob.