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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

**RE: HILLS OF GOLD WIND FARM APPLICATION NO. SSD 9679**

- I am attaching my submission to the above mentioned development application during Public Exhibition of Amendment Report November 2022.
- I hereby declare that I object to the Hills of Gold Wind Farm proposal ID no. SSD 9679.
- I would like my personal details withheld.
- I have not made any reportable political donations in the previous 2 years.
- I acknowledge and accept the Department disclaimer and declaration.

Signature

I live in this village because it is a quiet and beautiful place. What they are proposing to do with the transport of turbine components through Nundle is going to absolutely ruin this village and cause a lot of delays on the roads for locals and visitors. There will be a lot of traffic past my property and I can't see around the corner getting out of my driveway. It is dangerous as it is. Wind farms should be built where the access to the site is from a major road like a highway, not past people's driveways.

Surely the amount of traffic coming through Nundle and Hanging is not compliant for amount of noise allowed.

Most of the time we go to Tamworth for all important appointments and most of our shopping. It takes long enough to get from Nundle to Tamworth and we don't need any more delays and the roads are bad enough as they are now, we don't need any more heavy traffic. The council can't keep up with road maintenance.

There are better places for projects like this. This seems like a lot of difficulties to get the project components to this site.

I think that there is a real visual impact to the hills around Nundle. I was shown a photomontage and I think the turbines look very ugly and destructive. And they didn't even show any roads going to turbines on photomontage.

They are also very damaging to wild life and this project will require disturbance of many hectares of habitat. I don't like the thought of eagles being hurt. It will have an impact on koala's habitat as well as wombats. There are many wombats on this ridge and you see them all the time when driving.

I would like to think that the authorities will listen to our concerns and stop this project.



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