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To whom it may concern

Re: Hills of Gold Wind Farm Application Number SSD 9679

I am attaching my submission to the above mentioned development application. I hereby declare that I object to the above mentioned development application. I would like my personal details withheld.

I have not made any reportable political donations in the last 2 years.



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The proposed turbines would be visible for a significant distance estimated to be 45kms. They will be seen from Chaffey Dam, parts of Tamworth, New England Highway and of course in the historical town of Nundle.

They would be an eyesore on the beautiful 'Hills of Gold' landscape and ruin the historical views around the area. The distractions will deter visitors from the area and instead of the beautiful picturesque 'Hills of Gold' it will be 'Hills of Turbines' and lose its valuable tourist appeal and onward financial loss for local businesses.

The turbines will dramatically alter the landscape character of the area both in the immediate locality and other important vantage points.

I **object** to the wind turbines being placed on the 'Hills of Gold' and destroying the beautiful landscape