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Date: 12-1-2010

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
  - 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
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SUBURB:

REASON FOR OBJECTION:

As a resident of Barry Rd overlooking the proposed wind farm I object to the visual impact not only from my property but from roads around Nundle and Hanging Rock. I enjoy riding my motorcycle for recreation and I understand the impact of reduced visual amenity and increased traffic on fellow motorcycle enthusiasts.

Increased transport and traffic congestion during construction is a concern for health issues and firefighting.

The environmental impacts of site clearing, endangering flora and fauna are unacceptable. The mitigation proposed will not replace what is lost.

Water has been a pressing issue for our community during drought. It is not clear this will have neutral or beneficial impacts on surface or groundwater feeding into the Peel, Hunter and Barnard/Manning Rivers.

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