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I wish to lodge my objection to AGL's proposed extension of time for the commencement of work on the proposed gas fired power plant project at Dalton (DPP), NSW.

I wish to lodge my objection to the whole Dalton Project.

I am a regular visitor to Dalton. My family and friends are attracted to the culture and natural surroundings of the Dalton area and would cease to visit the area if the proposed gas fired power plant went ahead. I am sure this is the case for many visitors to Gunning and Dalton.

I fear danger for the communities of Dalton and Gunning should tourists cease to visit these townships and surrounding areas. Businesses that rely on tourism will be harshly affected, with many probably being forced to close.

The social cost, should the proposed gas fired power plant go ahead, cannot be underestimated. You are dealing with people who have invested a lot of time and energy into this community. Apart from the probable monetary loss they would be forced to endure, including reduced real estate value for their properties, the people have a huge emotional investment in the area. The distress this will create for locals will be huge and ongoing. Will AGL take responsibility for this?

Yours Sincerely,

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