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Dear Sir or Madam

**NEW HIGH SCHOOL IN BUNGENDORE  
APPLICATION NO. SSD-14394209**

I refer to the above state-significant development application.

I **object** to the proposal, for the following reason(s):

- The development will be hugely detrimental to the residents of Bungendore. The demolition of areas like the dog park, Mick Sherd Oval, the historic swimming pool, and the community centre will make Bungendore a worse place to live. Replacing all this historic infrastructure and utility with a school seems foolish. and unnecessary. I love Bungendore. It's a place that is hugely significant to me and has been since I was very young. Please don't ruin it for me, and future generations.
- The school has little capacity to expand and grow along with projected population growth in Bungendore. Other sites have been found suitable -- for instance, the site on Tarago Road (which was mysteriously dumped) -- sites that would leave the heart and soul of Bungendore untouched. Please consider other sites! Why Bungendore Park, seemingly the worst possible location for a school, has been chosen and pushed so intensely is beyond me.

I have not, and no associate of mine, has made any political donation to any person in the 2 years preceding this submission -- obviously, I'm a kid! I object to this not from a political perspective, but from the perspective of someone who has great love for the Bungendore area and cannot stand to see it destroyed for vaporous causes. Too much is at stake here.

Yours truly,  
Jonathan Davis