

1 September 2016

The Director
Mining Projects
Department of Planning & Infrastructure
GPO Box 39
Sydney NSW 2001

Dear Sir/Madam

**Wallarah 2 Coal Mine – Amendment to Development Application SSD-4974 (the amended DA)
lodged for the Wyong Areas Coal Joint Venture (WACJV) on 7 July 2016**

I refer to the above application and wish to lodge my objection to the proposal on the grounds detailed below:

ABSENCE OF WATER CONTROL MEASURES

1. The infrastructure to be placed on Nikko Rd is adjacent to Spring Creek. The Amended DA does not address the risk of pollution to Spring Creek arising from the washing of coal, grease or oil into Spring Creek.
2. The Amended DA contains no detail on the location or design of water quality control devices presumably required within the Nikko Road, adjacent to the coal loading infrastructure, to ensure any stormwater or other run-off generated with the development (e.g. dust suppressant system) does not impact on nearby waterways.

Further Considerations

*It is ridiculous to place a coal mine in such a populated
area adjacent to a creek which runs into Tuggerah Lake,
especially with infrastructure in the area dramatically increasing
and population on the rise. This mine should not go ahead.*

Yours sincerely

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