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Dear Sir

OBJECTION TO ROCKY HILL COAL PROJECT – DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION SSD-5156

I write to lodge my objection to this project.

I live in Barrington village, approximately 8 kilometres from the proposed mine. Consequently I know I will not be impacted upon by the lights of the mine. However I know that coal dust is an insidious and toxic substance and that it is not possible to contain the coal dust to the site. It will be hazardous for all residents in Gloucester.

The noise from the mine will also impact on the entire township with blasting.

Rocky Hill Coal Project should not proceed. It is outrageous for any coal mine to be located so close to a town and residential areas.

I have not written letters of this kind before but am so horrified about this project that I had to lodge my objection.

I have not supported any political party or individual with any financial or other contributions.

Sincerely

Barbara Erpel (Mrs)