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I OPPOSE THE ROCKY HILL COAL PROJECT

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Scanning Room

To whom it may concern,

In reference to the ROCKY HILL COAL PROJECT – Application No.SSD5156 This letter is written to oppose the Rocky Hill Coal project. I have not made a reportable political donation of any kind.

One of the reasons we chose to build in Gloucester is because we have a son with Neutropenia and the clear country air is a good thing for all of us.

We are horrified to hear of the plans for an open cut coal mine so close to the town and very concerned that the close distance and impact of prevailing winds has not been adequately considered in terms of the health impact of those in the town of Gloucester.

The impact on my immunosuppressed son is likely to be significant; we also have elderly relatives who visit with us. Our home in the country has been a haven and I believe you are damaging the environment with little concern for those who have chosen to reside and invest into the community life of the town.

Please reconsider this venture for the sake of those who life in Gloucester and those who visit this beautiful part of the world.

Yours sincerely