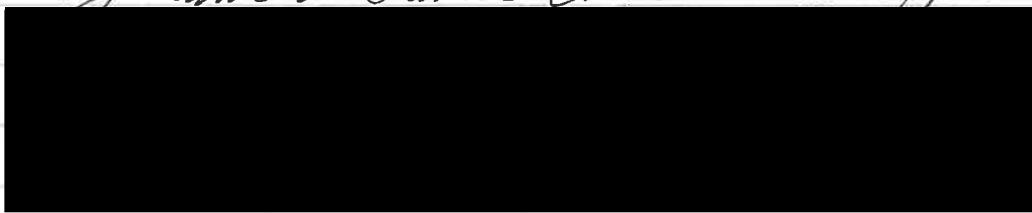


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To the Director - Resource Assessments

My name is Janette Christina Burford my



I am writing to you in the hope to bring some sanity to bear by voicing my opposition to the Rocky Hill Coal Project - application no. SSD 5156 (you may publish my name.)

I have not made a reportable political donation. the reasons for my opposition are as follows:-

1. The devastation that will be caused to a truly beautiful area.
2. The adverse effect this will have on the health of the community because of its proximity to the village of Gloucester.
3. The negative effect it will have on tourism to the area.
4. Farming cannot help but be effected adversely.
5. The impact of night lighting for those living nearby.
6. The noise from increased traffic on Jack's Road.
7. Pollution caused from fumes emitted by diesel engines as coal trucks travel from Rocky Hill to Stratford mine, one every six minutes

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7. is a huge pollution problem along with the associated coal dust and excavation dust created in the mining process.
8. Probably the most important consideration is, if climate change is indeed a fact, what are we, as a nation, doing mining coal and adding to this serious problem? We should be setting some sort of real example and doing as much as possible to develop alternative energy.

You can't eat money, and if all predictions are true, water and food will be a world wide issue in the not too distant future, not to mention quality of life.

Let's not trash our beautiful country, look at other countries that have devastated the landscape for the almighty dollar, once you spend it, it is gone forever, and you can't put nature back together again.



Jennifer Christina Burford