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As a local resident of Towrang area, I hereby submit this letter of concern with regard to further developments in production by Gunlake Quarry.

As a construction worker with a lifetime of experience in heavy earthmoving machinery in the mining and quarry industry, I have no wish to see this industry cease operations. I am well aware of the benefits such as employments and spin off industry employment.

My concern relates to noise and transportation effects.

Regarding noise: When the plant is crushing, the rumbling can be heard for a considerable radius. Increasing operations to 24 hours will be very disturbing. The obvious solution is to enclose the crusher.

As I live in Towrang village, and travel on the local roads, I would be adversely impacted by the increased truck movements. As the previous EIS of 07-0074 involved 440 trips per day, which is huge, I am shocked at the prospect of up to 690 truck trips per day.

This would be a massive disruption to the local environment and the traffic on the Hume Highway.

I would like to see the rail option explored seriously.

Yours faithfully

Roland A. Mcintosh.