12 Dec. 2013

Dear Sir/Madam – NSW Dept. of Planning

## RE: Woolgoolga to Ballina Pacific Hwy Upgrade – Section 10

My husband & I would like to express our deep concern that the proposed by-pass through the Blackwall Range will destroy a significant amount of habitat that our endangered Koala population use and need. It will also significantly impact on the habitat of other endangered fauna.

We urge you to consider this fact and protect one of Australia's most iconic species as well as ensuring that our children & grandchildren will also be able to see & know that this region still has 'wild' koalas.

Please use another route through areas that have already been degraded.

Yours truly

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