

Peter & Maxine Rose
440 Medway Rd
Medway NSW 2577

28/6/2017

Submission in Opposition to the Proposed Mine by Hume Coal located in Medway NSW

Occupants of the above property

Peter Rose (aged 52)

Maxine Rose (aged 49)

Sam Rose (aged 19)

Molly Rose (aged 16)

Ted Rose (aged 85)

Enid Rose (aged 85)

This submission is being lodged by Peter Rose on behalf of the other 5 residents that reside at the above property.

Those stated above would like to make it known of their stern opposition to the construction and operation of Hume Coal's proposed coal mine in Medway NSW.

Our place of residence is of 5 acres at 440 Medway Road Medway approx. 2km from the site of the proposed mine. We have resided here for the past 20 years and have been able to raise our children in an idealic rural setting. Currently 3 generations of our family reside on this property.

The following is a list of reasons for our opposition (in no particular order).

Noise Pollution – the noise that will be created from the construction and operation phases will be considerable and we have been advised will be in the 115 to 125 db range.

Air Pollution – this area is prone to intense and prolonged periods of high wind which will only result in the transport of coal dust aerially to both Medway Village and Berrima Village. The resultant health issues are of a major concern.

Visual Pollution – the area of which the mine is proposed is some of the most visually appealing countryside in NSW and beyond. To place a coal mine in this area will destroy that for present & future generations.

Decrease in Property Values – there will be a reduction in property values in particular along Medway Road and the Village of Medway.

I hope that the above is taken into consideration when the final decision is to be made. The community of the Village of Medway may be small but it is a very close knit community containing a very broad age range and diverse backgrounds.

Yours Sincerely,
Peter Rose