

**From:** Sharon Willis  
**To:** [Gen Seed](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Brandy hill quarry  
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RE: Hanson response to Submissions for the Brandy Hill Quarry Expansion Project  
Major Application No: 5899

Dear Genevieve

In response to the recent Hanson Report prepared by R.W. Corkery PTY Limited, I do not believe that our concerns regarding the quality of life short term and long term has been adequately addressed.

This area is identified by local resident's as being extremely rich in wildlife and this unique feature of the area should be seriously protected. As a Vet Nurse, I am hugely concerned for the animals and the diverse bird life and extensive population numbers in this area.

Koalas are regularly sighted and heard. There is even video footage of one crossing croft last Christmas (Dec 2017). There are many wallabies along Croft Rd the Hanson Quarry boundary in which I see daily.

Water quality is of a significant concern for me as we rely on tank water only. In fact everyone in Giles Rd Seaham including Butterwick all collect our water from our roofs to drink, bathe, do our laundry, for kitchen water use ie dish washer, washing up etc. I see no response from Hanson in this report addressing or ensuring that the water quality will be protected with including cement industry activities. Hanson BHQ management do not seem to be concerned currently about my water quality and health with inadequate testing or evidence.

Will the quarry supply thousands of dollars in fresh water to us all in Giles ???? NO. Already there is structural damage to houses, sheds or anything on a slab. Our dams already leak enough and by extending the blasting and vibration will only increase the damage.

Carcinogenic dust causing lung disease for the young + elderly residents and our livestock, equine which there is already a significant amount of in the area inclusive of household pets.

The amount of noise generated from the quarry currently will only increase and although I can tolerate it somewhat now, any further increase will be completely unsatisfactory. I completely object to any licensing enabling Hanson Quarry or Cement processing activities to occur within the scope of 24/7.

Please also note my objection to the proposed submission to import cement or bitumen, stockpile, batch, crush, recycle cement or bitumen in any way.

I am concerned that Heidleburg Hanson intend to close their concrete plant in Raymond Terrace and move it to BHQ site.

The noise level from Trucks on Clarence Town Rd currently doesn't affect us to drastically, however an increase in numbers will make it intolerable. I do not want to hear trucks all night and please respect that I moved all the way out here from Sydney to have a more peaceful country life.

Yours Sincerely

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