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Living in the pristine Southern Highlands was a deliberate choice for our family to avoid pollution and live a greener life for our children.

This recycling facility is placed in the most appalling location. No recycling company has ever been able to avoid releasing significant microplastics into the environment. This company is no different. The environmental degradation this will have on the Southern Highlands is a time bomb, with the effects of this many microplastics being released into the air impacting thousands of lives of children and the elderly. The air flow of the prevailing winds will pass these microplastics over multiple schools and residential areas- poisoning them for generations. The health implications of microplastics are well known and the research is continuing to highlight major health implications. Please avoid placing a facility like this anywhere near built up areas. There are literally thousands of locations that would be better for this facility. I urge you strongly to reject this facility in its entirety in the Southern Highlands or you will have blood on your hands. That of our children and our parents. Do not destroy the natural beauty of the Southern Highlands. A few jobs at the cost of thousands of lives is not worth it.