

From: [Miriam Adams-Schimminger](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Destruction of heritage: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 11:59:59 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

As well as the environmental impacts, the destruction of the Mackellar family's homestead where the classic Australian poem My Country was written would be a very sad loss.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek toxic death rock mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another toxic death rock mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry toxic death rock mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Miriam Adams-Schimminger

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From: [Julie Lincoln](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 7:46:56 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Stop this madness!

Where will this all end? When we have no water except bottled water?

Reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Julie Lincoln

Udora Rd, Warren NSW 2824, Australia

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From: [Rod Kater](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 6:03:27 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rod Kater

36 Whites Road

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From: [Sally Newham](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 5:52:19 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am a resident of NE NSW, yet I stand with the people of the Northwest. I know that the impacts they are facing from mining in their country could have been similar to those we would have experienced here, if our community had not resisted when CSG threatened us at Bentley. I have seen the devastating impacts on land and community in the Hunter Valley, also, from coal mining, and I have heard of the dreadful effects on water in QLD where CSG is in place. These fossil fuel extractive industries are totally past their use-by date and are completely parasitic. They do nothing good for our country. They are killing it, from all I can see. They are killing agriculture and nature and the very climate that everyone on this planet is reliant on to survive. Therefore, I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptably destructive impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times. How is this acceptable?

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk. Is nothing sacred any more?

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sally Newham

284 Quilty Rd, Rock Valley NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Pamela Dawes](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 5:47:26 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

We, as Australian residents, increasingly must rely on our own food and water security, due to the nationally isolating effects of Covid 19 and increasing tensions in the Asia area.

We, as Australian residents, must do our utmost to preserve our excellent food producing farmlands and our precious, clean, unpolluted water supply which has been proven to be worth more than Gold.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine.

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From: [judy.ebner](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 4:33:30 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

judy ebner

Bronte Rd, Waverley NSW 2024, Australia

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From: [Vacy Vlazna](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 4:29:59 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Vacy Vlazna

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From: [Patrick Sloan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 4:28:36 PM

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I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Patrick Sloan

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From: [Viv Armitage](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 4:21:30 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I write to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Viv Armitage

245 Ridge Road, Cooks Gap NSW, Australia

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From: [Stuart Crossman](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 2:40:41 PM

Dear Commissioners,

Many objectors are far more knowledgeable than myself regarding the environmental & economic reasons to reject this project.

On a personal note, I strongly believe that fossil fuels have past their 'use by date' & that we need to transition to renewable alternatives as soon as possible to ensure a just future for our Grandchildren.

That said, & having watched the two day online public hearing last week, I simply want to take this opportunity to implore you to back the heart-wrenching requests of our Boggabri Farming Community to reject this horrendous proposal.

They are surely the ones with the most personal 'skin in the game' in this matter &, therefore, by far the most to lose. You witnessed the anguish & tears of fellow Australians, & that alone should be enough reason to reject this project

Sincerely,

Stuart Crossman
16 Normanhurst Rd,
Normanhurst NSW 2076

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From: [Ifeanna Tooth](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 1:08:46 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. Having been a tourist to this area I find the idea of an extension with more destruction of natural and agricultural land and water resources in a time when dangerous climate change from burning coal is already occurring and costing our economy dearly.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Ifeanna Tooth

108 Jersey Rd, Paddington NSW 2021, Australia

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From: [Kerry Davidson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 12:49:40 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I would liked to have used my own words, but I can't do better than this. I have a friend in Boggabri, so I have seen first hand the impact the mines are having up there. While it is a financial benefit at the moment, at what cost?

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kerry Davidson

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From: [Evelina Caffrey](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 9:51:41 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Yours sincerely,

Evelina Caffrey

Nesca Parade, The Hill NSW 2300, Australia

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From: [Darren Butler](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 9:03:28 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Frankly, it almost seems absurd to have to appeal to an independent commission to try and prevent the massive expansion of coal and gas interests. In a world where we are very aware of the environmental impacts of humanity until this point, the idea of increasing coal and gas production in Australia seems immoral and unethical.

We are already amongst the worlds largest exporters of fossil fuels and the benefits of this sovereign wealth are shared by a very few people. The damage created, however, will last for millennia and potentially affect millions or even billions of people into the future of our species. Cultures and historical landmarks tens of thousands of years old are already being destroyed and manipulated.

This desire for short term gain of corporations and governments must be seriously reviewed. We are a species that could survive for millions of years into the future yet many of our leaders and decision makers seem unable to make choices which are in the interests of the majority. The actual and potential damage to water systems in Australia is real, literally poisoning our life blood. How can this be an acceptable risk at any level. Without water, everything dies. Quite simple really but complicated by scam environmental reports and language of obfuscation.

Please, I implore the commission, stop expanding the interests of coal and gas projects. Plainly, humanity's energy needs into the future are not going to be met by fossil fuels, we know irrefutably, that is unsustainable. Let us make a stand and protect what we have, reduce our massive contribution to the warming atmosphere and invest in an energy future that is full of potential for massive employment and wealth creation.

Thank you for taking the time to read my submission
Darren Butler

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From: [Linda Wills](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 8:53:17 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Today I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Unacceptable impacts on the local farming community will occur if this mine goes ahead affecting the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Linda Wills

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From: [Chandricka Pasupati](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 8:39:08 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,
Chandricka Pasupati
6 Reading Ave, Kings Langley NSW 2147, Australia

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From: [Phillip Matthews](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 8:24:12 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Phillip Matthews

Narrabri NSW

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From: [William Douglas](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project. Climate change is real and farmers need water.
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 10:23:53 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

William Douglas

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From: [Peter Coughlan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Wednesday, 8 July 2020 9:28:30 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Acknowledge the rest of this email is a standard form. I simply want to add that for the IPC to add its name to the sad list of bodies signing off on this project. Doing so will be damning the IPC and its members to the wrong side of history - on multiple commercial, governance, social and environmental grounds that are patently obvious to the wider community. Please do not allow yourselves to fall to the lure of very short term \$ - because that is the only possible reason to justify approval.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [Charity Haynes](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 10:40:18 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Charity Haynes

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From: [Jenny Forster](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 10:33:06 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

As I grew up in the Hunter Valley I have seen the shocking impacts modern mining has made on my once green valley.

The complete destruction of nearby Bulga for instance. The scarring of the landscape, the use of precious aquifer water in the driest continent on earth and the detrimental health effects on children living nearby are intolerable. The mental health effects on farmers and townsfolk mean this project must not go ahead to extract gas for a short term solution and a further heating of the planet from methane and other gases.

We want and deserve, fresh air, clean water and decent health.

We do not want to live in a quarry.

Please reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jenny Forster

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From: [Abigail Humphreys](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 10:02:39 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If we are to achieve world temperatures below 1.5* we must stop all extraction of fossil fuels, we have a very limited time frame to achieve this and we are fast approaching the tipping point, in fact some scientists suggest we might have passed this tipping point where irreversible damage has already occurred.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Abigail Humphreys

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From: [Debbie Davis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 8:47:43 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Debbie Davis

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From: [Anne Lanyon](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 7:46:22 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. I am not a local of the area, but am a concerned citizen of NSW who cares about water conservation and sustainable agriculture for the future of our state, our country and the planet.

Sustainable agriculture is vital for the ongoing future of Australia and this part of NSW is crucial for food sovereignty as highlighted by the COVID 19 pandemic. If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community and the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley. Water is the key to all this and must not be used for coal mining in favour of food and the vital ecosystems which rely on water now and into the future.

I understand the Boggabri district communities have been deeply impacted already from the number of farms impacted by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. I understand Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district. This is not healthy for long term sustainability of local communities.

I understand that at least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

Regarding the issue of proposed water usage by this mine, the Department of Planning has acknowledged I believe that the proposed new Vickery mine itself might run out of water in dry times.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Anne Lanyon

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From: [Diane Moore](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 7:00:57 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Diane Moore

George Pearse Pl, East Ballina NSW 2478, Australia

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From: [Richard Grant](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 5:46:15 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Richard Grant

Moonabung Rd, Vacy NSW 2421, Australia

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From: [Jackie Radisich](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 4:14:25 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [FIONA OSBORN](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 4:08:04 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

FIONA OSBORN

208 Pacific Hwy, Hornsby NSW 2077, Australia

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From: [Frederick Stark](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 3:04:10 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Frederick S

83 Darling St, Glebe NSW 2037, Australia

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From: [Patricia Gemmell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 3:00:54 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

After looking at the proposal for the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri, I would like to make a submission in opposition to it being approved.

Those most closely affected are best able to argue the negative effects on their community and I will not repeat them, even though I am dismayed at the thought of a rural community and its long and rich cultural heritage being destroyed – the likely outcome of another coal mine in the Namoi Valley.

My greatest concern right now and the reason I am writing this submission is climate change. All the scientific evidence tells us that we are on the brink of a monumental global disaster and we need to stop mining and burning fossil fuels. We do not need another coal mine. On the figures that I have seen, it is estimated that this mine would create 388.12 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions.

We know that already climate change is affecting our country with bushfires the like of which we have never seen. We know that many of the extreme weather events that we have experienced recently are also caused by global warming. Surely we have a responsibility to stop new coal mines being built?

All the evidence is publicly available to show that we could, in this country, derive nearly all of our energy from wind, solar and hydro. All we need is the political will to do so. We do not need to burn coal in Australia, and we do not need to export it – we are capable of producing clean energy and exporting that instead.

If Covid-19 has taught us anything at all, it is the importance of local communities and the importance of producing our own food. Both of these precious commodities are threatened by the proposed Vickery coal mine. Let's leave our precious agricultural land and our water alone, not only for our sake but that of our children and grandchildren.

Yours sincerely,

Patricia Gemmell

9 Glenmore St, Naremburn NSW 2065, Australia

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From: [Hilary Green](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 2:23:15 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Hilary Green

4 Barossa Pl, Mona Vale NSW 2103, Australia

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From: [Gary Patch](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 1:38:16 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine, We love our country Australia and want something worthwhile to pass onto future generations. Take our water and you rob us of any future farm land and viable liveable land at all. I object to any further mining anywhere in Australia. You are raping our soil

and our waterways of a future.

Yours sincerely,

Gary Patch

81 Boatharbour Rd Boatharbour

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From: [Kathy Patch](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 1:27:52 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Kathy Patch

81 Boatharbour RD

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From: [Andrya Hart](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 10:47:30 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Andrya Hart

The Channon Rd, The Channon NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Wayne Chaffey](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 9:46:01 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Wayne Chaffey

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From: [andrea mcgowan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 9:11:44 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

andrea mcgowan

111 Golden Four Dr, Bilinga QLD 4225, Australia

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From: [Gilbert King](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 8:00:44 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Gilbert King

Huntley St, Watsonia North VIC 3087, Australia

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From: [Winnie Fu](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 11:24:31 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I ask you to consider the intergenerational consequences of this mine, especially regarding water, co2 emission, and effect on cultural heritage.

The mine's effect on local groundwater and surface water can further affect the stressed ecology of surrounding areas and push vulnerable waterway species downstream to extinction. Furthermore, any change in hydrology due to this mine is permanent. Consider the fact this mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government. This is the legacy this mine will leave.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Also consider that the project will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at further risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires. To avert catastrophic collapse of humanity as we know it we need to keep to 2°, if not 1.5°C and this means no new mines, which this project effectively is, with its scale of expansion.

Our cultural heritage is also at risk; the mine's infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Winnie Fu

12/3-5 Houston road Kensington 2033

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From: [Leah Elborn](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Whitehaven's Vickery Extension Project
Date: Tuesday, 7 July 2020 8:31:53 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to let you know that as an Australian government tax payer and Australian I have the right to refuse coal mining to the extent that there is in this country. As such I am asking that you reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The impacts that this mine will have on the farming, agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley will be utterly devastating and cause irreversible damage.

Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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I am tired of my Homeland being used and abused so corporations and governments reap profits.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [Alberta Gray](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: I OBJECT to the Narrabri Gas Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 3:02:30 PM

Dear Independent Planning Commission,

You can include my name and submission on your website.

This is a submission on the Narrabri Gas Project.

I object to the proposed Narrabri Gas Project due to its dangerous environmental, heritage, social and economic impacts.

My name is Alberta and I am making this submission because I care about the environment and its life supporting properties. The Pilliga, its surrounding farmland and water are fundamental parts of a delicate ecosystem that supports life and delivers fresh water to the Great Artesian Basin. It is unacceptable to put these things in danger by plundering 850 coal seam gas (CSG) wells through the recharge zone of the Great Artesian Basin in the precious Pilliga forest.

As you know, there are several negative impacts associated with the extraction of coal seam gas. These include encroachment on good farming land, disruption of other land uses and industries, clearing of bushland, air pollution, contamination or depletion of ground or surface water, pollution of waterways, health impacts on workers and nearby residents, and damage to biodiversity. (source lockthegate.org.au)

The process of hydraulic fracturing or fracking also poses unacceptable risks in terms of contamination of water supplies and increased seismic activity associated with the drilling process.

Due to the above reasons I strongly object to the Narrabri Gas Project. Thank you for the opportunity to comment. I look forward to hearing from you in regards to this submission.

Yours sincerely,
Alberta Gray
Northcote South, Victoria, 3070, Australia

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From: [Helene Wild](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: I OBJECT to the Narrabri Gas Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 5:58:24 PM

Dear Independent Planning Commission,

You can include my name and submission on your website.

This is a submission on the Narrabri Gas Project.

I object to the proposed Narrabri Gas Project due to its significant environmental, heritage, social and economic impacts.

The Pilliga forest, surrounding farmland and water are important to me as an Australian and as a Citizen of the World. In addition, any further risks to our climate are unacceptable. As a parent and a grandparent, my biggest concern in life is the protection of the Natural environment for our future citizens.

From personal observations, and from scientific studies, I believe there is ample evidence that convinces me that this project is likely to cause irreversible harm & significant loss of threatened species.

Due to the above reasons I strongly object to the Narrabri Gas Project. Thank you for the opportunity to comment. I look forward to hearing from you in regards to this submission.

Yours sincerely,
Helen Wild
Tranmere North, South Australia, 5073, Australia

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From: [Penelope Milson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: I strongly Oppose the Vickery Coal Mine Extension
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 2:02:55 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am deeply concerned about the proposal by company Whitehaven to expand its coal mining operations in the Boggabri region. This is extremely valuable agricultural land and the home to iconic native species like the koala. Climate change is well and truly upon us and the time has passed to put profits and jobs before our water, our rich farmlands, the mental and physical health of communities and our native species.

It's quite simple - We cannot spare the water !! Climate change is making water so much more scarce - we need it for food production and natural ecosystems ! Not washing coal !

I beg you to REJECT the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley and the safe climate that we rely on and are watching disappear!

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water depleting coal mine.

Please also consider the other negative impacts of the mine including the risk to historical and treasured sites like the home of Dorothea Mackellar.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Penelope Milson

24 Leven Ave, East Tamworth NSW 2340, Australia

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From: [Anne Hymas](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 10:16:52 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Anne Hymas

Avalon Beach NSW

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From: [john boose](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 10:08:06 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

John boose

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From: [george.mercier](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 8:26:13 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

george mercier

Birrell St, Bondi Junction NSW 2022, Australia

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From: [Sandra Heuston](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 8:21:16 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Coal is an unsustainable fossil fuel. Australia is one of the world's largest producers and exporters of coal. This also makes Australia responsible for a significant portion of the world's greenhouse gas emissions which contribute to climate change.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sandra Heuston

387 Ridgewood Rd, Rosebank NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [li.li.l](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 7:41:13 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

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From: [Carole Baker](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 6:14:16 PM

The Independent Planning Commission,

I strongly urge you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I am worried, no, frightened, that if you give approval for this mine, it will have totally catastrophic and unacceptable impacts on the the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, and not to forget, the impact on the local farming families.

The Boggabri district is is facing economic decimation by the takeover/purchase or so many local farms.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, This farming community cannot survive another coal mine in the region.

The Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times. this would be catastrophic. The driest continent on the planet, that is Australia, cannot be further compromised by this mine which uses so much scarce water. Surely you can see this?

The proposed mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

This is reason enough to refuse this mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

Most importantly,

1. It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires. ALL AUSTRALIANS. That means you and your families, too.

2. Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. 300 metres....what a disgusting proposal. These miners know the cost of everything and the value of nothing.

Please show that you know the value of this Country. Do not contribute to the destruction of our land, I beg you.

I am counting on you to do the right thing.

Carole Baker

Apartment 2, 96 High Street, North Sydney 2060 NSW

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From: [Justine Humphry](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 5:41:31 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Justine Humphry

8 Spencer St, Summer Hill NSW 2130, Australia

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From: [Maneesha Todd](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 5:31:38 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon. Many local residents do not support the mine going ahead and their fears are already being realised. At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently, hollowing out the township, affecting local businesses and damaging the social fabric. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times. The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Maneesha Todd

North Wollongong NSW 2500, Australia

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From: [Joanne Joy](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 4:45:33 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have UNACCEPTABLE IMPACTS on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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The impacts on water will be SEVERE! Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of MINE WASTE on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Joanne Joy

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From: [John Tonkin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 4:14:18 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I was born in Kurri Kurri in 1952. In the time since we have witnessed the wholesale destruction of much of the lower Hunter Valley for the sole purpose of making mining company shareholders wealthy. We, the people who own the land and who are accountable for its use and maintenance, have succumbed to the might of the huge multinationals and the weakness of politicians to allow this to happen.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

John Tonkin

51 Evans Rd, Glenhaven NSW 2156, Australia

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From: [Margaret Louise](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 3:49:42 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Margaret Louise

31 Pound St, Lismore NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Margie Figtree](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 3:44:39 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Margie Figtree

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From: [Devleena Ghosh](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 2:30:59 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Devleena Ghosh

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From: [James Guider](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 2:14:35 PM

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If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon. This is not just about Boggabri but the whole Agricultural food and fibre bowl of North Western NSW Plains as any more attacks on the trees, plants and grass, which form the rain attractant system and watershed for both above ground and below ground water is negative for the future on the driest continent on earth. Maules Creek forest, important rain attractant and watershed is already decimated and our children's and grandchildren's future cannot afford the risk.

A Resource's Management Protection Act: Water, Air, Land, Eco Systems, like New Zealand introduced in 1991 would see our volatile Agricultural Food and Water Security protected, with sensible guidelines for resource extraction, in an age of growing population and high food demands. Australia needs to protect it's export food position.

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Yours sincerely,

James Guider

7 Ogden St. Willow Tree 2339

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From: [Vanessa Bennett](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 2:00:26 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Please listen to the objections to coal mining. We can no longer pretend life on planet earth is sustainable if we keep burning coal. We must find alternatives NOW. Do you want to be held responsible for not doing anything to stop this destruction. Currently the world is trying to protect life from COVID19 but we are destroying life by continuing to mine and burn coal.

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Yours sincerely,

Vanessa Bennett

Mulvena Rd, Larnook NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Yvonne Eade](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 12:54:02 PM

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Yvonne Eade

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From: [Sheila Masters](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 12:47:00 PM

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Sheila Masters

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From: [Janice Duncan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 12:43:04 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Janice Duncan

100 Ferris St, Annandale NSW 2038, Australia

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From: [Charmian Beabout](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 12:20:32 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Charmian Beabout

Turner St, Windsor QLD 4030, Australia

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From: [Christine France](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 12:01:08 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Christine France

229 Springs Rd, Kulnura NSW 2250, Australia

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From: [colin swain](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 11:49:57 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

colin swain

10 Turana Cl, Umina Beach NSW 2257, Australia

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From: [Peter Sanders](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 11:14:24 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Peter Sanders

"Bomera Station", 8063 Black Stump Way, Tambar Springs. NSW

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From: [William Nunn](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 9:50:03 AM

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William Nunn

161 Veterans Parade, Narrabeen NSW 2101, Australia

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From: [Francesca Smith](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 9:10:49 AM

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Francesca Smith

85 Riverside Drive

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From: [Ingrid Cattley](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 9:01:54 AM

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Ingrid Cattley

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From: [Kathryn Litchfield](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 8:53:04 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kathryn Litchfield

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From: [Greg Spencer](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 8:32:40 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Greg Spencer

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From: [Holly Hudson Barton](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 10:42:55 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Holly Hudson Barton

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From: [Nigel Rice](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Strong Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Monday, 6 July 2020 5:35:42 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to plead with you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. We are in a climate change crisis emergency - but more of that later after outlining the negative local impacts.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Other than the major and significant impacts on the local community there is an even bigger picture here - one of our very survival.

The planet earth is in climate crisis. Globally millions have died from drought, flood, crop failures, dust storms, fires, extreme temperatures and severe weather events. It has cost trillions in terms of money and lost livelihoods as well as immeasurable misery.

Unless we immediately draw a line in the sand and stop all fossil fuels humanity is doomed. That is crystal clear and known for decades. Record upon record are being broken constantly and scientists are dismayed and shocked at the rate of the impacts of climate change especially in the Arctic (which is both melting and on fire) as well as the Antarctic which is melting. Ocean acidification from absorption of excessive atmospheric carbon is destroying corals, as well as many human food sources such as oysters, scallops, prawns and shrimp. They die as their shells dissolve.

The most ridiculous element in all of this is the fact that clean (which eliminates nuclear) renewable energies are already substantially cheaper to both develop and run than fossil fuels. And the rate of new developments and technologies is incredible. Something many other countries are embracing. Technologies such as solar, wind, thermal, tidal, wave, and hydrogen.

The shut down of many countries due to covid 19 clearly demonstrates that nature can heal if given an opportunity. But only up until a certain point. Science is clear that the earth has about 10 years left to before climate change is will have progressed so far that it is irreversible and unstoppable. This means to have completely divested from a carbon based economy as well as having stopped deforestation and cleaned up the toxic messes that humans have created including plastics as well as agricultural products and methods including artificial pesticides herbicides and fertilisers.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Nigel Rice

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From: [David Gravina](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Categorical objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 9:10:58 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to implore you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

David Gravina

140 Hall St, Bondi Beach NSW 2026, Australia

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From: [Jodie Storer](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: I do not support the Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 9:13:44 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am a resident of the Central West of NSW about 150kms from this project but that doesn't really matter, this isn't about one person's ideas. Please make the decision to do what a majority of Australians now want - for us to move toward clean and sustainable fuels.

Bar none, our climate and our water are THE two most valuable resources we have to protect to continue to survive. Dirty mining is destroying those resources now and will continue to unless YOU decide otherwise. I am one of the many that would be willing to pay more for clean energy even if it went straight to fossil fuel miners to phase out production - THAT is how important I believe this issue is.

We the People of Australia have been polled more than 70% of us want cleaner energy. Our continued lazy, short-sighted approvals for "dirty" energy means Australia is MORE damaging to our planet than the large polluters we point the finger at; we are usually WORLD LEADERS in science and innovation and looked up to by other countries? Yet here we are, huge per capita emitters, we sell the raw materials to enable the big emitters to emit and yet we have the brains, the facilities and the public support to move to technology that is environmentally, socially and economically profitable.

I request you to please consider the points I make in this submission.

Thank you.
Jodie Storer

Yours sincerely,
Jodie Storer

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From: [Emma Rooksby](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: I OBJECT to the Narrabri Gas Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 10:04:47 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I object to the proposed Narrabri Gas Project due to its significant environmental, heritage, social and economic impacts. I can't believe this project would be approved based on its climate impacts alone.

Due to the above reasons I strongly object to the Narrabri Gas Project. Thank you for the opportunity to comment. I look forward to hearing from you in regards to this submission.

Yours sincerely,
Emma Rooksby
Mount Pleasant, New South Wales, 2519, Australia

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From: [Miranda Mills](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: I strongly object to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 12:25:30 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. The resulting loss of jobs will not be compensated by the few mining jobs allegedly created by Whitehaven. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Miranda Mills

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From: [John Boyle](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: I strongly object to Whitehaven's Vickery Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 12:41:04 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I strongly oppose Whitehaven's Coals Vickery mine Extension project

Should this environment and human life and health destroying mine, together with its avarice demands for scarce water resources proceed, then it will have undesirable and unacceptable impacts on human life, the landscape and the local environment, and a local water resources whilst disrupting the local farming community, many of whom are likely to retire from farming, and the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the climate, as the air is supercharged with dust particles.

The local Boggabri area is already unravelling from the large loss of population due to the enormous number of farms that have been purchased Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Moreover, Whitehaven has acquired an enormous area of land and number of freehold titles in the district.

Many family farms have been purchased, with many leaving the region permanently. Moreover, the farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning concurs that the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave an enormous mountain of tailings on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which would likely result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

It will also leave enormous voids behind and Whitehaven must be responsible for all remediation costs, with money held in trust from the outset for this specific purpose.

We mustn't risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

The Mine infrastructure will encroach upon historic the homestead, where dust and blasting shocks will put the

homestead at great risk.

Furthermore, If built this mine will add millions of tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, thus putting all of us at risk of more unprecedented wildfires and extreme weather events.

Coal is the past! Renewables are our future. Don't they ever learn?

Yours sincerely,

John Boyle

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From: [Annie Hawker](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: My Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:09:40 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Annie Hawker

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From: jeffsheard@mac.com
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: NSW
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:34:45 PM

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to make a submission on the Narrabri Gas Project.

I am happy for my name and submission to be included on your website.

I object to the proposed Narrabri Gas Project and ask the Independent Planning Commission to reject this project. My concerns are listed below.

Climate impact

If we are to have any hope of keeping global warming below 2°C we must keep gas in the ground.

This gas field will release at least 94.2 million tonnes of potent climate pollution during mining and when the gas is burned for energy, and fugitive methane emissions are likely to be underestimated.

Existing coal and gas fields will push the world past globally agreed temperature goals. There is no room, or need, for more. The rapid development of battery storage technology makes renewable energy sources backed by batteries a cheaper, cleaner option than developing more gas.

New gas production is an unnecessary and dangerous step in Australia's efforts to tackle climate change. Australia is highly vulnerable to climate change impacts like bushfires, drought and extreme heat. More gas extraction increases our exposure to climate risks.

Threatened species

This project will endanger koalas and two rare and iconic bird species - the swift parrot and the regent honeyeater.

The swift parrot is critically endangered. The total swift parrot population is estimated to be no more than 1000 pairs. Habitat loss is a contributing factor in the decline of this species.

The regent honeyeater has become an icon for birdwatchers in NSW. It is a threatened woodland species whose conservation will benefit a large suite of other threatened and declining woodland fauna.

There have been koala sightings in the Pilliga East State Forest. The Western Woodlands Alliance classifies that state forest as a priority area for koala conservation. Koala skulls have been discovered in the project area, further evidence of their presence.

Poison and deplete groundwater

Santos will remove 1.5 gigalitres of water per year by drilling 850 wells through the Pilliga sandstone aquifer (part of the Great Artesian Basin) and into the coal seams beneath.

This removal will depressurise the underground water sources, as well as threaten the recharge of the Great Artesian Basin that they feed.

This project will bring ancient, contaminated coal seam water to the surface.

The water from the coal seams has been in contact with coal for hundreds of thousands of years — perhaps longer — and has absorbed elements that could be harmful if they leak into the irrigation water in the aquifers. Extracted water from the coal seams may contaminate the Great Artesian Basin aquifer. Local communities rely on this supply for water for stock, domestic and irrigation purposes.

No need for more gas

Almost all gas produced in eastern Australia is exported via the LNG terminals at Gladstone. The small amount of expensively produced gas from the project will have negligible impact on domestic prices or supply.

In order to actually protect Australian businesses and households from gas supply shortages, governments should help them to get off gas by promoting electrification, such as heat pumps for hot water, reverse-cycle air conditioning for space heating and induction cooktops.

For these reasons I strongly object to the Narrabri Gas Project. Thank you for the opportunity to comment. I look forward to hearing from you in regards to this submission.

Yours Sincerely,

Jeff Sheard
Post code 2085

From: [Kate Armstrong](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 6:42:25 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Thank you for the opportunity to make this submission. I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

As we have been observing over the last months through bushfires and the pandemic, strong communities are essential in holding the nation together. If this mine goes ahead, it will have massive destabilising impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon and is so terribly threatened by our excessive use of fossil fuels.

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Water is a major life-support system, not only for humans but for all flora and fauna. We **MUST** preserve what we have and use it wisely. The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times - and climate change will bring more frequent and severe droughts in the future.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Climate change is already producing a strongly negative impact on agriculture and the environment across Australia particularly through drought and fires. This will only get worse over coming years. The need to transition away from fossil fuels and into renewables is **URGENT**. Allowing any expansion of coal and gas mines, is shooting ourselves in the foot. We **MUST** be more insightful, think long-term and put a stop to fossil fuels.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kate Armstrong

21 Kingslanglely Rd

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From: [Gillian Medbury](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 6:17:39 PM

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Gillian Medbury

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From: [Volker Pfannenberg](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 6:06:27 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

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From: [Sally Talati](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 6:01:31 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Boggabri has the heritage Kurrumbede homestead where Dorothea Mackellar wrote, "My Country", Australia's classic poem, I love a sun burnt country.

The mine will destroy the sweeping plains and rugged mountain ranges.

There is precious little water and it can't be spared to wash coal.

If rainfall exceeds 38mm over 5 days the mine is allowed to dump its polluted water into the Namoi river.

This will damage the farming community and destroy the Namoi river.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,
Sally Talati
149A Hunter St, Glen Innes NSW 2370, Australia

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From: [Jane Irwin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 5:31:30 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you, to beg you really, to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. I used to live in that beautiful part of the world, so it matters to me. It actually matters to all Australians.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community, providing food for Australia, will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times, while the surrounding farm areas will definitely run out of water in dry times!

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine. We need water for our lives, to drink, wash, grow, to feed our stock, water our plants and crops, give us life. What does the mine need water for....to wash coal!!! Coal that this world does not need.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires....putting the world at risk of dangerous warming levels.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine, please save our country!

Yours sincerely,

Jane Irwin

Unit 5/20 Hill St, Bundanoon NSW 2578, Australia

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From: [Julie Bennett](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 5:22:39 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Julie Bennett

4 Rock Bath Rd, Palm Beach NSW 2108, Australia

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From: [David Gibson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 5:20:59 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

David Gibson

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From: [Anurago Reichelt](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 3:23:56 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Anurago Reichelt

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From: [Marian van der Kroon](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 3:05:00 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Marian van der Kroon

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From: [pamela.batters](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 1:26:49 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

pamela batters

33 collins st annandale

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From: [Dereka Ogden](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 11:46:43 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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While we need some coal, the market isn't there for multiple new mines. What we do need is a stable climate and we can all live in.

It's insanity to keep pushing coal when there are the means to use newable energy including storage.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Dereka Ogden

1 Yeramba Pl, Tugun QLD 4224, Australia

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From: [Penny King](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 11:43:34 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [Margaret Hargans](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 11:33:07 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Margaret Hargans

PO Box 202 Bathurst 2795

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From: [Judith Gamper](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 10:55:40 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I do not live in the district of Boggabri but I am an Australian who is extremely concerned about the current and future state of our country.

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Judith Gamper

47 Hutchison Cres, Kambah ACT 2902, Australia

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From: [Julie Paterson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 10:55:14 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Julie Paterson

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From: [Jeanette Matchett](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 10:31:48 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

My Objection to the Vickery Extension Project is based on the lack of water in Australia for the expansion of the mining industry. We have towns and cities of humans, agricultural food & fibre production all short of water.

" WATER IS LIFE" for all living on earth. plants, small & large creatures. nothing survives without water.

Energy on the other hand can be created through many means.

Coal is just the one we have grown up with and are accustomed to.

Is this extra coal for us in Australia or are we wasting our water and destroying our farm land for our Gov'ts to meet global targets and mining company export contracts?

It is time to rethink?

In dry countries of the Middle East 1 litre of water is recycled 7 times, whilst here in Australia we flush 1st time water down our toilets.

Time the mining industry rethought their water use.

We humans need both energy & water but remember water is 1st, for without water there is no need for the energy.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jeanette Matchett

Nine Mile Rd, Garah NSW 2405, Australia

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From: [Peter Morris](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 5:46:51 AM

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Peter Morris

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From: [Patricia Davidson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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From: [michael hoile](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 9:24:59 PM

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Yours sincerely,

michael hoile

1 Pensford Ct, Camden Park SA 5038, Australia

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From: [Noela Yates](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Noela Yates

13 Virtue St, Girards Hill NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Sandra Kirby](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 7:35:21 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Sandra Kirby

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From: [phil warsop](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

phil wa

1385 Kalang Rd, Kalang NSW 2454, Australia

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From: [Lies Pajmans](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 6:03:50 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Lies Paijmans

11 Illoura St, Tathra NSW 2550, Australia

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From: [Lynne Sung](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 4:56:49 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Lynne Sung

Lonsdale St, Lilyfield NSW 2040, Australia

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From: [Nigel Smith](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Nigel Smith

Birch Ave Dubbo NSW

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From: [Sandra Reed](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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The days of fossil fuels are over! We are literally cooking the planet and have been for many years now. Fossil fuels are not only obsolete they are uneconomical. They create drought as well as waste and pollute water.. It is ludicrous to approve such archaic technology

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sandra Reed

Angorra Rd, Mount Nasura WA 6112, Australia

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From: [Ruth Lampe](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Ruth Lampe

7/361 Edgecliff road, Edgecliff

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From: [Jeni Pattison](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 3:37:58 PM

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Jeni Pattison

Lewisham

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From: [Martine Kalma](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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I have just extensively travelled throughout the Boggabri district. Much of the country still shows devastating signs of the drought of the last years. To risk the local water supplies any further is showing incredible ignorance and absolutely no foresight or long term planning insight.

The dust issues will be devastating and the waste piles full of materials which are now still safely buried but will surely become a big problem in the future.

In the current climate of changing conditions with ever more risks to the planet and all its inhabitants, extending coal mining operations are the most careless way of looking after this world and all who are dependent on it. We can do countless alternative things which provide enough energy to cleanly look after our earth.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Martine Kalma

Yours sincerely,

Martine Kalma

12 Cooper St, Dudley NSW 2290, Australia

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From: [Jan Richards](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 1:42:39 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [Juli Gassner](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 12:28:15 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Whitehaven's Vickery Project stands to be a massive coal mine in the productive farming district of Boggabri. I write to you in fear for the water supply in the North West of NSW and surrounds, for the farming community and of course for the land: the very rugged plains that Dorothea Mackellar wrote of – her estate being considered to be the future office of a coal mine. Something is sounding terribly wrong.

I understand that in these troubling times it is tempting to power business. However, immense care is required by you making decisions on behalf of this country, her fresh water supply, 25 million human inhabitants and billions of our other animal and plant friends. Please, please take care with your decision. Reject the proposal by Whitehaven for a 5th mine.

Whitehaven currently operates four mines across the north west, with Vickery to become its fifth if you approve it and allow it to be built. The Boggabri farming community has already felt the damage from these mines taking water and driving local farming families away. At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

To feed its thirst for water, Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine has already taken water illegally, outbid local farmers for water at auction and built pipelines from nearby farms to divert farming water for mining. Are you comfortable as ministers to continue and extend this licence. The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

With a new rail connection planned that will cross the Namoi River and its floodplain, once again further damage- which can never be repaired. A decision you can change.

So we simply cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.

- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Please allow yourselves to look beyond the profit bottom line. You are being entrusted with a decision on behalf of us all. Please take care with your words and choices.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Juli Gassner

115 Stewarts Rd, Clunes NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Stephen Lansdowne](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 11:34:45 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Stephen Lansdowne

15 Premier St, Marrickville NSW 2204, Australia

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From: [Craig Holford](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 11:08:28 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I am sick to death of these mining company's braking the laws in which their approvals to operate are agreed too. They have proved that they can not be trusted and do not deserve the right to have an extension approval.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [Judy Wade](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 10:33:07 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Judy Wade

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From: [Trish Miller](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 10:25:00 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Trish Miller

Lauderdale Ave, Fairlight NSW 2094, Australia

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From: [Catherine Poronnik](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 9:49:16 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

In these times of food insecurity, we need to support our farmers so they can continue to provide (preferably organic, environmentally sustainable) food for the people. We also need clean air, water to live. We need to invest in sustainable cleaner, green energy - areas that will provide a lot more jobs than the automated, robotised, humanless landscape that mining has become. We need to respect the land and identity of the indigenous custodians, for they hold knowlegde and wisdom of this earth better than anyone.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Catherine Poronnik

East Lindfield

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From: [Rachael Le Busque](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 9:18:04 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rachael Le Busque

80 Hillside Drive, Urunga NSW, Australia

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From: [Kim Miller](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 9:09:51 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

I may live in a city but I eat, I want to breathe fresh air, I want to know that our precious wildlife is thriving, we have enough water and the ecological diversity of our planet continues.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kim Miller

36 Holt Ave, North Wahroonga NSW 2076, Australia

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From: [Frank Ball](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 8:56:58 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Frank Ball

44 Cooloon Cres, Tweed Heads South NSW 2486, Australia

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From: [Erin Messenger](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 7:39:04 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Erin Messenger

1 Cordingley St, Yeppoon QLD 4703, Australia

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From: [Penelope Everingham](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 7:20:42 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Penelope Everingham

16 Ashley Ave, Farmborough Heights NSW 2526, Australia

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From: [ian keast](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 7:02:00 AM

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From: [Julia Tomkinson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 4:42:42 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

Julia Tomkinson

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From: [Julie Kolges](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 4:23:13 AM

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From: [Ian Freestone](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 1:38:36 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Ian Freestone

151 Carthage St, East Tamworth NSW 2340, Australia

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From: [Margaret Howden](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:23:06 PM

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Margaret Howden

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From: [Nazaré Castro Santos](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:57:09 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Nazaré Castro Santos

44 Coogee St, Randwick NSW 2031, Australia

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From: [Jill Green](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:38:06 PM

The Independent Planning Commission

Level 3, 201 Elizabeth Street,

Sydney NSW 2000

Dear Commissioners

Re: Whitehaven Vickery Mine extension project

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

It is urgent now for no new coal mines to be developed. The Vickery Extension is a new mine. The burning of fossil fuels to produce electricity must be reduced significantly over the next ten years if the world is to have any hope of keeping temperature increases below 1.5 degrees. The existing mines in Australia are sufficient to meet the needs for coal while we transition to other sources of energy. This new mine would add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere.

It is so wasteful to develop a new lot of infrastructure, such as railway lines, and to cover areas of productive farmland with slag heaps. Will this mine end up becoming a stranded asset?

This land should be retained for its vital use as farmland. In future, more land will become unproductive because of climate change. Let's keep the more productive land, such as in the Namoi Valley, for agricultural production.

Farming in the Boggabri district is an existing source of employment. The existing mines in the district have already led to 90 farms being bought out. We don't want to lose any more.

There are not enough sources of water to allow the mine to operate. The nearby Maules Creek coal mine has already taken water illegally, outbid local farmers for water at auction and built pipelines from nearby farms to divert farming water for mining. The mine may cause further risks to water supply as the presence of acid forming materials in the spoil will mean heavy metals could leach into the aquifer below.

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Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine.

Yours sincerely,

Jill Green

6 Harrington Ave, Warrawee NSW 2074, Australia

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From: [Monica Sanders](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:05:57 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject The proposed mine at Boggabri. Frankly the lack of care shown by the very few, to the detriment of the majority absolutely sickens me.

Coal is becoming a fuel source of the past, and even if it was the economic powerhouse that it was of yesteryear, we as Australians should stand up for what is right. Right for the people of Australia, right for the environment.

The blatant disregard of scientific FACT regarding climate change, devastation of biodiversity, and complete reduction of water security shown by all levels of parliament is appalling.

Please, we the Australian people who do not benefit from these mines, BEG those who are benefitting enormously to the detriment of their neighbours, stop digging an early grave into Australia. Stop. Do what is right, and use your voice to represent the Australians who are vehemently against this mine.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,
Monica Sanders
3 Richmond Mews, Mardi NSW 2259, Australia

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From: [Lynette Purcell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:59:23 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Lynette Purcell

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From: [Nina Payne](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:54:58 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Yours sincerely,

Nina Payne

29 Gouldsmith St, Dunlop ACT 2615, Australia

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From: [Cathy Gill](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:48:26 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Cathy Gill

4/11 Palmerston Ave Bronte

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From: [Dennis Nickell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:35:12 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Dennis Nickell

139 Bendeela Rd, Kangaroo Valley NSW 2577, Australia

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From: [Hamish Barker](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:50:06 PM

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Hamish Barker

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From: [Rick Kilpatrick](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:35:54 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Rick Kilpatrick

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From: [Sasha Marks](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:25:08 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sasha Marks

87 Bayview Ave, Earlwood NSW 2206, Australia

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From: [Ilesha Tietie](#)
To: [IPCEN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Iesha Tietie

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From: [Julie Smee](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Julie Smee

3 Bulahdelah Way, Bulahdelah NSW 2423, Australia

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From: [Michelle Charalambous](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Michelle Charalambous

Ann St, Mullumbimby NSW 2482, Australia

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From: [Suzette Osborne](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:35:18 PM

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Suzette Osborne

19 Elizabeth St, Young NSW 2594, Australia

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From: [Katy Pickering](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Katy Pickering

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From: [Carl Heydon](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:14:34 PM

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Carl Heydon

Gungas Rd, Nimbin NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Elizabeth Van staveren](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Elizabeth Van staveren

Dee Why Gardens Ret Vlge, Unit 203/155 Fisher Rd N, Cromer NSW 2099, Australia

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From: [Elizabeth Leroux](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:25:39 PM

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Please leave rural vistas and historic places for our children and grandchildren to enjoy. And give Australian farmers the opportunity to grow food that supplies our cities. The mining companies are focused on profits, not the environment .

Thank you for accepting this submission

(Mrs.) Elizabeth P Leroux

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From: [Noela Kirkwood](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 5:48:30 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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What a waste of water in our driest continent.

What a waste of land with its rich soils for agriculture .

Terrible to lose so many productive farms and a loss of income

Please reject it.

Noela Kirkwood
105 Wallalong Crescent
West Pymble. 2073

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From: [Amy Hubers](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 5:42:45 PM

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Amy Hubers

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From: [Damian Cudmore](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Damian Cudmore

109 Hudson Parade, Clareville NSW 2107, Australia

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From: [Kenneth Bennett](#)
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Kenneth Bennett

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From: [David Marshall](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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David Marshall

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From: [Marion Giles](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Marion Giles

112 Dumaresq St, Hamilton NSW 2303, Australia

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From: [Amanda Lissarrague](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 5:17:05 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Amanda Lissarrague

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From: [Rita Fessler](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 5:01:23 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Rita Fessler

50 Skinners Shoot Road, BYRON BAY, N.S.W.2481

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From: [greg.rogers](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:56:51 PM

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Yours sincerely,

greg rogers

16 Jane St, Stirling North SA 5710, Australia

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From: [Marjorie Leggett](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:54:08 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

How can you even think of allowing this mine to proceed when our water is so precious, as seen in the last drought, when climate change is escalating and coal should be faded out, not encouraged.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Marjorie Leggett

25 Camp St, Glencoe NSW, Australia

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From: [Kristine Skrzypnik](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:46:13 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Kristine Skrzypnik

33 Springfield Cres, Springwood NSW 2777, Australia

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From: [Rose van Hilst](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:32:16 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rose van Hilst

Spinnaker Cove, Wallabi Point NSW 2430, Australia

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From: [Margo Rutledge](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:29:19 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Margo Rutledge

440 Dorrroughby Road, Dorrroughby NSW, Australia

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From: [Ian Hill](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:19:08 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Ian Hill

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From: [Diane Arnold](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:11:33 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

There is no Planet B!

Yours sincerely,

Diane Arnold

11 Palana St, Surfside NSW 2536, Australia

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From: [Catherine Biddle](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:10:51 PM

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Catherine Biddle

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From: [Keiran Knight](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:08:54 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Keiran Knight

Carbeen, 619 Carbeen Lane, Merah North NSW 2388, Australia

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From: [Julie Turner](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:05:41 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Julie Turner

9 Park Drive Ashby NSW 2463

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From: [Maryann Doolette](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:03:18 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Maryann Doolette

31 Corunna Ave, Colonel Light Gardens SA 5041, Australia

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From: [Margaret Grantham](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 3:56:19 PM

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Margaret Grantham

Noosaville QLD 4566

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From: [Alexander Lucas](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 3:46:17 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Water is LIfe / Fossil fuels are slow death & already outmoded

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Stop working to the playbook of corporate donors climate change denialists and work for the people of this nation, for a just, equitable and sustainable future

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Alexander Lucas

Canal Rd, Lilyfield NSW 2040, Australia

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From: [Drew Kersey](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Drew Kersey

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From: [Valerie Hadfield](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Valerie Hadfield

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From: [Kurt Hardie](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 3:10:57 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Kurt Hardie

22 Barrenjoey Rd, Ettalong Beach NSW 2257, Australia

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From: [Carole Lush](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 3:05:50 PM

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Carole Lush

10 Alexander St, Scarborough QLD 4020, Australia

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From: [Bev Smith](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 3:03:52 PM

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Bev Smith

Ballina Heights Drive, Cumbalum NSW, Australia

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From: [Graham Bedwell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:55:41 PM

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Graham Bedwell

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From: [Noel Holland](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:52:28 PM

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Noel Holland

9 Ronto Cl, Manoora QLD 4870, Australia

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From: [Anni Bekens](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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From: [Merri Mulherin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:24:38 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Merri Mulherin

5 Church St, Gloucester NSW 2422, Australia

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From: [Brioney Ferguson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:16:21 PM

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The recent covid19 incident has taught communities around the world we need to be more self sufficient, it seems insane to not act to save farmland and water resources having just learnt this lesson.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Brioney Ferguson

Dalwah St, Bomaderry NSW 2541, Australia

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From: [Greta Seed](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:16:10 PM

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Greta Seed

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From: [Jennifer Kent](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:15:00 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jennifer Kent

63 Abergeldie St, Dulwich Hill NSW 2203, Australia

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From: [james.biggs](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:04:14 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine. It is time we put the environment first!!

Yours sincerely,

james biggsAM

5 Fifth Ave, Cremorne NSW 2090, Australia

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From: [Mark Benton](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 1:44:26 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Mark Benton

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From: [Anne Rich](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 1:40:47 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [Wendy Bartlett](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 1:38:51 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Wendy Bartlett

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From: [Damian Frost](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 1:34:32 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Damian Frost

Gerard St, Cremorne NSW 2090, Australia

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From: [Anne Fraser](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 1:20:49 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours faithfully

A. Fraser

Yours sincerely,

Anne Fraser

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From: [Gail Curby](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 1:16:35 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

The theft of water by Whitehaven, reported today has further spurred me to write to the IPC regarding this request for an expansion of mining in the Boggabri area. The mining companies clearly cant be trusted to follow regulations regarding water, let alone air and dust emissions.

In this time of drought and the COVID19 it has been apparent that Australia needs to maintain its farming communities for food production and preserve precious water. As is often stated, you cant eat coal, not does it have a place in energy production as we move to renewable, fossil free energy. The other important issue in preserving farming land, we are preserving communities that are essential for the well being of all the people who live in the area. Regional communities become seriously disadvantaged as population decreases.

As a Hunter Valley resident, I am very aware of our poor air quality due to mining. We do have monitors that supply this information (there are no monitors in the Boggabri area) and we can extrapolate that similar health risks have already arisen in the Boggabri area due to poor air quality and dust ,without the proposed extension of open cut mining.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Gail Curby

34 Cleary St, Hamilton NSW 2303, Australia

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From: [Eileen Dallwitz](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 1:06:47 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

This is a form email, but I am a real person, with very real concerns about mining taking over farming land. We should be moving away from coal and towards renewables. I know that this is not possible overnight. But giving up agricultural land and water in order to support a coal mine beggers belief.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Eileen Dallwitz

13 Warrambool Cl, Giralang ACT 2617, Australia

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From: [Meg Rani Carvosso](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:53:28 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

The Vickery Extension Project must not go ahead. I support submissions from Lock The Gate Alliance.

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Yours sincerely,

Rani Carvosso

1 Tungarra Pde MacMasters Beach 2251

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From: [Nerida Hanly](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:43:55 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

Nerida Hanly

12 Woodbury Pl, Wollongbar NSW 2477, Australia

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From: [Petra Blumkaitis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:42:46 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

Our communities and our government should be investing renewable energy sources, not creating destructive mines to extract finite and polluting, non-renewable coal.

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Yours sincerely,

Petra Blumkaitis

Sydney

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From: [Trish Balcombe](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:41:01 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Trish Balcombe

Milbrulong, 543 Ascot-Calala Rd Loomberah, 2340

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From: [stephen.cummings](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:37:13 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Decisions made in air-conditioned offices by somebody on a stable wage is so far removed from a farmer toiling with the vagaries of the weather, damage from insects etcetera, takes a special sort of person to endure all that, the financial rewards would never compensate them, that's not why they do it, same as our first nations people, it is love of the land, is why they endure.

Covid 19 should teach us its most elemental part of our society that are important, it's not entirely possible to envisage what cyber warfare could do to technology, it could dwarf covid 19 as a disruptive, there couldn't be anything more elemental than people who produce the food.. If things get really dire, it will be interesting to see what would happen to the almond farms that now are regarded so highly because they can harness technology, if the computer systems are not working their agribusiness will collapse, but the small farm passed on from father to son, with all the instinct and knowledge from 200 years of farming practices will have the flexibility to respond, just as we are looking to the first nations for new lessons on responses to climate change in controlling fire, we need to respect and not allow their knowledge to disappear.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

stephen cummings

evans head

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From: [Bronwyn Sindel](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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From: [Gladys Zegers](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Gladys Zegers

Agonis Cl, Rivett ACT 2611, Australia

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From: [Shin Noo](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:18:54 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Shin Noo

6 Parakeet Pl, Mullumbimby NSW 2482, Australia

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From: [Anthony Klein](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:12:42 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Anthony klein

51 Dorothy Street, Rydalmere NSW, Australia

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From: [Nikki Rivers](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:04:27 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Please reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Surely there is scientific research enough to ensure that the IPC clearly understands the enormous detrimental environmental impacts brought about by coal mining and that we should not continue to mine coal in this country?

This major expansion if allowed to go ahead will undoubtedly have massive negative environmental consequences, including, but not limited to:

- destruction of valuable farming lands and the environment
- severe impacts on local water
- the possible destruction of the Namoi River
- mine waste piled on top of the alluvial aquifer
- potential for leaching of heavy metals into underground water
- 70 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions going into the atmosphere
- increasing risk of extreme weather conditions and dangerous fires which we have all lived through recently and experienced first hand the terrible damage this does to country, the environment and our native animals; and
- no doubt there is the odd aboriginal sacred site up there to destroy as well.

Why this expansion is even being seriously considered?

And what for? to sell coal to countries such as India and China where the climatic effects of burning our coal will result in negative health and environmental impacts on millions of third world people.

With this decision you can choose to either go down in history as far sighted leaders prepared to take important but hard decisions for the good of Australia and the world at large - or a climate vandal whose actions contributed to the destruction of the planet.

I trust and hope that good sense will prevail - Please do not agree to the expansion of the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Nikki Rivers
65 York St, Sydney NSW 2000, Australia

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From: [Roger Merrell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:03:27 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Roger Merrell

71 The Scenic Rd, Killcare Heights NSW 2257, Australia

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From: [John Inshaw](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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From: [Beverley Inshaw](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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From: [William Nunn](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:45:59 AM

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Yours sincerely,

William Nunn

161 Veterans Parade, Narrabeen NSW 2101, Australia

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From: [Pauline Hewitt](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:36:07 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Pauline Hewitt

5 Fishermans Pl, Oxley Vale NSW 2340, Australia

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From: [Beryl Flower](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:32:09 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Beryl Flower

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From: [Deidre Keys](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:31:38 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Deidre Keys

Elfar Arabians, 938 Green Pigeon Rd, Green Pigeon NSW 2474, Australia

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From: [CHRISTINE Castrikum](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:22:49 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

The purpose of my letter is to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

CHRISTINE Castrikum

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From: [Sylvia McArthur](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:16:30 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Sylvia McArthur

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From: [Anna Merlo](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 7:14:30 PM

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From: [Margaret Flood](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Please stop the Vickery Extension Project
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 10:44:02 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I don't currently live in the area of this proposed extension but I have property in the town of Quirindi.

I hope in the future to live there but although some benefits flow from the mining industry, I fear the losses in the form of community diversity outweigh any gains.

The loss of farming properties and the flow on effect with subsequent business loss in the towns has a long lasting impact on the whole community.

The water shortage for the remaining farms and the towns is amplified by the massive consumption of this precious resource by the mines.

This continuing erosion of our environment and community will just widen the impact on surrounding communities like Quirindi.

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,
Margaret Flood
20 Motum Avenue Tea Gardens 2324

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From: [Christopher Flood](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Potential impact of Vickery Extension Project on the local community.
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 1:06:07 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am sure you do not need me to spell out the damaging environmental impacts this extension or indeed the continuation of the existing project will have.

If we have learnt nothing else in the past 6-7 months of living under difficult conditions including the isolation, we have learnt that mining actually reduces rather than increase employment in the rural towns and environs.

We must now be aware it is the local residents, farms, rural industries and small businesses that keep towns and communities alive, certainly not mining.

The claims of ongoing jobs and benefits to rural communities from mining have been shown as plainly false.

Mining and these types of expansions destroy the very communities that have been built on our farming and rural businesses now, previously and into the future.

If we allow our farming land, our water and our rural communities to be destroyed we will truly be living in desolate isolation. Once our water is poisoned our land is useless and our communities are no more. There is no going back, there is no "let's see what happens". Decisions we make now the generations following us have to try and live with.

Thank you for considering my objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Christopher Flood

69 Church Ave, Quirindi NSW 2343, Australia

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From: [Amy Vos](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Rejection of Whitehaven's Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:26:37 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to register my objection to the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri, and to ask you to reject this proposal.

Should this mine go ahead, it would have unacceptable impacts on the community, agricultural and water resources of the Namoi Valley, not to mention the climate that we all rely upon for survival.

The region is already suffering, with family farms being bought out en masse with the opening of Maules Creek coal mine. Australia needs its prime agricultural land protected for our own food sovereignty and security. Our water resources are essential and must be protected, and the climate impact of the proposed mine would also be significant.

Coal is a dated technology and one that we must stop investing in. Our agricultural security, water security, and climate depend on it.

Thank you for considering this objection,

Yours sincerely,
Amy Vos
Asquith St, Austinmer NSW 2515, Australia

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From: mreza01@gmail.com
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Submission of Objection: Santos Narrabri Gas Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:28:44 PM

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to make a submission on the Narrabri Gas Project.

I am happy for my name and submission to be included on your website.

I object to the proposed Narrabri Gas Project and ask the Independent Planning Commission to reject this project. My concerns are listed below.

Climate impact

If we are to have any hope of keeping global warming below 2°C we must keep gas in the ground.

This gas field will release at least 94.2 million tonnes of potent climate pollution during mining and when the gas is burned for energy, and fugitive methane emissions are likely to be underestimated.

Existing coal and gas fields will push the world past globally agreed temperature goals. There is no room, or need, for more. The rapid development of battery storage technology makes renewable energy sources backed by batteries a cheaper, cleaner option than developing more gas.

New gas production is an unnecessary and dangerous step in Australia's efforts to tackle climate change. Australia is highly vulnerable to climate change impacts like bushfires, drought and extreme heat. More gas extraction increases our exposure to climate risks.

Threatened species

This project will endanger koalas and two rare and iconic bird species - the swift parrot and the regent honeyeater.

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Poison and deplete groundwater

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No need for more gas

Almost all gas produced in eastern Australia is exported via the LNG terminals at Gladstone. The small amount of expensively produced gas from the project will have negligible impact on domestic prices or supply.

In order to actually protect Australian businesses and households from gas supply shortages, governments should help them to get off gas by promoting electrification, such as heat pumps for hot water, reverse-cycle air conditioning for space heating and induction cooktops.

For these reasons I strongly object to the Narrabri Gas Project. Thank you for the opportunity to comment. I look forward to hearing from you in regards to this submission.

Yours Sincerely,

Mamoon Reza ,
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From: tropicv@chariot.net.au
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Submission of Objection: Santos Narrabri Gas Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 1:31:03 PM

Dear Sir/Madam,

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From: dcluer@yahoo.com
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Subject: Submission of Objection: Santos Narrabri Gas Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 5:36:59 PM

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Its unnecessary

The near future is renewables, solar, wind renewable electrolosis hydrogen...Please dont destroy yet another environment in a last ditch attempt by these greedy companies for more quick,profit. These companies know the energy future, insurance companies, banks, investors are all moving their money away from high CO2 industries, Please don't ruin the pilliga for one last quick buck.

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From: [Paul Wilson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.
Date: Saturday, 4 July 2020 10:15:06 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Paul Wilson

Cudgegong St, Mumbil NSW 2820, Australia

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From: [Linda Orgill](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 3:33:59 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

We surely must consider the effects of this mine. What are the impacts on the farming community, the area's agricultural and more importantly water resources?

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Yours sincerely,

Linda Orgill

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From: [Mark Nielsen](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: We have enough coal for our uses, i beleive that the mining companies are looking at selling overseas, which is fair enough, BUT not when its detrimental to our way of life, we don"t have much arable farming land left to be able to just totally destroy...
Date: Sunday, 5 July 2020 9:58:40 AM

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Mark Nielsen

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From: [Angela Soddu](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to the Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:56:46 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask that you reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Angela Soddu

73 Edenholme Rd, Wareemba NSW 2046, Australia

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From: [Matthew Reynolds](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:07:37 AM

Dear Members of the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to request that you reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have devastating impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all depend upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Matthew Reynolds

1 Hyrama Cres, Brunswick Heads NSW 2483, Australia

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From: [Daryl King](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:05:54 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Daryl King

1078 Bulmers Rd, Hogarth Range NSW 2469, Australia

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From: [Isabella Reilly](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:02:44 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Isabella Reilly

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From: [Alan Hayward](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:01:00 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable and long term impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Alan Hayward

Willowgum, 135 Bark Hut Rd, Woolgoolga NSW 2456, Australia

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From: [Andreas Dalman](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:56:18 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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It is unconscionable that a mining multinational now owns an area of Australian farmland the size of Singapore which encompasses the historic "Kurrumbede" homestead, a place and country that inspired Dorothea Mackellar's work including the famous poem 'My Country' ("A land of sweeping plains, of ragged mountain ranges...") visions of a landscape and ecosystem that would be permanently destroyed should mining be allowed to go ahead there. A mining company owing such vast part of the Australian landscape with plans to dig it up and sell it for their own profit surely is a challenge on our sovereignty. Future generations deserve to have access to a healthy and undamaged country we have enjoyed in our lifetime.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times. Australia is one of the driest continents on Earth. Water is precious and will increase in value as the impacts of climate change and longer and hotter droughts in years to come bites harder.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government. Access to clean water is a human right we must not trade away for short term profits.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of

extreme weather and dangerous fires.

- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Andreas Dalman

Prince Edward Ave, Earlwood NSW 2206, Australia

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From: [Janet O'Dell-Teys](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:55:11 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [Kirrily Duff](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:51:09 AM

To the 'Independent' Planning Commission,

I am writing to demand you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. It is a violation of the Lore of this Country. They have no right to this land, it does not belong to them. What they are doing is wicked and greedy and greed is the root of all evil. That's what these mining companies are, evil. Those who support them are evil. This is the war between heaven and hell the bible speaks of. Who side are you on?

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts to the EARTH, on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon. Land that belongs to the First Nations people. Land that is continually stolen and destroyed by scum bag political pedophile criminals. Is their child sex trafficking not enough for these demons? Those who illegally, immorally approve of this sin are devils in disguise and will be sent back to hell where they were created, like those who create suffering for a dollar. Pitiful creatures indeed.

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They will rot in hell for raping our Mother Earth

Utterly disgusted by the pedophiles that are the coalition. This has all been approved by a pedophile named scott morrison who in sept 1988 was arrested in victoria for tying up a child and leaving them to bleed out after he mutilated their genitals. Whos ya daddy?

Rise and Resist.

Heaven vs Hell.

Who side are you on?

Kirrily Duff

Mount Frome NSW 2850, Australia

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From: [Garry Newton](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:48:14 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Garry Newton

73 Argyle St, Mullumbimby NSW 2482, Australia

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From: [David Fernleigh](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:41:31 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

David Fernleigh

Knoxfield Victoria 3180

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From: [Loris Kingcott](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:30:09 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Loris Kingcott

Eastwood Avenue, Eastwood NSW, Australia

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From: [Kym Kilpatrick](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:28:42 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

This mine, and the company that own it, have been dogged by unethical practices from the it's initial inception when Nathan Tinkler was the CEO.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kym Kilpatrick

580 Old Soldiers Rd, Diamond Beach NSW 2430, Australia

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From: [Janina Price](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:25:49 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. Coal Mining is poisoning the air we breathe, renewables energy is the only way forward.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Janina Price

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From: [Marissa Gunning](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:18:20 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Marissa Gunning

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From: [Samantha Donald](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:12:15 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Samantha Donald

Semillon Grove, Mount Clear VIC 3350, Australia

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From: [Uta Herzog](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 10:11:22 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Uta Herzog

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From: [Bill Newell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:58:44 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Bill Newell

4 Baranbar St, Narrabri NSW 2390, Australia

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From: [Clayton Hairs](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:57:07 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

For the last three months the United Kingdom (UK) have NOT fired up their coal fired power stations at all.

China, on account of a trade war (in the short term) and a balance of trade concern (long term) have over the past five years mandated that coal be sourced locally wherever possible.

The Australian National University (ANU) has predicted that within the next few years the cost of generating renewable energy will be on a par with coal fired energy generation...and that is WITHOUT taking into account the cost of ongoing carbon emissions that coal fired energy emits. Once that cost is brought onto the balance sheet, renewable energy is ALREADY cheaper per KWh generated.

The Grattan Institute this year outlined how a renewables based steel industry could be far closer to reality than those in the coal for steel lobby would have us believe. A clear means of exiting the COVID 19 financial woe is for long-term planning not short terms...

Who will be buying the coal the Vickery Project will generate?

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Yours sincerely,

Clayton Hairs

54 Greenhills Rd, Berrima NSW 2577, Australia

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From: [Ireen Allanson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:55:30 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Ireen Allanson

21 Ada St, Concord NSW 2137, Australia

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From: [Karen Armitage](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:54:55 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Karen Armitage

Huntleys Cove

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From: [Raewyn Porter](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:51:32 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am so tired of writing submissions asking for rejections of mining projects that have no place in a progressive economy that works with sustainable technologies and energy resources. How can Australia still be even considering the dirty, environment wrecking proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri? As potential parents, parents, grandparents or just people who engage with and enjoy this beautiful planet, you cannot but reject Whitehaven's insidious incursions into larger and larger areas of NSW.

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Thank you for rejecting the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Raewyn Porter

710 Left Bank Rd, Mullumbimby Creek NSW 2482, Australia

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From: [Vivian S.](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:50:42 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine. I've read & support this.

Yours sincerely,

Vivian S.

St Neot Ave, Potts Point NSW 2011, Australia

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From: [Janice Borny](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:47:51 AM

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Janice Borny

14 Lord St Bathurst NSW

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From: [Orel Lea](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:44:12 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Orel Lea

11 Kent St, Waverley NSW 2024, Australia

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From: [Yvonne Pratt](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:42:24 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Yvonne Pratt

Weston act

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From: [Anne Forsythe](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:37:47 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Anne Forsythe

3 Baker Gardens, Ainslie ACT 2602, Australia

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From: [Jessica Nash](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:34:49 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

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- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jessica Nash

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From: [Alex Nicholson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:27:03 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Alex Nicholson

Woodland St S, Balgowlah NSW 2093, Australia

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From: [Jennifer Lambell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:26:56 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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The water flow from the Namoi into the Barwon to the Darling river will affect all the towns along the route including Walgett. To me this is setting up another issue as even less water will flow into the Murray river. Don't we have enough issues in that area. The lack of water in the Namoi area will place further pressure on the aquifers. I fear dreadfully for these areas, the aquifers are the lifeline that is needed to survive and thrive, food production and general living conditions. The theft of water up river has to stop. Hasn't the recent drought showed implicitly that we need to provide for these shortages, and not keep stealing precious resources in the name of big business.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jennifer Lambell

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From: [Denise Bunnett](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 11:07:41 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Denise Bunnett

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From: [Rosalyn Kensell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Strong objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:57:40 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Whitehaven Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri on the grounds that the water modelling for this to occur is flawed. In recent times Whitehaven has misused groundwater and outbid farmers for groundwater licenses. Whitehaven's water modelling for this proposal was conceptual and just does not stack up as it was done by civil engineers and not hydrologists. This has meant it was based on assumptions and not evidence based gathered in situ. Adding weight to my reasons for objecting and sending this email is that Whitehaven generated a total income of \$8.4 billion dollars in 2019 on which it paid zero tax...In fact Whitehaven has paid little tax for the past 5 years. Why is this???

This will be Whitehaven's 10th mine and the State's 52nd coal mine and the first since CV19, amid plunging coal prices and huge opposition. Its fate now lies in the hands of NSW Department of Planning, Land and Environment but if approved the surrounding water table not only will be depleted and our air quality compromised forever. Our children's future does not lie in temporary mine jobs that then become automated. Have you thoroughly checked the workforce data given for all Whitehaven mines. I am suggesting you will find many anomalies.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine. Can you tell me just how much water a coal mine uses and do they ever pay for this compromised water?

Other negative impacts of the mine include the following which also greatly concerns me and my relatives in Gunnedah and Narrabri and elsewhere

- Coalmining is rapidly declining around the world as many world economies move to renewables. It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.

My other objection concerns the devastating impact this

mine infrastructure will have on Dorothy Mackellar's historical home 'Kurrumbee' where she grew up with the surrounding countryside inspiring her to write 'My Country'. Such a travesty that this mine will encroach within 300 metres of this historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk forever. It should have a heritage listing and become part of a Tourist trail posting throughout Australia that everyone can visit.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine, extension. I just hope I am not too late to implore some commonsense to prevail as many in the community do feel the same ideological and pragmatic reasons for this mine to not go ahead. However, they may not have realised they could send an email as preoccupied with living and coping with CV19 is changing our landscapes just like tWhitehaven mines have done. Please consider the bigger picture and do your best to secure our water, air quality and cultural history.

Yours in earnest,

Rosalyn Kensell

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From: [Mik Truly](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: I cannot believe this could happen?
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:45:22 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Are there any caring, thinking, mindful and informed people still working in key positions where their actual KNOWLEDGE and INFORMATION help them to make decisions FOR THE WHOLE OF AUSTRALIA and possibly impact on the world?

Do we need children to put their young lives on the line, to talk on a global level, to get some response FOR THEIR FUTURE?

With so many inroads to other forms of sustainable energy, it beggars belief that in this day and age (and mining going out like a dinosaur, along with water supply) that this is even an issue!!

I learnt at school (I am 66 by the way) that the ground water in Australia was a precious commodity, never to be diminished or polluted.

Short sighted business and greedy dead-brainers are laughing all the way to the bank, whilst we still protest and cry over the droughts, the fires, the death toll, the people fighting on the front line FOR ALL OF US WHO WANT TO BREATHE AND LIVE IN A COUNTRY TO BE PROUD OF.

Shame on you.

Shame, shame, shame....

I worked in the Queensland Premier's Department as a temp assistant for period of time, working across the Export Development and Investment Development departments. To see what they threw away; the waste and the mismanagement; the short-sighted judgements and the race to make their next 'budget' so they could get their next 'drop' of money (to waste, mismanage and sell Australian families short - whilst flogging off our resources at rock-bottom prices with tax-free thresholds not offered to the original owners of the resources....) well, I thought that might stop.

Apparently not.

Whoever reads this (probably no-one) will perhaps bin it, with any other protesting voices? Wake up Australia - we seem to be shortening our time upon this planet and if you have children, or grandchildren, surely you, in the position YOU OR YOUR DEPARTMENT are in, could make a difference?

Water is life - not just for profit.

Please stop this reckless venture.

Yours sincerely,
Marika Bryant
Federal

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From: [Peter Redmile](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Greed decimating our rural futures
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:33:10 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you most learned people to start thinking of Australia's rural future, and the future of your children - and their children.

Greed is killing our planet with projects such as these decimating our natural environment in every possible manner.

Your stance regarding the approval of such projects, will hopefully not reflect the poor stewardship of our whole planet.

Decisions in favour of the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri will only hasten the depletion of our lands and our agriculture future.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

How are these proposals even being considered ?

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.

- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

You are all well read about these and other damaging and anti-environmentally degrading proposals.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine, and our rural futures as Australians,

Yours sincerely,

Peter Redmile

P.O. Box 361, Bermagui. NSW 2546

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From: [Elisabeth Dark](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:21:59 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project by Whitehaven near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already suffering from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. If approved, Vickery will become its fifth mine in the north west. At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive further population loss.

The impacts on water will be severe. The Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times. Whitehaven has operated in a manner hostile to the region with the Maules Creek coal mine operation taking water illegally and outbidding local farmers for water at auction.

In addition, the mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine. Agriculture, when managed sensitively, is a sustainable enterprise.

Coal mining is a short term operation with lasting negative consequences. For that reason I object to the Vickery proposal.

Yours sincerely,

Elisabeth Dark

75 Taylor St, Annandale NSW 2038, Australia

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From: [Judith Kohlhagen](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:21:49 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Food is a basic need. Our farmlands that produce life's basics are precious for the nation and must be treasured as such.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Judith Kohlhagen

7/68 Auburn St., Sutherland. NSW 2232

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From: [John Costello](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:19:34 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

John Costello

67 Mathews St, West Tamworth NSW 2340, Australia

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From: [Le-Ann Buoni](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:17:45 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [Diane Davies](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:13:02 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Diane Davies

Burrawong Parade, Urunga NSW, Australia

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From: [david_anderson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:11:37 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

david anderson

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From: [Lester Maino](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:03:16 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Lester Maino

5 Jade Pl, Port Macquarie NSW 2444, Australia

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From: [John Russell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:00:56 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I have just read an article in SMH of 3/July 2020 about the NSW independent water regulator taking Whitehaven to court for allegedly stealing water at its Maule's Creek site. These large miners do not have the community wellbeing at heart. I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I used to live at Narrabri and believe strongly that the alienation of farming land for mining is a "no brainer". We need to be phasing out coal mining and not expanding it unless we really want more devastating bushfires, ocean acidification and droughts from fossil fuel burning.

This area is under stress from extractive industries and the locals are having their livelihoods destroyed by these schemes whose profits go overseas.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

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We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

John Russell

39 Fullers Rd, Chatswood NSW 2067, Australia

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From: [John Russell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:56:43 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I ask that you please reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will devastate the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and further contribute to global climate change.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district. That is an area as large as the nation state of Singapore, home to over 5.8 million people.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

In addition, the proponent of this mine, Whitehaven, has a poor track record of compliance with the environmental conditions it is supposed to operate within on its nearby mining operations. They should not be given the opportunity to continue their bad behaviour on an expanded scale to the detriment of communities & our water systems.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and

blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

John Russell

1195 S Arm Rd, Brierfield NSW 2454, Australia

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From: [Frank McCormick](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:56:39 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Frank McCormick

Bundilla, 920 Darkwood Rd, Darkwood NSW 2454, Australia

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From: [James Castles](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:55:59 AM

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The words written above we're not penned by me, but echo my own thoughts so I have used them. I would like to add that we live in a rapidly changing world and the effects of our actions are only beginning to show. It is only wise and responsible to err on the side of caution in a situation like this and do our best to maintain our

natural environment.

Yours sincerely,

James Castles

21 Russell St, Horseshoe Bend NSW 2320, Australia

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From: [Jasmin Jeffery](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:46:02 AM

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I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Yours sincerely,

Jasmin Jeffery

5 Babs Rd, Killcare Heights NSW 2257, Australia

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From: [chris.clarke](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:44:24 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. It is a slap in the face for Australian people to have less productive land when under climate change the amount of good agricultural land is under decline. And the impact on our water is incalculable. Please look long term to national benefit, not to short term economic gain. Coal demand is internationally reducing.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

chris clarke

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From: [Bradley Wodiske](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:42:27 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Bradley Wodiske

29 Brandon St, Suffolk Park NSW 2481, Australia

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From: [Pamela Brand](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:37:21 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

pamela Brand

Caroona Village, 8 Rous Rd, Goonellabah NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Mary Monteith](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:37:05 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Mary Monteith

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From: [Marika Bryant](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:33:06 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Marika Bryant

Federal

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From: [Gail Kerr](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:32:51 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Gail Kerr

Cessnock, NSW

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From: [Karen Collins](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:29:19 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Karen Collins

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From: [Odette Stevens](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:28:51 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Odette Stevens

27 Graham St, Kendall NSW 2439, Australia

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From: [Chris Brazier](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:21:09 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Chris Brazier

Kalinda, 259 Gun Club Rd, Narrabri NSW 2390, Australia

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From: [Monica Moore](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:19:35 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Monica Moore

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From: [Mary-Jayne House](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:17:19 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you, in the strongest possible terms, to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon. We live on the driest continent on earth, and our water is our most precious resource. There are alternative energy sources, with the technology up harness them becoming cheaper and more easily distributed all the time, but there is no alternative to water and we must protect it at all costs.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region. We need this prime agricultural land for our food security and well being.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Mary-Jayne House

18 Waterview St, Long Jetty NSW 2261, Australia

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From: [Hולי Jeffery](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:14:06 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Holli Jeffery

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From: [frances lynch](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:12:03 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [Raewyn Robinson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:11:33 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Raewyn Robinson

81 Hobart Ave, Umina Beach NSW 2257, Australia

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From: [Linda Eisler](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:06:34 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Linda Eisler

Hurlstone Park

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From: [John Rigby](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:04:41 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri and its destructive potential.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

John Rigby

10 George St, Bathurst NSW 2795, Australia

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From: [Margaret Cusack](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:02:52 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Margaret Cusack

Unit 1 16 Cummins Avenue, Moree NSW

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From: [Karuna Fielden](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 8:01:09 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Karuna Fielden

2 Wickham Place Clunes NSW

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From: [Susan Wilson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:58:43 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Susan Wilson

26 Mount Ettalong Rd, Umina Beach NSW 2257, Australia

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From: [James Talbot](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:56:46 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

James Talbot

38 Queen St, Iluka NSW 2466, Australia

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From: [peter warburton](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:46:11 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

peter warburton

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From: [Andrew Berlach](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:42:02 AM

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Andrew Berlach

297 Koppin Yarratt Rd, Upper Lansdowne NSW 2430, Australia

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From: [Marie-Claude Pessey](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Yours sincerely,

Marie-Claude Pessey

6 Talbot Road, Hazelbrook NSW, Australia

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From: [Rose Davies](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Rose Davies

1 Sandridge St, Bondi NSW 2026, Australia

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From: [Rayna Toman](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Yours sincerely,

Rayna Toman

30 Chelmsford Ave, Cronulla NSW 2230, Australia

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From: [Dominic Conolly](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:28:49 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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How can you possibly approve yet more of this environment destroying nonsense that only serves the interests of the corporations and their ultra rich owners with a clear conscience?

You were appointed to serve the best interests of the Australian community at large AND WE DO NOT NEED MORE COAL, COAL MINES OR THE DESTRUCTION AND POLLUTION THAT COMES WITH IT.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Dominic Conolly

Yarrawarra NSW

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From: [Paul Simpson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:28:09 AM

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Paul Simpson

146 Mathieson St

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From: jiva.vassilevska
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](mailto:IPCN.Enquiries.Mailbox)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:24:31 AM

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Yours sincerely,

jiva vassilevska

Unit 2/324 Arden Street, Coogee, NSW 2034

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From: [Richard Marriott-Statham](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:20:54 AM

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Richard Marriott-Statham

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From: [Marian Simms](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:14:57 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Marian Simms

Lawlers Ln, Bangalow NSW 2479, Australia

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From: [Lesley Watt](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:09:47 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Lesley Watt

33 Fullagar Rd, Wentworthville NSW 2145, Australia

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From: [Patricia Dunn](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:04:03 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Patricia Dunn

49 Blackwood St, Gerringong NSW 2534, Australia

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From: [Patricia murray](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:02:51 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

PLEASE STOP RAPING OUR COUNTRY!

Farmers are NEEDED more than more dirty old fashioned coal! The rest of the world is moving rapidly to renewable energy, so why are you going backwards? When we have no water at all, when this land you have ruined has no wildlife, and bushfires destroy everything in their path, THEN WILL YOU LISTEN? YOU WILL STARVE ALONG WITH THE REST OF US. YOU GREEDY BASTARDS, YOU CAN'T EAT MONEY!!!!

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Yours sincerely,

Patricia murray

26 Judge St, Randwick NSW 2031, Australia

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From: [Josephine Window](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:56:31 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Josephine Window

54 Donnans Rd, Lismore Heights NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Charlie Johnstone](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:52:56 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I was a former resident of the Boggabri district and have since moved due to the changes that mining was having on the community.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Charlie Johnstone

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From: [Aaron Deegan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:50:07 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Aaron Deegan

9 Magnolia Ave, Davistown NSW 2251, Australia

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From: [Verena Mauldon](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:45:31 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri

This is not acceptable.

It will have an unacceptable Impact on our nations precious water and farm land.

It will have negative impacts on our state and nation's cultural heritage by encroaching within within 300 metres of beautiful and historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk and tourism and any other sources income generation will be jeopardised.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the cumulative impact of Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired so much farm land in the district and this is changing the nature of this rural community in an increasingly unsustainable way.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The mines are water greedy and create an ugly landscape that tourists and locals alike hate and avoid. Look what they have done to the upper Hunter. People flock to the Margaret River instead. Mines can never truly remediate and restore water to this area in a meaningful way because they are destroying the geological formations that shape and store it.

Stop this made greedy land destruction now. They have had their share and the rest of the community requires certainty that our rural heritage and ability to be an agricultural productive nation still matters.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Verena Mauldon

19 Fairymede Rd, Mangrove Mountain NSW 2250, Australia

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From: [Joyce Sebar](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:44:44 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Joyce Sebar

6 Oak St, Albion Park Rail NSW 2527, Australia

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From: [harry.johnson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:40:46 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

COVID 19 has changed our children's world for ever.

So how much worse will we thinking adults, who do have a vote, allow the world's climate chaos to become for our children who don't yet have a vote in their future?

For how much longer will we enable the coal industry to continue to develop ever more coal mines in Australia, a bizarre decision that appears to be based on short-term financial greed and stupidity?

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

All the best in the future i hope you choose for those children and non-voting plant, animal and species of fungi who don't have a vote in their future.

Yours sincerely,

harry johnson

6 Binnowie Close

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From: [Tim Shanasy](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:28:48 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Tim Shanasy

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From: [daniel endicott](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:26:49 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

daniel endicott

106 Robert St, Islington NSW 2296, Australia

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From: [Christopher pont](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:24:06 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am write in relation to the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

This mine as planned will have many detrimental impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley and the region's rich cultural heritage .

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Christopher pont

1 Canowindra Ct, South Golden Beach NSW 2483, Australia

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From: [Cate Peterson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:13:22 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

- Permission has been given to the coal mine to dump excess polluted water into the Namoi if rainfall exceeds a certain threshold

Frankly the willful ignorance displayed about the rich interlinking within an ecosystem that is required to support a lifeblood river is mind boggling..

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Cate Peterson

Cunjurong Point NSW, Australia

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From: [TOM LAIDLER](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:12:49 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

TOM LAIDLER

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From: [Anna Kelly](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 6:08:17 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

We live in uncertain times, and the security of supply of our food and water is extremely important into the future. Farmlands and water are finite resources. Erosion of farmland through mining is shortsighted. Jobs in farming and renewables are a better alternative. The impact on our environment is also of major concern.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Anna Kelly

Everton St, Hamilton NSW 2303, Australia

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From: [Helen Evans](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 5:36:37 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. Have you driven around this area? It is not only valuable, productive farmland, but has features of outstanding beauty. It is exactly the kind of environment that we need preserved and protected. It is the very essence of Australia. It is even at the heart of Dorothea McKellar's My Country, the heritage that we all know from our education.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have a devastating impacts on the local farming community,

The Boggabri district is already severely affected with water shortages by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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another mine would also add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.

Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Helen Evans

1273 Bundarra Road Invergowrie

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From: [John Travis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:06:09 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

John Travis

6 Parakeet Pl, Mullumbimby NSW 2482, Australia

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From: [Philippe Dupuy](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 4:05:09 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am very concerned that the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri will add another nail in our own coffin. Future generations including your own.

Please do not allow this to happen for the sake of a wistful of dollars.

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Yours sincerely,

Philippe Dupuy

1057 Cawongla Rd, Larnook NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Nyree Brown](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 3:46:23 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

Nyree Brown

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From: [angus_mckibbin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:27:44 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Please vote against this vandalism.

Yours sincerely,

angus mckibbin

131 Stewart St, Bathurst NSW 2795, Australia

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From: [Catherine Turville](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:13:36 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

As a resident of the Bega Valley Shire, in the far south coast of NSW, many people are extremely concerned about our climate warming up way beyond what we thought possible.

After just surviving the summer from hell, we have another fire season coming up and I can tell you honestly that a lot of people are very scared.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Catherine Turville

46 Belmore St, Bega NSW 2550, Australia

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From: [Anne Kempter](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 2:12:24 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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If we want to make Australia less dependent on the rest of the world for our food supply in a time of rising temperatures, we need to protect the water supply.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Anne Kempter

6 Tarragal Glen Ave, Erina NSW 2250, Australia

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From: [Alexandra Charaeva](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 1:35:46 AM

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Yours sincerely,

Alexandra Charaeva

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From: [Eddie Seymour](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 12:05:31 AM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Eddie Seymour

97A Macquarie Rd, Cardiff NSW 2285, Australia

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From: [Adrian McLean](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 11:42:58 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Adrian McLean

Keira St, Wollongong NSW 2500, Australia

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From: [Karl Schaerf](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 11:34:13 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Karl Schaerf

12 Violet Rd, Hamlyn Terrace NSW 2259, Australia

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From: [Emmanuel Fardoulis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 11:33:39 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine, being such an urgent matter.

Yours sincerely,

Emmanuel Fardoulis

Po box 3126 Stpauls NSW 2031.

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From: [GLENN OAKLEY](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 11:32:58 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

On behalf of current and future generations I am writing to ask you to refuse the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

It is unfathomable to me that a planning authority can still consider the approval of a new coal mine or an extension to an existing one. The impacts of the end use of this product can no longer be ignored. Doing so is a rejection of the scientific consensus regarding the impacts of the use of fossil fuels on climate and the subsequent impacts on humanity and the environment.

These impacts are clearly in opposition to the principal objects of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979 with regard to environmental protection, ecologically sustainable development and social and economic considerations which in this case are on a global scale and far outweigh the lesser social and economic benefits provided to a (relatively) few by this proposal.

I also have concerns with this proposal on a more regional and local scale given the potential impacts of the mine expansion on water resources and agricultural production.

Thank you for considering my objection.

Yours sincerely,
GLENN OAKLEY
Cowra NSW 2794

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From: [clare dinatale](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 11:25:49 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

clare dinatale

3051 Great N Rd, Wollombi NSW 2325, Australia

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From: [patrick o"rourke](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 11:16:45 PM

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Yours sincerely,

patrick o'rouke

Jubilee St, Ashford NSW 2361, Australia

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From: [Simon Chate](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 11:02:36 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

To put it bluntly - the world does NOT need another coal mine! It is arrogant and irresponsible for us to continue to open new fossil fuel projects in the face of overwhelming evidence around fossil fuel driven climate change.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Simon Chate

56 Mellis Cct, Alstonville NSW 2477, Australia

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From: [Danielle Phillips](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 10:50:13 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Danielle Phillips

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From: [Frankie Seymour](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 10:46:16 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Frankie Seymour

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From: [Ned Cutcher](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 10:44:30 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Ned Cutcher

Rose St, Croydon Park NSW 2133, Australia

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From: [Dr. Christine Townend](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 9:26:52 AM

To the IPC,

Could you please reject the proposal to have the mine developed in Boggabri

I am worried that the fracking will destroy the Great Artesian Basin and if one drop of poison enters no-one will be able to use it for watering. Many farmers depend on the GAB to provide them with water.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Christine Townend

45 Sublime Point Road, Leura

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From: [Rachel Buchan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Vickery Extension Project Should not be expanded
Date: Friday, 3 July 2020 7:11:32 AM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Global warming is having a devastating effect such as the summer bushfires. It is time to leave the coal in the ground. Australia has the worst climate

Policy in the world. More mines means less available clean water and greater global warming. It is time to halt all fossil fuel projects. Now.

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rachel Buchan

266 Bernhardt St, East Albury NSW 2640, Australia

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From: [Denice Finnegan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: I OBJECT to the Narrabri Gas Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:23:40 PM

Dear Independent Planning Commission,

You can include my name and submission on your website.

This is a submission on the Narrabri Gas Project.

I object to the proposed Narrabri Gas Project due to its significant environmental, heritage, social and economic impacts.

The destruction of the environment, polluting air, soil and water is a travesty. The destruction of the Gamilaraay Indigenous people's culture is abhorrent. The destruction of communities living in the area and their way of life and right to clean air and water, is a crime against humanity. When will we as a human race start to respect the living planet we are on, and live in our environment as an interdependent part of a complex system?

There are alternatives to this - solar and wind power have been shown in many other countries to be a viable option, without the destructive issues of natural gas.

Due to the above reasons I strongly object to the Narrabri Gas Project. Thank you for the opportunity to comment. I look forward to hearing from you in regards to this submission.

Yours sincerely,
Denice Finnegan
Annangrove, New South Wales, 2156, Australia

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From: [Debbie Simpson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: I OBJECT to the Narrabri Gas Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:42:35 PM

Dear Independent Planning Commission,

You can include my name and submission on your website.

This is a submission on the Narrabri Gas Project.

I object to the proposed Narrabri Gas Project due to its significant environmental, heritage, social and economic impacts.

The recent bushfires have pushed many of our native species to the brink of extinction - the koala, many birds and reptiles, and many plants from the smallest delicate flowers to the largest trees. There are 35 threatened animals and 10 threatened plants within the gas project area. With this project going ahead, these species that rely on the Pilliga for their survival, will die. As the habitat of animals is removed, each piece is another nail in the coffin. It would be like someone taking your house away from you one room at a time, until the last room - your kitchen - is taken from you and you starve. Humans don't have to be so callous and greedy - we can meet our energy needs without destroying everything beautiful around us.

The other effect of this project is less visible and much more sinister. Using this gas will massively increase the carbon in our world's atmosphere, and contribute to global warming. This is not a luxury we can afford. This project is projected to produce more than 127 million tonnes of carbon dioxide (or equivalent), in a time when Australia is not meeting its current obligations under the Paris Climate agreement.

As we know, Australia is a large desert, with narrow coastal areas that are temperate areas. The drought over the last 3 years should be a warning signal to all Australians: do not waste or misuse or pollute our precious freshwater! Not only does the Pilliga recharge the underground aquifers such as the Great Artesian basin, but Santos is planning on taking 37.5 billion litres of this precious water. This huge amount being removed will depressure the ground and cause long term damage to plants animals and humans.

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From: [Sharon Shostak](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: No Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:55:29 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Please reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Aside from unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage will be laid to waste and the liveable climate that we all rely upon will be severely compromised.

That coal needs to stay in the ground and we need to be investing in renewable source of energy if we are to have any chance of surviving.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sharon Shostak

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From: [Simone Van Hattem](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project - Whitehaven Coal
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 10:01:44 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

How can we even trust Whitehaven at all?!

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Simone Van Hattem

Hester Cascades Rd, Hester WA 6255, Australia

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From: [Rosie Wagstaff](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 10:28:53 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rosie wagstaff

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From: [Michael Streatfeild](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 10:18:46 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The last thing the world needs is another new or extended coal mine releasing fugitive emissions and generating more greenhouse emissions. Estimated to be an additional 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere. This extension flies in the face of the Paris agreement and will accelerate us to more extreme climate change whether the coal is used here or overseas.

Not to mention the threat the mine infrastructure poses to our cultural heritage. It will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Also, if this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine. Water has become our most precious resource, way more valuable than coal!

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Michael Streatfeild

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From: [Rick Hallin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 10:18:42 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

To who it may concern, as a previous long time resident of this area until I came to Victoria due to illness, I have been dismayed to see the virtual RAPE of much of this country. Not only is there not enough water available to the farmers in this district, there is certainly NOT enough to be used by massive coal mines and their associated infrastructure

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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I would also ask, at this time what, if any infrastructure or laws will be, or have been enacted, to protect the environment and surrounding area from the results of any pollution resulting from accidents or deliberate actions, (such as the illegal taking of water) from this or any other mines in the area.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Bearing in mind the vital contribution that agriculture makes to this states economy, what are the long term economic differences between agriculture and mining in this area.

What is the proposed full time working life of this mine, and what agreements if any, are in place for the refurbishment of the site when mining finishes.

Will there be heavy penalties placed on any company that does not meet any of the terms in place for refurbishing these areas.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rick Hallin

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From: [Sylvi Glasheen](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 10:12:50 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sylvi Glasheen

45 Park Terrace, Sherwood QLD 4075, Australia

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From: [Jason Gibbs](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 10:08:34 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

Jason Gibbs

35 Yarraibah Track, Laguna NSW 2325, Australia

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From: [Tanya Howard](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 10:08:07 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The impact of mining is unacceptable as we face increasing climate instability and water insecurity.

The cumulative effects of expanding mining in the Namoi region is destroying habitat for native vegetation and wildlife.

Food and water security for future generations are being destroyed by the irresponsible development at Vickery and surrounding projects.

I urge you to think of negative long term legacy of this project and stop this project.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,
Tanya Howard
169 Faulkner St, Armidale NSW 2350, Australia

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From: [Malcolm Wallace](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Malcolm Wallace

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From: [David Paul](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:55:50 PM

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Yours sincerely,

David Paul

46 Madeline St, Fairfield West NSW 2165, Australia

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From: [Chiara Pazzano](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:49:08 PM

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From: [Roma Dix](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:47:40 PM

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Roma Dix

11 Bourne Close

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From: [Lida McCool](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Yours sincerely,

Lida McCool

35 Gwendolen Ave, Umina Beach NSW 2257, Australia

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From: [Helene Grunow](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:45:01 PM

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Helene Grunow

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From: [Gillian McElroy](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:43:18 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Gillian McElroy

4 Percy St, Rozelle NSW 2039, Australia

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From: [Prue Bodsworth](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:39:06 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The primary reason is the lack of an adequate water source for the mine. The EIS states that the Water supply required over the life of the Project would be sourced from the Namoi River. The recent drought resulted in no water in the Namoi River at Walgett devastating the local communities that rely on the river for drinking water, social and cultural purposes. The Natural Resource Access Regulator has also commenced action in the NSW Land & Environment Court, charging Whitehaven unit for two alleged breaches of the Water Management Act 2000. These charges relate to Whitehaven taking water without an access licence over three years between 2016 and 2019 for Maules Creek site. This demonstrates there is already far too great a shortage of access to water for the existing coal mine, agriculture the environment and local communities.

This project will also have unacceptable impacts on the climate, destruction of agricultural land, risks to groundwater resources, social impacts for the local community.

Australia has just experienced the most severe bush fire season on record. This was the result of a combination of drought conditions and global warming causing the highest temperatures on record. Coal is the leading cause of carbon emissions in Australia, the burning of coal is causing catastrophic climate change. The Vickery coal mine will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere. There is also an interrelation between climate change and water scarcity. Warmer air can hold more moisture than cool air. As a result, in a warmer world, the air will take up more water from oceans, lakes, soil and plants. The drier conditions this air leaves behind could negatively affect drinking water supplies and agriculture. Having much higher air moisture also leads to less frequent but far more intensive rainfall events leading to erosion and the potential for serious pollution from mining sites.

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Yours sincerely,

Prue Bodsworth

44 Elizabeth St, Tighes Hill NSW 2297, Australia

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From: [Dr Virginia Reid](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:31:57 PM

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Mines like this are and will be , a blight on the history of what we have done to this land and the planet by way of destruction to biodiversity, the atmosphere and the available land we have to grow the food we eat and the much needed precious water resources to need. Please consider when you decide what you personally wish to

contribute to the world we live in , both now and into the future.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Dr Virginia Reid

35 Church St, The Hill NSW 2300, Australia

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From: [Carolyn Hadlow](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:29:13 PM

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Carolyn Hadlow

Nowra Pl, Eastwood VIC 3875, Australia

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From: [Anne Brown](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:25:04 PM

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Anne Brown

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine. When is this obsession with coal and gas going to stop?

Yours sincerely,

Carolyn Hadlow

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From: [Kim Kindler](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:20:09 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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I am shocked that despite every indication that coal fuel is so terribly harmful to the atmosphere, contributing so highly to global warming, is largely automated, reliant on water which we so desperately need for farming and the livelihood of our sick river systems etc that the Government continues to pursue and support the coal industry.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We simply cannot afford to further risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine. Nor the additional millions of tonnes of greenhouse gases that we know are changing world climate and increased bush fires.

Are those of us remembering events last spring-summer out numbered? I so hope not.

Sincerely,

Kim Kindler

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From: [Sarah McLoughlin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:19:08 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Such a massive mine cannot avoid ruining aquifers upon which regional communities depend.

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We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

It is too big, too dirty and in the wrong place. The short term value of the coal does not trump all other values which will last long into the future if not destroyed by this mine

-the land will be scarified; left bare and exposed to baking heat which in itself heats the land locally and kills soil microbiota decomposing to add to greenhouse gases. adding to the 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere when the coal burns, All of Australia is already at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.

Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 meters of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and

blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sarah McLoughlin

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From: [Darryl Stevenson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:18:58 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Darryl Stevenson

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From: [Mike Belfield](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:18:27 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Mike Belfield

Narara Ecovillage, 25 Research Rd, Narara NSW 2250, Australia

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From: [Celeste McGain](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:16:55 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Celeste McGain

2474 Bells Line of Rd, Bilpin NSW 2758, Australia

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From: [Ruth Adams](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:08:53 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am an Australian very concerned about the effects of permission for increased mining such as the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri on our food and water security. Without good clean water and food our species, and others, do not have a future.

I believe if this extension goes ahead, the impacts on the local farming communities, agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley will be unpalatable and unacceptable to the majority of Australians.

Up to this point in time in the 21st Century, there appears to be very little comprehensive strategic planning to ensure food and water security for those living on this continent.

Disappointingly, ad hoc planning and decisionmaking for the good of "the economy" as if it is a living thing, has become the norm,

The Namoi area and Boggabri district are already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

Alarming, around Australia there are in excess of one hundred abandoned mine sites where rehabilitation has not been effected.

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It is almost inconceivable that a private entity has been able to do what new mapping shows ie that the land acquired by Whitehaven Coal in the north-west is nearing the size of the country of Singapore.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently.

I urge you to carefully consider my objection to the proposed extension of Vickery mine.

Please note I live in The Hunter valley. This is an area which has been irrevocably changed by the industrialisation of the landscape by the mining industry. Very little of this change has been positive in terms of the quality of life one expects from living in Australian. The availability of good clean water and the recognition that food security is important for all Australians is crucial. We simply cannot afford to continue to mine arable land and disturb the hydrology of these areas.

Yours sincerely,

Ruth Adams

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From: [Julie Brand](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:08:41 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Julie Brand,

Bargo NSW 2574

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From: [Daniel Andjelic](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:08:35 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Daniel Andjelic

9 Thornton St, Fairlight NSW 2094, Australia

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From: [Karina Lacis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:07:12 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Karina Laci

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From: [Christopher Ross](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:07:02 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Christopher Ross

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From: [Dick Clarke](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:06:55 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Dick Clarke

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From: [MARIA Coelho](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:04:48 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

MARIA Coelho

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From: [Jacquelyn Dixon](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:03:52 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I am troubled by the expansion of mining activities into farming land, if this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jacquelyn Dixon

922 Dungay Creek Rd, Wittitrin NSW 2440, Australia

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From: [Karin Olah](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:50:51 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

Karin Olah

87 Yarranabbe Rd, Darling Point NSW 2027, Australia

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From: [Dennis Hatzl](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:49:54 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Dennis Hatzi

2 Farley Cl, Elernmore Vale NSW 2287, Australia

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From: [Angela Keith](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:46:22 PM

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Enough of coal - we have a three decades to get our house in order - any new approvals of coal mines is going to set us back again. What is it you don't understand about the science of climate change? Of water conservation? Food security?

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Angela Keith

Coorumbene Springs, 12561 Princes Hwy, Brogo NSW 2550, Australia

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From: [robyn vollweiler](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:40:08 PM

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Yours sincerely,

robyn vollweiler

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From: [Georgia Phillips](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:39:27 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Georgia Phillips

3 , Railway Crescent, Stanwell Park

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From: [Peter Howse](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:33:22 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Peter Howse

54 Lawrence st

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From: [Leni Smith](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:32:55 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Leni Smith

Edwards St, Katoomba NSW 2780, Australia

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From: [Gauri Donald](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:32:37 PM

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From: [Alex Staszewski](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:29:49 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Alex Staszewski

127 Reservoir Rd, Blacktown NSW 2148, Australia

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From: [Rebecca Grice](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:28:10 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rebecca Grice

31 Dickson St, Bronte NSW 2024, Australia

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From: [Edward Newling](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:26:27 PM

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I object to this project most strongly. It is deleterious to both Australia & the planet.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Edward Newling

74 Casino St, South Lismore NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Pat Rayner](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:25:19 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Pat Rayner

17 Wylde St, Potts Point NSW 2011, Australia

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From: [Rosina Mihajlovic](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:15:00 PM

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Rosina Mihajlovic

4 Aldinga Court

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From: [Howard Jones](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:07:49 PM

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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From: [Katherine Delaney](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:03:55 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Katherine Delaney

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From: [Ruth Carruthers](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:02:47 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Ruth Carruthers

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From: [Dorothy White](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 8:02:25 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Dorothy White

12 Victoria Parade, Cootamundra

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From: [Michael Lyons](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:59:55 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I object to this coal mine primarily because the coal burnt will significantly contribute to greenhouse gas emissions and thereby contribute to the heating of the planet, increasing the rate of climate change and putting at great risk the safety of current and future generations. We know this from the science-based advice provided by the IPCC in that no new coal should be burnt if we are to meet the goal of limiting average global temperature to an increase of 1.5 degree centigrade above pre-industrial levels.

We also know that the NSW State government has an alternative: it could invest in renewable energy sources including solar and wind power.

Another objection is the destruction of the productive farming district of Boggabri including the dislocating effect of a new rail connection across the Namoi River and its floodplain.

I also object in sympathy with the local community whose Council has formally objected to the project for it's adverse social impact and water shortage consequential risks.

Following the proposed desecration of this beautiful countryside, the developer, Whitehaven, is allowed to spread mine spoil, permanently ruining this once productive land; the place that poetry has been written about.

Yours sincerely,
Michael Lyons
8 Granite St, Port Macquarie NSW 2444, Australia

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From: [Ana Cissinet](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:59:50 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Ana Cissinet

1680 Cawongla Rd, Cawongla NSW 2474, Australia

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From: [Alice Cairns](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Alice Cairns

171 Derby St, Penrith NSW 2750, Australia

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From: [Horst Hauser](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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From: [julie dickson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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julie dickson

20 Cordini St, Tucabia NSW 2462, Australia

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From: [gemma.davis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Gemma Davis

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From: [Mike van der Zwart](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:56:20 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Mike van der Zwart

Garage, 62 Beaurepaire Cres, Holt ACT 2615, Australia

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From: [Robert Walker](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Robert Walker

51 May St, Dunoon NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Teresa Tyrrell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:49:59 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

It seems absurd that after the devastation of this past summer and the direct correlation between these fires and climate change that you could even consider approving further coal mining.

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PLEASE, NO MORE COAL MINES.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Teresa Tyrrell

18 Marlo Rd, Towradgi NSW 2518, Australia

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From: [Marcille Cameron](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:47:33 PM

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Marcille Cameron

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From: [Stephen Case](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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We have witnessed the panic buying of toilet paper and other essentials during the COVID19 crisis. Imagine the panic if and when we can no longer produce food to feed ourselves because our precious water has either been used by this mine or polluted our river systems with its waste and run off.

Perhaps a case could be made for this project if this was our only energy and resource option yet there are alternative more sustainable options available now that should take priority over prehistoric operations like this one.

I ask you to please take mine and many others objections seriously. Climate change is not a religion though it has been made political but there are every day people out there who wish to see a better way forward and allowing this Vickery Extension Project to go ahead makes absolutely no sense to anyone apart from Whitehaven shareholders.

Our future is worth more than vested interests.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Stephen Case

28 Wooden St, Turvey Park NSW 2650, Australia

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Can you please act responsibly with the benefit of the Australian public in mind. We need our farms, you can't eat coal. We need our water. We need to hand our children an Australia that can be self sufficient, and also offers a healthy lifestyle. We need to retain our democratic society, and not be so influenced, or owned, by foreign powers. Think of the people who voted you in, and look after Australians first and foremost.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Pat Myer

31 Marlee St, Wingham NSW 2429, Australia

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From: [Marinella Duval](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:43:13 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Marinella Duval

Homer St, Earlwood NSW 2206, Australia

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From: [Sally Charles](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Sally Charles

40 Bondi Rd, Bondi Junction NSW 2022, Australia

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From: [Valda Rogan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:38:49 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I simply can not fathom how anyone in their right mind, could contemplate allowing this water guzzling mine to be approved. Is there no end to this insanity and greed?

There is a simple equation, no trees, no water, no food, no people. Really, it is so frustrating in this day and age to think that these destructive projects are still being proposed, with this mine so dangerously close to the Namoi river.

I can only surmise that our current level of pollution has affected the thinking capacity of most of the people involved.

Please use your integrity and put a stop to this preposterous and destructive project., it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Valda Rogan

26 Yinni st Maroochydore

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From: [anthony.martin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

anthony martin

23 Mutual Rd, Mortdale NSW 2223, Australia

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From: [John Wong](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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John Wong

10 Renwick St, Redfern NSW 2016, Australia

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From: [Warren Wagner](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Warren Wagner

34 Rise St, Mount Gravatt East QLD 4122, Australia

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From: [Jan van der Waal](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Jan van der Waal

Grand View, 208 Coopers Rd, Red Range NSW 2370, Australia

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From: [Bernadette Zacka](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Bernadette Zacka

14 Yoorami Rd, Beverly Hills NSW 2209, Australia

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From: [Julianna Szalay](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Julianna Szalay

Park Ave, Kotara NSW 2289, Australia

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From: [Sonya Muhlsimmer](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sonya Muhlsimmer

15 Kingsway, Hazelbrook NSW 2779, Australia

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From: [Tom Grimshaw](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:24:34 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Tom Grimshaw

66 Wentworth Park Rd, Glebe NSW 2037, Australia

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From: [Lisa Romano](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:20:51 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Lisa Romano

Canyonview, 2291 Tugalong Rd, Canyonleigh NSW 2577, Australia

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From: [Jens Svensson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:15:46 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jens Svensson

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From: [Allan Evans](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:12:36 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. Our State has suffered severely in the recent times from the impacts of a crippling drought, unprecedented bush fires, followed by wild storms. All of these events can be attributed to changing climatic conditions exacerbated by green house emissions from the mining and burning of fossil fuels. As a society we need to immediately respond to this situation by honoring our commitments to the Global Community to meet and surpass emission reductions agreed to in the Paris Agreement. Coal mining must be phased out and no new coal projects allowed forthwith.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine. I am hopeful that you will take note of the community objections and not ignore overwhelming community objections as recently occurred in relation to the Narabri Gas Project.

Yours sincerely,

Allan Evans

30 Condor Cct, Lambton NSW 2299, Australia

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From: [Kerrie Stewart](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:12:03 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kerrie Stewart

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From: [Raymond Fisher](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:08:05 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Raymond Fisher

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From: [Sandy Lee](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 7:00:21 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

After the extremes of drought and bushfires that have impacted Australia, the emphasis on how critical water is to this country could not be stronger. Already it has been exposed that our river systems are being exploited, with water literally being stolen from the communities that so desperately rely on them for their very livelihood. Therefore as a deeply concerned Australian, I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sandy Lee

60/14-16 Ormonde Parade Hurstville NSW 2220

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From: [Kate Belfield](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:59:10 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Please hear the voices from those of us who are concerned and deeply worried about this mine going ahead.

Please reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kate Belfield

25 Research Road

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From: [Paul Geense](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:59:07 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Paul Geense

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From: [Margaret Hilder](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:58:20 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to urge you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley and the region's rich cultural heritage.

It will also, in the slightly longer term, have a devastating effect upon our climate, including the likelihood of more devastating bushfires like the ones that my family and I experienced last summer.

At least 90 family farms have already been bought out in the region, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

In the long run, we all need farms and agriculture more than we need another coal mine.

The impacts of the mine on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times. And where will this leave the local farmers, and their products that we all depend on?

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, for another water hungry coal mine. Nor can we afford the 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to likely be added to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires;

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Margaret Hilder

90 Bonnie Blink Dr, Little Hartley NSW 2790, Australia

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From: [Wayne Riley](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:57:18 PM

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I live in the Hunter Valley where open cut mines have made it simply a very unhealthy place to live. Open cut mines impact the environment in almost every way. Enormous destruction of farming land. Destruction of large areas of habitat for almost all living creatures. Destruction of air quality that makes it unsafe to live, which is

what has happened in the Hunter Valley. It has enormous impact on water supplies and affects subterranean aquifers that farmers have relied upon for centuries. To approve another mine of this scale is short sighted and completely irresponsible for the long term future of Australia. and its productive farming land. Goulbourne River Valley near Wollar is another example of a rural community dying. The local school has been shut down and the flags are at half mast. This used to be a thriving rural community until, inevitably the mines showed up, with their massive capital resources, and bought struggling farmers out. There are still many people livi

ng and working in the area of this proposed mine and their future health and well being should be protected from the onslaught of irresponsible mining practices like open cut mining. Underground mining is a viable alternative and substantially reduces the impact to the environment on almost every level. Do not approve this mine, there are alternatives for the better good of every one involved.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Wayne Riley

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From: [Laraine Bunt](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:56:56 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Laraine Bunt

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From: [Kelvin Elfinson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:56:44 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kelvin Elfinson

83 Bay Rd, Waverton NSW 2060, Australia

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From: [Phil Long](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:54:40 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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From: tony.pottage
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](mailto:IPCN.Enquiries.Mailbox)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:51:19 PM

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Yours sincerely,

tony pottage

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From: [Sean Kelly](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:47:03 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sean Kelly

Mansion Point Rd, Grays Point 2232 NSW

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From: [ann_cape](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:46:46 PM

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Yours sincerely,

ann cape

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From: [Nicole Luhrs](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:42:12 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon. We have had a serious drought last year with a climate heating up, we do not need a further coal mine that will add further to climate change.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Nicole Luhrs

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From: [Susanna Foran](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:41:12 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Susanna Foran

27 Mansion Point Rd, Grays Point NSW 2232,

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From: [Lawrence Roberts](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:37:13 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Lawrence Roberts

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From: [Elizabeth Ellis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:36:22 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Reasons for rejecting this mine extension:

It will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community through its affect on the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Yours sincerely,

Elizabeth Ellis

3 Campion Parade, Armidale NSW 2350, Australia

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From: [Suzanne Eckert](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:31:53 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I grew up in this area, and my family still live there. Honestly, this is prime land to feed the nation and has limited water, Look after the people and the land NOT huge water guzzling and landscape destroying corporations!!

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Yours sincerely,

Suzanne Eckert

Bathurst

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From: [Margaret Foy](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:29:56 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Margaret Foy

Fitzroy street LEURA NSW. 27&0

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From: [Katrina Marshall](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:29:29 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Katrina Marshall

47 Foothills Rd, Austinmer NSW 2515, Australia

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From: [Ron Miller](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:28:31 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Ron Miller

Holbrook Nsw

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From: [Witold Butwilowski](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:26:19 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Witold Butwilowski

76 Muston St, Mosman NSW 2088, Australia

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From: [Angela O'Brien](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:26:09 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Angela O'Brien

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From: [Robyn Geerlings](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:25:29 PM

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Robyn Geerlings

12 George Cl, North Macksville NSW 2447, Australia

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From: [Tim Foley](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:23:38 PM

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Tim Foley

9 McDonald St, Preston VIC 3072, Australia

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From: [Margaret Lorang](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:22:52 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I have already written to express my objection to the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I am even more vehement on discovering that 90 farms have been sold in the area to this industrial giant.

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And now we stand to lose the farmhouse of Dorothea McKellar.

Infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

I hate what I see happening to the land I grew up in and love

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Margaret Lorang

24 Edwards Bay Rd, Mosman NSW 2088, Australia

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From: [Cheryl Ross](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Yours sincerely,

Cheryl Ross

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From: [Barry Lees](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:20:27 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Barry Lees

Galston Rd, Galston NSW 2159, Australia

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From: [j.dugas](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 10:38:17 PM

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I do thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

j dugas

51 Stantons Ln, Faulkland NSW 2422, Australia

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From: [Nigel Tanner](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Please don't destroy farming land to support doomed fossil fuel companies. Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 9:08:05 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Please don't subordinate the livelihood of Australian farming families to the interests of obsolescent fossil fuel companies

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Yours sincerely,

Nigel Tanner

282 Doncaster Ave, Kingsford NSW 2032, Australia

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From: [Lynette Trindall](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: My objection to the Vickery Extension Project, Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:20:55 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Lynette Trindall

61 Singles Ridge Rd, Winmalee NSW 2777, Australia

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From: [Debra Dawes](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:18:37 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Debra Dawes

16 Brook Street, Murrurundi. NSW

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From: [Leanne Brummell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:18:07 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

As one of the original Team of Australian Parents for Climate Action I am writing to ask that you reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The latest emissions gap report from the UN says we are on track for >3 degrees warming. This will be catastrophic for life as we know it. Opening a new fossil fuel project, be it coal, fossil gas or oil, will negatively impact the climate. We need solutions that reduce emissions not projects that contribute to more. The company's premise that its coal will in fact reduce emissions is not based on any factual evidence. It's a guess as to what might happen. Climate catastrophe is on the other hand a fact. Human lives are at stake here and this coal must be left in the ground.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Leanne Brummell

30 Victoria St, St George QLD 4487, Australia

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From: [Petra Cram](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:16:51 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Petra Cram

P.O.Box 3529 Weston, ACT

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From: [Margaret Skeel](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:13:28 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Margaret Skeel

102 Devoncourt Road

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From: [Brian & Barnes](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:11:52 PM

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We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Brian & Barnes

256 Nichols Rd

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From: [Kathryn Green](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:09:35 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.

- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead, the family home of Dorothea Mackellar. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kathryn Green

18 Short St, Balmain NSW 2041, Australia

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From: [Jenny Bell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:08:24 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine. Protecting and regenerating our farmland must be the priority for the 21st century .

Yours sincerely,

Jenny Bell

943 Collector Rd Breadalbane NSW 2581

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From: [Richard Marschall](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:07:01 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Richard Marschall

Level 40, 100 Miller Street

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From: [Pat Davies](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:05:12 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Pat Davies

80 Prince Charles Rd, Frenchs Forest NSW 2086, Australia

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From: [Rosemary Livingstone](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:04:33 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. My request is based on the severe impact on

*water resources

*agriculture for the region

*future employment of people who live in the region

*national heritage, specifically the plains as a geographically rich environment, and the Dorothy McKellar legacy of her family homestead.

A possible mine threatens the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon. The last several years of drought have proved how essential our water sources are for agriculture and the whole state. The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rosemary Livingstone

navluj@yahoo.com.au

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From: [Sharon Nott](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:01:15 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sharon Nott

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From: [Kathy Donnelly](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:01:04 PM

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I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kathy Donnelly

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From: [Ivan Ballin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:00:07 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The reasons I object are:

- * The mine will use precious water which is already in short supply, for the purpose of washing coal.
- * The local water, when in adequate supply should be reserved for agriculture and animal farming practices.
- * The landscape will be damaged beyond recognition, since no mining company ever in the history of mining in Australia has been able to, nor had the will to restore the landscape to its primary and first usage and condition.
- * The local farming community will suffer, as will the culture and heritage of this important farming and grazing area of NSW.
- * The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine..
- * Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district, and we need to recognise that people live in a country which affords farming as a reasonable occupation, not a mine pit.
- * Farming families leaving the area will hit the ranks of the permanently unemployed, destabilising family links going back generations, as they are simply not skilled for mining work, and neither should they be forced to train for it, even if the jobs were there.
- * Until this mine came along, farming community members and their families had a reasonable expectation that they would be able to grow old on their chosen properties, and pass them on to their children. Instead there will be nothing to pass on except unemployment.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Ivan Ballin

Unit 1 / 5 Dent Street Merewether NSW 2291

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From: [Rudi Gerhardt](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:57:38 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rudi Gerhardt

321 Hopkins Creek Road

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From: [Judy Milling](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:55:56 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If you have ever seen the damage done you couldn't possibly agree with going ahead with this.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Judy Milling

29 Irene Parade, Noraville NSW 2263, Australia

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From: [Sue Hamparsum](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:55:32 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sue Hamparsum

11/18 Kyngdon Street

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From: [Geoff Kennedy](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:55:04 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [Michael Cook](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:54:48 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The bushfires of last summer has been an example of what we can expect in years to come with a changing climate and the altered rainfall patterns that Accompany such changes.

The need for yet another coal mine is no longer possible to justify if any sort of long term thinking is applied. Not only does the Vickery extension impinge upon the lives of the farming community that occupy the region, it will also require water that is already in short supply to be given over to the mine so that it can wash coal.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Michael Cook

Chatswood NSW 2067

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From: [anthony.mcgrath](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:54:29 PM

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Yours sincerely,

anthony mcgrath

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From: [Tanya Leach](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:54:28 PM

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Tanya Leach

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From: [Helen Marsh](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:52:19 PM

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Helen Marsh

56 Yurunga Dr, North Nowra NSW 2541, Australia

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From: [Mike Pickles](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Mike Pickles

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From: [Kaye Beckwith](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Kaye Beckwith

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From: [Sarah Neal](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Sarah Neal

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From: [Deborah McMillan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Deborah McMillan

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From: [Maureen Whitton](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:48:43 PM

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Maureen Whitton

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From: [Margaret Bradstock](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Margaret Bradstock

302 Alison Rd, Coogee NSW 2034, Australia

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From: [C. Smith](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:45:58 PM

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From: [Bradford Goulding](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:45:47 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. Whitehaven's Vickery Project is a massive coal mine in the productive farming district of Boggabri, with a new rail connection that will cross the Namoi River and its floodplain.

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Whitehaven currently operates four mines across the north west, with Vickery to become its fifth if approved and built. The Boggabri farming community has already felt the damage from these mines taking water and driving local farming families away.

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To feed its thirst for water, Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine has already taken water illegally, outbid local farmers for water at auction and built pipelines from nearby farms to divert farming water for mining.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Bradford Goulding

27 Bareena Rd, Avalon Beach NSW 2107, Australia

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From: [TJ Jirsh](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:40:00 PM

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Yours sincerely,

TJ Jirsh

Wollombi Rd, Cessnock NSW 2325, Australia

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From: [Charles Rue](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:38:41 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Dear Members

I write as a Catholic priest concerned about the moral issues linked to approval of the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. I am not a 'good doer' priest as I was a NSW farmer in my younger days and have since done post-graduate environmental studies at Macquarie University.

Both the social and environmental impacts of this proposal alarm me. The local community has already been impacted by existing mines in the area which are de-populating the district as farmers and their suppliers are pushed out. Not only the thirst of mines for water but the pollution of water is a threat. The supply of water in places like the Namoi valley is already under threat as the climate becomes more fickle.

This also impacts biodiversity as recent drought and fires have clearly shown. .

Happily, Australian governments have listened to the medical science on how to respond to Covid-19. Rapidly changing climate impacted by rising levels of greenhouse gases is the message of nearly all climate scientists. I appeal to you to listen to their science and not approve adding additional gases to the atmosphere. Literally, the future of the world as we know it is at risk.

Analysis in the 2015 environmental letter of Pope Francis linked four spheres that must work together for earth care - ecological and economic, social and cultural (including religion). Each sphere needs to work together for the common good. Each has weight in any assessment. The Pope concluded, care for earth is in the order of love.

Thank you.,
Charles Rue
Columban Mission, 21 Victoria St STRATHFIELD NSW 2135

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From: [Robyn Cairns](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:38:31 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Robyn Cairns

1 Freney Pl, Florey ACT 2615, Australia

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From: [Jean Thomson](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Jean Thomson

Canberra 2600

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From: [LIZ FRIEND](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:37:54 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

PLEASE reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. This is the last thing we need when our climate is changing so rapidly, water is precious, renewables are obviously the way we need to go. We cannot have companies like Whitehaven overtaking the area, buying everyone out and destroy peoples' lives in the process.... **WITHOUT WATER, FARMERS CANNOT SURVIVE!**

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Please consider carefully my objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

LIZ FRIEND

Warrambool Rd, Ocean Shores NSW 2483, Australia

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From: [FRANK SYKES](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

FRANK SYKES

Scottish Freemason, 24 Freedman Rd, Menora WA 6050, Australia

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From: [Kerry Fagan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:34:50 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Kerry Fagan

Torryburn Rd, Torryburn NSW 2421, Australia

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From: [Mike Giblin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:33:19 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Mike Giblin

Sunset Dr, West Albury NSW 2640, Australia

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From: [Gail Armstrong](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:31:52 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Gail Armstrong

10 Judith St, Corlette NSW 2315, Australia

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From: [Terry Keen](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:31:48 PM

How independent are you lot. You have a bad track record of approving everything. Your'e forcing Australia's farmers out.

The first citizens also deserve more than this, and the Santos CSG Piliga project is also a total disgrace, especially since no one in Australia will get a reduced (already expensive) market price for Gas.

These projects will pollute the recharge area for the 'Great Artesian Basin" Disgraceful!

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Yours sincerely,

Terry Keen

Rylstone Dam Rd, Rylstone NSW 2849, Australia

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From: [Lisa Knight](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:30:54 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Lisa Knight

32 Willowbank Dr, Alstonvale NSW 2477, Australia

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From: [Louisa Butler](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:30:19 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Louisa Butler

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From: [Elle Pedersen](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:29:57 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Elle Pedersen

7 Edmund Street

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From: [Gary Brooker](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:27:50 PM

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From: [Fay Ross](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:27:15 PM

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From: [Christine Rogers](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:26:48 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

This is not the answer to our future. Once we didn't know any better but now we do so there is no excuse for desecrating the land and our environment any further. There are at least 1 million job opportunities from other investments as identified in the recent report from Beyond Zero emissions.

It is time to stop all this short term thinking and recognise what we are doing to our planet.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Christine Rogers

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From: [Natalie Hennekam](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:26:10 PM

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Natalie Hennekam

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From: [Jenni Donohoe](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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From: [John Calokerinos](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:24:28 PM

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Yours sincerely,

John Calokerinos

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From: [suzie.macdougall](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

suzie macedougall

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From: [Janine Murphy](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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From: [Anara Carroll](#)
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Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:24:01 PM

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We are already seeing the devastation the fires last season caused and ravages of drought, surely that is sufficient for us to realise that coal is not the way of the future if we are to continue to be supported by the land.

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Yours sincerely,

Anara Carroll

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From: [penelope lawless](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:23:14 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to object to the proposed Vickery Extension Project near the town of Boggabri.

The impact on the water availability by this mine to other users will be severe, and could even use all available water.

It will depopulate the area and reduce services to the remaining community.

There is more to life than minning royalties and riches for minning companies. There are communities and the environment. Please consider the future of these and encourage our government to invest in renewal energy and our future.

Yours sincerely,

penelope lawless

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From: [John Hamparsum](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:22:52 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Our region already has enough coal mines that have already employed anybody available, leaving many local businesses struggling to find skilled labour, the mines have them all. So any argument to say it will provide more jobs for local people is not true, Whitehaven will have to bring in FIFO workers for any mine extensions above what they already have.

Climate change is a serious issue facing our generation and the next generations, we should be transitioning to renewable energy and having a slow transition out of fossil fuels, I say slow only because there are people employed in the mining industry that will need to transition to new jobs as fossil fuels are phased out. We do not need nor can our planet afford expanding coal mines, this Vickery Extension is not required and will only cause increased local issues and contribute to further deterioration of our climate.

The planned site of this mine is right beside the Namoi River, as members of the IPC you should be fully aware of what coal mines next to the Hunter River have done. Examples like Rix's Creek mine recently using 26 water aspirators to de-water the mine after leakage from the river into their mine is unacceptable, these aspirators pump from 25 litres per second up to 200 litres per second. Even if you use the smaller size of 25 litres/second, those 26 aspirators were pumping 56 megalitres/day into the atmosphere, that is 56 Olympic swimming pools per day. The Whitehaven Werris Creek Mine is currently using two of these aspirators, they are pumping 4.3 megalitres per day into the air, at the current rate they are pumping that is 1,569 megalitres per year and we wonder why all the local farm bores are drying up? This water that is being sprayed into the air to evaporate off is the excess water that they can't use for washing coal and dust suppression.

This mine must not be allowed to go ahead, the threat to the local water and Namoi River is enough reason in itself to stop this mine.

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Yours sincerely,

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From: [Valerie Reynolds](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:20:49 PM

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Yours faithfully,

Valerie Reynolds,

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From: [Paul Salmon](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Paul Salmon

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From: [Kim Nolan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:19:44 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Please we need to protect our precious farming land and water supply. Developments such as this project are highly risky from an environmental and agricultural point of view. Australia is mostly desert and it is imperative we protect the natural resources we have so we can continue to feed ourselves and have adequate water supplies.

As a scientist, I've already seen evidence of the disappearance of water courses in coal mining areas. Maybe it can't be proven that the coal mine caused streams to stop flowing, but there is a substantial risk that this occurs through fracturing of the bedrock under the water table. We can't get our water supply back once it is lost or contaminated. What a huge loss for short-term profit. How can we explain such a monumental stuff-up to our children? This is not the legacy I want my generation to leave behind.

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Kim Nolan

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From: [Pauline Garde](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:18:58 PM

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Pauline Garde

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

David Miranda

14 Cunningham St, Hazelbrook NSW 2779, Australia

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From: [Kay Labo](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:17:25 PM

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From: [Richard Stanford](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:16:01 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Richard Stanford

59/63-67, St Pauls Street, Randwick, NSW 2031

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From: [Marcin Kozik](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:13:44 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Marcin Kozik

70 Rosemead Rd, Hornsby NSW 2077, Australia

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From: [Megan Benson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:13:40 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I object to the proposed Vickery Coal Mine Extension Project near Boggabri.

Unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon will occur. This coal mine expansion has the potential to harm my children's and grandchildren's futures. It is not ecologically or economically sustainable for coal mining corporations to continue destroying the natural systems upon which life depends.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours faithfully,

Megan Benson

Yours sincerely,

Megan Benson

56 Brighton Street Bundeena 2230

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From: [Sue Anderson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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We have already been told by experts that we only have 10 years to reduce emissions drastically or we face a

catastrophic future. I have grandchildren - they are depressed thinking that there is nothing they can do and facing an uncertain future. I am depressed for their sake but it would help my spirits and theirs (and certainly the local farmers) if these destructive mines and extensions stop being developed now. We need our farmland and our climate restored.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sue Anderson

27 Delecta Ave, Clareville NSW 2107, Australia

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From: [Debajyoti Ghosal](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Debajyoti Ghosal

Unit 4408 , 57-59 Queen Street Auburn NSW 2144

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From: [Vicki Lennon](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:12:46 PM

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Vicki Lennon

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From: [Penelope Drake-Brockman](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:12:25 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I strongly object to the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, the local farming community will be destroyed. Water resources of the Namoi Valley will be destroyed or irrevocably polluted along with the region's cultural heritage. Global warming will be increased by this increase in coal production and the world's liveable climate worsened.

The Boggabri district is already suffering depopulation as farms bought up by Whitehaven at nearby Maules Creek are going out of business.

As admitted by the Department of Planning there is insufficient water already and a new Vickery mine could easily run out of water during Australia's increasing droughts.

This is only a small proportion of the damage that this additional mine infrastructure will cause. The area will be left with an untold amount of toxic waste making the water and soil unsuitable for future agricultural use. We need to preserve from mining all good quality land presently used for food production. Food is more important than profits from coal or gas.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Penelope Drake-Brockman

Gloucester NSW

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From: [Maxine McKinley](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:12:09 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Maxine McKinley

Katoomba St, Katoomba NSW 2780, Australia

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From: [Leif Lemke](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:10:54 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Before you consider granting permission for the Vickery Extension please take into account the effect this mine will have on Climate Change

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Leif Lemke

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922 Darkwood Rd, Darkwood NSW 2454, Australia

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From: [Susanne Skates](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:10:31 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Susanne Skates

23 Billabong Parade, Chisholm NSW 2322, Australia

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From: [JOSEPHINE WILLIAMS](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:09:04 PM

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From: [Helen Caldwell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:08:02 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Helen Caldwell

Shellharbour NSW 2529

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:07:53 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Nola Farman

13-15 Ocean St N, Bondi NSW 2026, Australia

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From: [Shayne Ward](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:07:33 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

This mine goes against what Australia needs to do in the next decade to help save our environment and reduce global warming worldwide.

Australia needs to focus on protecting the wonderful country we have, we need to work on renewable energy instead of raping our land for the profit of large organisations, whose only interest is economic greed.

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Yours sincerely,

Shayne Ward

Telopea Ave, Caringbah South NSW 2229, Australia

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:06:54 PM

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Daniel Rawson

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From: [Anna Gibbs](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Anna Gibbs

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From: [Jane Friend](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:05:54 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Myself and my family live on the banks at the end of the Namoi River just East of Walgett. We farm 11,150 hectares and have done for 5 generations. Over the years we have seen the damage of extraction from the Namoi has and is doing. It must stop for the future of this land.

As you must all be aware, the Namoi River in times of drought stops running. This brings much uncertainty and hardship for those that rely on the river for stock and domestic water. Any thought of a mine along a river is beyond belief, not only the water being used and not reaching the lower part of the river system, but the huge impact a mine would have on the water quality and the environment. In this day and age, have we not seen the damage the mining is doing to the environment...

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Yours sincerely,

Jane Friend

Carlton Walgett 2832

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From: [Steven Gill](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:04:24 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead how will that help the climate, surely investment in renewables would be better, not to mention the damage done to the Namoi River.

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Yours sincerely,

Steven Gill

Doubleview rd Farrants Hill

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From: [Gwenyth Stanyer](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:03:41 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

We need our fertile farmlands more than ever now, with supply chains being interrupted worldwide. We need our experienced farmers, who grow good quality food without the subsidies farmers get in other countries. Most of all we need to ensure that the water tables are not contaminated in this land where the water tables mean life.

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Yours sincerely,

Gwenyth Stanyer

Dapto, NSW

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From: [Julianne Reeves](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Julianne Reeves

26 Mundoorra Ave, Yattalunga NSW 2251, Australia

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From: [Brigid Gregg](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:01:01 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Brigid Gregg

Cedar Cottage, 28 Bundanoon Rd, Exeter NSW 2579, Australia

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From: [Rob Davies](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:00:42 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Rob Davies

Katoomba St, Harrison ACT 2914, Australia

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From: [Alan Pursch](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:00:31 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission

Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission on this proposal.

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The deleterious effects of coal mining, particularly for thermal coal, on climate change are well established, and on these grounds alone the proposal should be rejected.

The local negative effects should the mine go ahead would be devastating. These negative effects include:

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Alan Pursch

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From: [Heather Coombes](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:58:45 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Heather Coombes

Aranda ACT

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From: [marie lawton](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:58:26 PM

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Yours sincerely,

marie lawton

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From: [David Lynch](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:55:37 PM

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Yours sincerely,

David Lynch

2/5 Bangalay Drive, Port Macquarie NSW, Australia

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From: [Richard Clarke](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:55:28 PM

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From: [Georgina Burton](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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From: [Bronwyn Green](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:53:47 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Bronwyn Green

26 Cooksey Cl, Waratah West NSW 2298, Australia

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From: [Marilyn Marsden](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:53:20 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Marilyn Marsden

16 Dover St, Moree NSW 2400, Australia

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From: [Maren Beattie](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:52:03 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Maren Beattie

1 Ethel St, Hornsby NSW 2077, Australia

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From: [Neville Threlfall](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:51:36 PM

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Neville Threlfall

91/19 Bias Ave, Bateau Bay NSW 2261, Australia

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From: [marigold hayler](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

marigold hayler

6 Cairns Drive, Darley, 3340

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From: [Diamond J Legend](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:50:10 PM

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Diamond J Legend

482 Sugarbag Rd W, Drake NSW 2469, Australia

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From: [Lin McClintock](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 6:20:23 PM

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Lin McClintock

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From: [Shaun Stephens](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 5:15:42 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

Shaun Stephens

Belle Tromoto, Unit 1/7 Sommers St, Conder ACT 2906, Australia

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From: [Rodion Kashubin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: An Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:21:51 PM

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Rodion Kashubin

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From: [Belinda Elsmore](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:49:13 PM

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Belinda Elsmore

Milbrodale Road Broke

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From: [John Sot](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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From: [Judy Schneider](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:47:41 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times. WATER IS LIFE.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Judy Schneider

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From: [Susan Knowles](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:47:31 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Susan Knowles

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From: [Rebecca Tuska](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:46:40 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rebecca Tuska

Bonnydoon, 119 Wamban Rd, Moruya NSW 2537, Australia

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From: [Linda Gatfield](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:45:56 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I urge you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The proposed mine will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

In particular, I strongly object to the use of water for the mine that is needed by farmers in the district to continue to earn their living on the land. Water has already been taken illegally by Whitehaven, and this must stop. Farmers have been outbid while a pipeline has been built to divert water to the mine that was previously vital for farming purposes. Whitehaven now proposes to pile spoil on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which will cause heavy metals to leach into the aquifer. This is not supported by the Water Division of the Dept Industry and Energy.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Linda Gatfield

5 King St, Waverton NSW 2060, Australia

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From: [Graham Warburton](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:45:10 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Graham Warburton

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From: [Geoffrey Taylor](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:44:17 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Geoffrey Taylor

Clifton Road, Clovelly

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From: [Anne Rowland](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:42:19 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I cannot understand how we continue to approve new coal mines and additional capacity for existing coal mines, given large investors are divesting from coal. BlackRock, the world's largest fund manager has announced it will be dumping coal. Most major Australian and European banks and insurers are walking away from coal. Super giant HESTA has started divesting from thermal coal companies. Investment in coal is no longer attractive.

Apart from the fact investing in coal does not make economic sense, - look at the global move to renewables as our major source of power - we need to consider the long term harm of coal mines to rural communities, Australia's food chain, and most importantly, the environment.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already profoundly affected by the decrease in local farmland due to Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- an additional 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, and
- risk to the historic Kurrumbede homestead due to mine infrastructure encroaching within 300 metres of the building. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Lessons from the past have shown our land, our environment and our communities will never return to their pre-mine status, despite intentions and bucketloads of money.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Anne Rowland

25 Stimsons Ln, Tumby Umbi NSW 2261, Australia

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From: [Caroline de Jongh](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:41:19 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

To go ahead with the mine will pose unacceptable effects on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Caroline de Jongh

45 Hebburn St, Hamilton East NSW 2303, Australia

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From: [Jeff Williams](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:41:04 PM

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.
- For the few jobs that the mine will create, how many have been and will be lost

- The land can never be rehabilitated.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jeff Williams

Fairlight, NSW

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From: [Catherine Riedel](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:40:49 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Catherine Riedel

31 Cameron St, Hamilton NSW 2303, Australia

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From: [Andrew Heath](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:40:26 PM

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I cannot overemphasise the importance of WATER. The preservation & conservation of potable WATER by this government is lamentable & deplorable. In light of the ongoing WATER shortages & deficiencies of rural NSW, the approval of this mine expansion is incomprehensible.

The NSW government has recently approved the expansion of mining, UNDER the Woronora Dam, the integrity of current mining already affecting the swamp & rivulets that run into the Woronora River. TOTALLY IRRESPONSIBLE.

Do you stand for the people, the residents, of this STATE. I have serious doubts.

In light of recent government decisions - the greyhounds, council amalgamations, the Power House museum - the record of responsible decision making is extremely suspect.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Andrew Heath

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From: [Patricia Heffernan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:40:25 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Patricia Heffernan

Narraweena NSW

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From: [Jim KABLE](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:39:36 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Do not ignore the following because I am happy with the succinct manner in which the key issues have been expressed. I am aware of the scurrilous way in which submissions are often barred from presentation - I have no faith in the "democratic" process of government in these 21st century vested-interests only times!

I grew up in north-west NSW - I am aware that Shenhua is being encouraged by this current rip it up/dig it up/spend "our" money not investing in manufacturing and jobs here - but buying from other lands - to destroy ancient Gomeri sites (not unlike Rio Tinto and their recent WA Juukan Gorge vandalism) in the Liverpool Plains. I would not be surprised that Boggabri is also similarly full of ancient sites of Gomeri/Eualaraay peoples needing protection. This current government is destroying our heritage! It must stop. Now read on, please...and rule against further desecration of our land and environment.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jim KABLE

36 Tasman Ct, Caves Beach NSW 2281, Australia

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From: [Judith Lawson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:38:40 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Judith Lawson

2265 Coorangong

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From: [Robyn Hooper](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:38:19 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Robyn Hooper

11 Bourne St, Katoomba NSW 2780, Australia

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From: [Kevin Sweeney](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:38:18 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The development and operation of the Vickery coal mine and subsequent burning of this coal will lead to a significant increase in greenhouse gas emissions and contribute to further global warming. - It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires. The impact of global warming and the resulting climate change presents a major threat to the livelihoods, health and well-being of all Australians as well as the rest of the world. It would be irresponsible for the government or the IPC to approve this development in light of the severe consequences for all Australians.

In addition to the national and global effects, this mine would have serious local and regional impacts, namely on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the region's rich cultural heritage.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district. At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kevin Sweeney

16 Everton St, Hamilton East NSW 2303, Australia

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From: [Ted Woodley](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:37:46 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Ted Woodley

13 Beauchamp Ave, Chatswood NSW 2067, Australia

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From: [Frennie Beytagh](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:37:44 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Frennie Beytagh

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From: [Jacqueline Marks](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:37:41 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jacqueline Marks

3/6 St Georges Crescent Drummoyne

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From: [Melanie Gates-Manar](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:36:49 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Melanie Gates-Manar

Byron St, Lennox Head NSW 2478, Australia

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From: [Warren Gamack](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:35:44 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Warren Gamack

118 Mountain Top Rd, Dorrigo Mountain NSW 2453, Australia

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From: [Elizabeth Croft](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:35:27 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. As a nation we need to address climate change and stop the use of fossil fuels. We don't need new coal mines as this is outdated technology.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Elizabeth Croft

PO Box 4015 Weston ACT 2611

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From: [Linda Wilson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:32:55 PM

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From: [David McMaster](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:31:27 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

David McMaster

4/20 Somerset St Mosman

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From: [Bronwyn White](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:31:26 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Bronwyn White

Giles Rd, Seaham NSW 2324, Australia

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From: [s.Marsh](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:30:48 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

s Marsh

Kingscliff St, Kingscliff NSW 2487, Australia

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From: [Dale Curtis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:29:44 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Dale Curtis

2 Cynthia Cres, Armidale NSW 2350, Australia

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From: [Pamela Makey](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:29:00 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I am not presenting you with all the facts that you will already have received. As an older Australian, it breaks my heart to see the wonderful countryside being made into a moonscape. Flying over the area where all the coal mines are situated brings home to one the extent of the mines. Apart from the loss of the "countryside" it is the loss of agricultural land. We as a nation are supposed to be feeding the world. Yet, more and more of the land is being taken and it can not be remediated. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The other demand by coal mining is water. We are the driest continent. We are entering a period of uncertain rainfall in the future; the water in the artesian basin is reducing. The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

Why the Government gives the go ahead is beyond belief. Coal is being phased out by many countries, so why destroy more of our land and our history for an outdated fuel source.

Yours sincerely,
Pamela Makey
23 Jackson Cres, Pennant Hills NSW 2120, Australia

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From: [Christopher Panayi](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:28:53 PM

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Christopher Panayi

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From: [Deirdre Downey](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:28:48 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Deirdre Downey

21 Amaroo Ave, Barragga Bay NSW 2546, Australia

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From: [Henry Dangar](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:28:13 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I don't believe this extension has any merit what so ever.

If developed it will virtually destroy the scarce water resources of the Namoi Valley and beyond. In this dry continent of Australia it is vital we protect our natural water.

I would ask, do we need more coal mining when there are alternatives to fossil fuel derived energy including clean technologies which Australia is already adopting?

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The Namoi Valley is a valuable food producing region!

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Yours sincerely,

Henry Dangar

171 Flood St, Leichhardt NSW 2040, Australia

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From: [karen_wagner](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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I grew up on a 55,000 acre cattle station in Central Qld. The Qld government forced my family to sell our property so they could put in a dam for a coal mine.. A number of other properties were also forced to sell. Our whole community has been destroyed and now the coal mine has gone bust. Mining companies come and go

leaving destroyed communities behind them. It is your job to protect our water, our food production and our communities.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

karen wagner

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From: [Dave Hauser](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Dave Hauser

3 Bay Rd, Fennell Bay NSW 2283, Australia

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From: [Barry Cross](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:26:51 PM

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Barry Cross

145 Erith St, Bundanoon NSW 2578, Australia

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From: [Anne McMahon](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:26:49 PM

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I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

The jobs this coal mine will bring will be at the cost of rural families that have been there for generations and who have provided jobs and support to their communities for generations. These people are not fly in workers they are permanent residents that would be adding to their communities for further generation if the coal mine didn't go ahead. At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

We are already in a water crisis in our river system.

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Yours sincerely,

Anne McMahon

Mehaul, 32677 Kamilaroi Highway, Cryon NSW 2832, Australia

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From: [Wanny van Nimwegen](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Wanny van Nimwegen

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From: [Rhona Lawson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Also, at a time following drought and fires, we need to retain as much farmland for growing food as possible.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rhona Lawson

25 College St, Drummoyne NSW 2047, Australia

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From: [Allan Robertson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:24:40 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

Allan Robertson

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From: [Lynette Bartlett](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Lynette Bartlett

11 Lemnos Ave, Milperra NSW 2214, Australia

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From: [Patricia Boogaardt](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Patricia Boogaardt

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From: [Jolanta Noj-Matheson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:24:17 PM

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From: [Martin Glanz](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Kate Young

Kurrajong Hills NSW 2758

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From: [William Thomas](#)
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Yours sincerely,

William Thomas

12/18 - 22 Gilroy Rd Turramurra NSW

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Sma Ferguson

1 Warhurst Ave, Toronto NSW 2283, Australia

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From: [john.chapman](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:22:04 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am a medical scientist convinced that Earth is heading for irreversible catastrophe if Global Heating is not massively ameliorated now, through radical reduction of green house gas emissions.

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Yours sincerely,

john chapman

1/14 O'Brien St Bulli NSW 2516

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From: [Patrick Yeo](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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From: [Lois McGhie](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Marie McLennan

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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I live in the Hunter Valley and have seen the farming land and water resources in my area severely degraded by new mining leases and the never ending expansion of coal mines here. I am truly alarmed by the reckless extension of coal and gas mining operations in the fertile corridor of our lands in NSW. I urge you to stop this

proposal going ahead.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Julie Castles

1 Rowes Ln, Cardiff Heights NSW 2285, Australia

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From: [Meredith Stanton](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:20:44 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Re: Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I strongly object to the above proposal.

The Vickery Extension Project, if it goes ahead will impact negatively on the local farming community, agriculture and water resources in the Namoi Valley.

The terrible impacts of coal mining, both on local public health and from the burning of coal by energy generators leading to irreversible global warming is reason enough to reject this coal mine.

Add to this the ongoing social, economic and community impacts of Whitehaven Coal's land purchasing throughout the region and we may as well close down agriculture, give up on carbon reduction targets and declare the coal industry an unstoppable force of greed and corruption.

The impacts of this coal mine on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times. At these times local farmers will be competing with cashed up coal companies to buy water to keep livestock and crop alive during drought.

The mine waste left behind could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, leaving the region without potable water into the future (according to water experts from the NSW Government).

I believe a healthy future for NSW lies in the roll out of a clean energy industry and that coal mining for energy use or export is bad for the Namoi Valley and bad for tackling climate change, protecting limited water resources and supporting our farming communities.

Some other negative impacts of the Vickery mine include:

- Adding 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Destroying NSW heritage: Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment and for considering this objection to the Vickery mine.

Yours sincerely,

Meredith Stanton

209 Wiriri Rd, Billys Creek NSW 2453, Australia

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From: [Nigel Howard](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:20:40 PM

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The main reason for rejection is that future generations face the threat of premature death from conflict due to migration, drought, starvation, extreme weather (storms & flooding), ecological collapse causing the collapse of our food supplies. Moreover, it makes absolutely no sense whatsoever to keep pursuing fossil fuel when renewable energy sources are, cheaper, more reliable and employ 5 times as many people. Approving this mine just further locks us into a stranded asset future and delays the safe, sustainable and cheap renewable energy future that the rest of the world are rapidly transitioning to, locking us into an uncompetitive future and making us climate pariahs on the world stage. It is only a matter of time before the rest of the world put import tariffs on our fossil fuel exports - maybe all of our exports to force us to act as a responsible nation, not psychopathic toward even our own childrens' and grandchildrens' survivable futures.

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Yours sincerely,

Nigel Howard

27 Tristram Road, Beacon Hill NSW, Australia

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From: [Noel Willis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:20:28 PM

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From: [Robert Jones](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Robert Jones

103 Pittwater Road, Manly NSW, Australia

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From: [Patricia Brown](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:19:16 PM

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Patricia Brown

Yours sincerely,

Patricia Brown

35 Cox Ave, Bondi Beach NSW 2026, Australia

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From: [Joan Natoli](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Joan Natoli

Maianbar Rd, Royal National Park NSW 2233, Australia

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From: [Susan Cocker](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Susan Cocker

39 Palmer St, Balmain NSW 2041, Australia

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From: [Jenny More](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:16:47 PM

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I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The proposed mine will have unacceptable and intergenerational impacts on the water resources and long-term viability of the Namoi Valley. Once gone, it's gone forever. We have better alternatives for coal.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jenny More

42 Buchanan St, Kandos NSW 2848, Australia

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From: [Kerry Karzanov](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Kerry Karzanov

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From: [Suzanne Collins](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:16:04 PM

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Suzanne Collins

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From: [Ian Catt](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Ian Catt

26 Belvoir St, Surry Hills NSW 2010, Australia

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From: [Anna Musings](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Anna Musings

Sydney NSW

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From: [Roger Ewin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:13:58 PM

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Roger Ewin

18 Lilian St, Glendale NSW 2285, Australia

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From: [Gordon Garradd](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Gordon Garradd

Monteray Rd, Loomberah NSW 2340, Australia

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From: [Nancy Knudsen](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Nancy Knudsen

36 Marshdale Rd, Alison NSW 2420, Australia

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From: [Martin Watts](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Martin Watts

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From: [Richard Andrew](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:13:01 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Richard Andrew

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From: [Murray Deakin](#)
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Murray Deakin

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Ian Pike

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Toni Wynne

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From: [Ashley Anderson](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Ashley Anderson

Scotts Wood Grove, Mullumbimby Creek NSW 2482, Australia

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- I'm a commercial scientist and when I was initially trained in 1975 it was known and taught in the syllabus that carbon use for energy had to be ended to prevent a future collapse of civilisation. The evidence has only got stronger.

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Paul Whyte

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From: [Melinda Menzies](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Melinda Menzies

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From: [Kirsten Hill](#)
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Kirsten Hill

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From: [Rob Miihailovic](#)
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From: [Gail Staples](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:04:21 PM

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Gail Staples

9 Brooklime St, Llandilo NSW 2747, Australia

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From: [Julie Antill](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:02:47 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Please protect the future of our precious natural & social environment of this part of NSW & reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. There has been enough environmental & social destruction by Whitehaven.

Surely it s time to put a stop to coal mining if we are serious about a sustainable future. It is destructive to our natural resources of water, clean air, agriculture & climate. It is devastating to our native fauna & flora. Bit by bit we are increasing the burden on future generations by degrading our environment. Each decision to allow one mine extension here, another there, has a cumulative impact which has resulted in an already appalling record of destruction & extinction.

Last summer's bushfires were a clear warning of the type of future we will face if we continue along the path we have been on with the use of fossil fuels.

It is not easy to withstand the pressures that powerful companies with big money to make can exert, but for the sake of our children's future we must. I am to become a first time grandmother soon & as I look to the future this precious unborn child will face, I know it is our responsibility to ensure short term financial gains do not outshout careful custodianship of the gifts our earth provides.

Total destruction of agricultural land, depopulation, overuse of scarce water, pollution of aquifers, compromising of an historical property, significant contribution to climate change, this development has to be refused. Please stand strong & say no.

Yours sincerely,

Julie Antill

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Yours sincerely,

James Miller

Whurlie Station Pooncarie

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From: [Greg Brown](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:01:53 PM

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From: [Deborah Sharp](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Deborah Sharp

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From: [NANCY DIXON](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Coal is a fossil fuel that is being phased out so this extension should not even be considered. Is there no end to the arrogance and rapaciousness of these big companies who benefit at everyone else's expense?

Four mines is more than enough so stop this mine from proceeding and stand up for what is right and Just!

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

NANCY DIXON

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From: [Kathryn Teagle](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:01:22 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Follows is the objection beautifully written and researched by folk with capacity beyond me. Whilst I don't have the capacity or time for in depth research, I can see the clear writing on the wall that investing in further coal extraction does not serve the Peoples of Boggabri, Australia or our World. It most certainly does not serve the Peoples of the Future. We have such a short amount of time to turn this train wreck around for the sake of safe life in the very near future for folks alive today, let alone that of generations to come. I honestly thought that the elected government of the time's primary responsibility is to ensure the safety and wellbeing of its people, its land and the future. Please consider looking at these projects through this lens. There are so many great ways to make energy now and coal is reportedly losing value at a great rate of knots. Ripping our land apart and jeopardising rivers, history, productive farming land and Connection to Country simply

doesn't add up.

Despite it not being my words, I highly appreciate that there is the capacity to create this argument with coherence and facts beyond my ability, and respectfully, this should work better for the committee to review. I have carefully read and wholeheartedly stand by all of the following text:

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Kathryn Teagle

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Walter Moreno

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From: [Amanda Lopez](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:59:55 PM

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Amanda Lopez

11 Sabal Close Berry NSW

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From: [Jess Millership](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Jess Millership

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Nicholas Bernhardt

Isabelle Lavoix-Bernhardt

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Daniel Lavoix

Claudine Lavoix

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From: [Mary Ahern](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Mary Ahern

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From: [Alan Nurthen](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Alan Nurthen

Sydney

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From: [Glenn Culverhouse](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Glenn Culverhouse

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From: [Frances Hugo](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Frances Hugo

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From: [Pamela Priest](#)
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I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Farming land is more valuable to everyone as farming land.

We cannot eat coal.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Pamela Priest

10 Tindara Ave, Ocean Shores NSW 2483, Australia

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From: [Christine James](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:57:26 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Christine James

39 James St, Girards Hill NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Kath Parry](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:57:09 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Please reject the Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The thought of the mine dumping water into the Namoi River after fairly light rainfall is so wrong. Yet this is what is planned for this mine. It is being built too close to the Namoi River and its floodplains.

We do not need a fifth coal mine in this area. Enough abuse of the environment in this area has occurred. Stop allowing mines to put profit before people, farmland, native wildlife, limited water resources and our children's futures.

The mine has already bought up too much farmland, and now it will be even harder for Australia to produce its own food - which we have learnt in recent times is crucial to our independence from China. Australia desperately needs to preserve farmland and water. Farmers need the water as a first priority.

Water in this area has already been diverted from farming to mining. It's time for us to reject this "ownership" of water going to the highest bidder - usually environment-damaging mines.

This project includes construction of railway lines across the Namoi River and the floodplains nearby, further damaging the natural water resource that is meant to be used by all.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture needed by all Australians, and the crucial water resources of the Namoi Valley.

This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe..

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water-hungry coal mine.

At some point we need to stop approving these monstrous mines, and start considering the natural resources that will survive for our children and grandchildren. Our future.

Thank you for considering my objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,
Kath Parry
67 Addison St, Beresfield NSW 2322, Australia

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From: [Warwick Hempel](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:56:58 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The world is rapidly turning away from coal as a fuel. Renewable energy in the form of solar power, wind power, geothermal energy and hydrogenation are rapidly replacing it. On the other hand the ever growing world population requires food. It seem that turning over productive food growing land to coal mining is the height of stupidity. It is certainly not in the long term interest of our country.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,
Warwick Hempel
16 Warren Ave, Avoca Beach NSW 2251, Australia

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From: [Michele Gurton](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:55:47 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Scientific opinion stresses the need for renewable not coal or gas, it is important to take heed of their well researched data to benefit the community and the world environment. More coal = more devastating impacts on our climate. Furthermore the economic outcomes are no longer relevant as more and more major companies and countries are reducing their investment in coal and usage of it.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

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blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Michele Gurton

13 Short St, Brunswick Heads NSW, Australia

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From: [Alan Stephenson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:55:07 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Alan Stephenson

43 McKay Street, Nowra NSW, Australia

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From: [Tim Berger](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:55:02 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Tim Berger

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From: [Eldon Rosenberg](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:49:34 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Eldon Rosenberg

392 Newport Rd, Cooranbong NSW 2265, Australia

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From: [Petrina Slaytor](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Strong Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:06:36 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Yes this is a prewritten email but I agree with every word.

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Petrina Slaytor

64 Carlotta St, Greenwich NSW 2065, Australia

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From: [Sarah Lam](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Vickery Extension Project is not acceptable and must be rejected.
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 4:33:44 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing regarding the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. This project is not acceptable and must be rejected for numerous reasons. In particular, it will impact on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

Water:

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

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Community:

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

Impact on climate:

It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.

History:

Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering my objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sarah Lam

43 Fourth St, Ashbury NSW 2193, Australia

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From: [David Dubos](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Coal Mine Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:00:45 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to request that you reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

This mine will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

David Dubos

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From: [Brian Donnelly](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project - water for agriculture not for washing coal.
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:53:48 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Brian Donnelly

33 Darcy St, Marsfield NSW 2122, Australia

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From: [Carol Philpott](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project This pandemic has offered us the unique opportunity to GET IT RIGHT and not proceed on the catastrophic path we were going down. I want my grandchildren to have their birthright of an awesome country and a climate...
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:46:14 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Carol Philpott

Woodburn Rd, Kurrajong NSW 2758, Australia

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From: [Ruth Cox](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:54:31 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Ruth Cox

59 Leamington Ave, Newtown NSW 2042, Australia

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From: [Leon Knight](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:54:11 PM

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We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

How can you properly cost the environmental damage that could ensue, and ensure that the mine-owners insure against that risk rather than the government and taxpayers carrying it.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Leon Knight

Franklin Pl, Albion Park NSW 2527, Australia

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From: [Martin Oliver](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:54:06 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Martin Oliver

12 Napier Street, Goonellabah, NSW, Australia

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From: [Nicholas Huntley](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:53:34 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Nicholas Huntley

157 Market St, Mudgee NSW 2850, Australia

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From: [Virginia Duigan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:53:30 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I cannot understand the rationale behind allowing the proposed gigantic Vickery coal mine near Boggabri.

How can this government possibly justify such a vast mine? At a time when every enlightened country in the world is transitioning out of fossil fuels. I am quite simply outraged that this project is even being considered.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Virginia Duigan

85 Louisa Rd, Birchgrove NSW 2041, Australia

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From: [Kevin Ball](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:52:50 PM

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Kevin Ball

83 Foster St, Leichhardt NSW 2040, Australia

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From: [Michael and Margo Blockey](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Michael and Margo Blockey

30 Seascape Pl, Way Way NSW 2447, Australia

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From: [Victoria Ross](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Victoria Ross

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From: [Jim Attrill](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:51:53 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Jim Attrill

56 Wandeen Road, Clareville 2107

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From: [sonja.weinberg](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:49:22 PM

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Yours sincerely,

sonja weinberg

Ijong St, Braddon ACT 2612, Australia

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From: [Jo Macdonald](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Jo Macdonald

73 Leslie Creek Rd Drake 2469

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From: [Brian McGuiness](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:48:49 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Brian McGuinness

Mullumbimby NSW

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From: [santosh arora](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:46:27 PM

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Yours sincerely,

santosh arora

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From: [Keith Roberts](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:46:22 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Why is this project even being considered when the whole planet is reeling from climate warming and most caused by the burning of fossil fuels.

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Yours sincerely,

Keith Roberts

Pindari, 1754 Olympic Hwy, Brucedale NSW 2650, Australia

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From: [Michael Oldfield](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Michael Oldfield

8 Burns St, Marsfield NSW 2122, Australia

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From: [Argnesh Rose](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:45:10 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Argnesh Rose

Yammacoona, 1368 Lower Bielsdown Rd, Tallowood Ridge NSW 2453, Australia

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From: [Robert Skappel](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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From: norbert.mjadwesch
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

norbert mjadwesch

97 Honners Rd.

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From: [Rosa Savoca](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Rosa Savoca

53 Hereford St, Glebe NSW 2037, Australia

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From: [Ray Alexander](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Ray Alexander

38 Elizabeth St, Moss Vale NSW 2577, Australia

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From: [Peter Emerson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Peter Emerson

94 Short Street

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From: [Lyndon Lockrey](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Sincerley,

Lyndon Lockrey.

Yours sincerely,

Lyndon Lockrey

49A Cooke Ave, Alstonville NSW 2477, Australia

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From: [Nadine Richardson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Nadine Richardson

Elswick St N, Leichhardt NSW 2040, Australia

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From: [Maureen Flowers](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:42:12 PM

Dear Members of the Commission

Please reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. In these days of expert knowledge of the effect of mining on our land and water this 'extension' - which is in fact a new mine - will have unacceptable impacts on local farmland and community and on the water resources of the Namoi Valley.

Narrabri Council has formally objected to the project, due to its social impacts on the Boggabri district, which has already experienced depopulation by Whitehaven's destructive Maules Creek coal mine. This massive mine 'extension' will further deplete the already marginal water supply which even the Department of Planning admits might run dry. In addition, the proposed mine spoil will mean heavy metals could leach into the aquifer below.

The disgraceful record of Maules Creek mine which has taken water illegally, outbid local farmers for water at auction and built pipelines from nearby farms to divert farming water for mining, should be a huge red flag to any thinking person. If any other reason to reject it is needed, the unconscionable 10 million tonnes per year of coal a year to be extracted will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to our atmosphere!

The future of our farmland and water in this area is in your hands and you will be held accountable for the human misery that further destruction and mining of this unique land will cause.

Please do the right thing and act for Australians with an ethical conscience and reject pure greed and profit.

Yours sincerely,

Maureen Flowers

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From: [Paul Payten](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Paul Payten

8/6-8 Hill St Bermagui 2546

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From: [Kathryn Harwood](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:40:57 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

When most other countries are moving to renewables to extend this mine with the impact it will have on the available water in NSW for farms and the environment would be short sighted at best and gross incompetence at worst.

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Yours sincerely,

Kathryn Harwood

48 Floss St, Hurlstone Park NSW 2193, Australia

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From: [Elizabeth Barrett](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Ultimately food and water security are essential to life on this planet while coal mining is only hurrying us along the opposite path that risks Australia being unable to sustain life.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine.

Yours sincerely,

Dr Elizabeth Barrett

Villette, 752 Vale Rd, Perthville NSW 2795, Australia

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From: [Jacquelin Hochmuth](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Jacquelin Hochmuth

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From: [Trevor Dawson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:39:18 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Trevor Dawson

6/653 Old Princes Hwy

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From: [Michelle Moors](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:39:15 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Michelle Moors

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From: [Pamela Harrison](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:38:51 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Please reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Allowing this project to go ahead will have irreversible impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the climate.

It is appalling to realise that agricultural production in the Boggabri district, so important to local farmers and to our economy and our food supply, is being replaced by a coal mine. We cannot eat coal, and mining operations destroy our productive land, endanger water supplies, and quality of water. It also destroys the farming community.

The impacts on water will be severe. The Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We must not risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

It will also add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, adding to the already risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires due to climate change.

Another point of concern is the fact that the mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk. So much of our heritage, both Indigenous and white settlement, has been destroyed by mining - as illustrated by Rio Tinto's actions in the Kimberley. The time has come to call a halt and put our future ahead of short term profits and destructive enterprises.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Pamela Harrison

18 Turner St, Lambton NSW 2299, Australia

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From: [Baljeet Degun](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:38:49 PM

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I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Baljeet Degun

14 Pacific St, Manly NSW 2095, Australia

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From: [J Neave](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:38:48 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jean Neave

Po box 1710

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From: [Kerry Kingsbury](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:38:30 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kerry Kingsbury

9 Elizabeth St Ashfield

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From: [Tjoan Lie](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:38:10 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Tjoan Lie

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From: [Roslyn Hancock](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:37:36 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

My name is Roslyn and I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. Although not a current resident of the area I have in the past lived at Bourke and Coonamble and have a deep appreciation for the agricultural landscapes and lifestyles of these regions.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Roslyn Hancock

62 Barton St, Mayfield NSW 2304, Australia

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From: [Vera Yee](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:37:13 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Vera Yee

1 Mckye St, Waverton NSW 2060, Australia

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From: [Cynthia Kardell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:37:08 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

This mine mustn't go ahead, because it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

I understand the Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

I understand at least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region. It is demolition by neglect of our best resources.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times. It is wrong to be using our underground waters in this way. We know wars will be fought over water for profit. This can't be allowed to happen.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government. The IPC should act on that advice and refuse those who say it can be done safely. It never is, done safely.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

The following impacts of the mine are as urgent as the destruction of our farm land and water supply. They include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather, dangerous fires and the extinction of flora and fauna essential to a healthy ecology. The IPC has to do its bit and say no!
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

- It is unacceptable for even medium term profit to be prioritised over heritage. Other countries don't destroy their history and it is time we also respected ours.

Finally I don't know the planning laws, but I do know that coal mining is our past. So please, do not put Whitehaven's business plans ahead of our land, our water, our heritage and our survival in the Namoi valley. Know that the imposition of conditions - no matter how good they may seem on paper - won't cut it. They haven't to date and they won't this time. But I think you know that, so act on it and say no to this application.

Thank you, in anticipation of you finding a way to reject the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Cynthia Kardell

94 Copeland Rd, Beecroft NSW 2119, Australia

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From: [Vlado Mrkovic](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:36:01 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Vlado Mrkovic

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From: [Mark Barden](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:35:18 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Mark Barden

14 Scribbly Gum Pl, Alfords Point NSW 2234, Australia

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From: [Murray Kyle](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:34:46 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Murray Kyle

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From: [Brett Wood](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:34:39 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Brett Wood

40 Northumberland Way

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From: [Noel Evans](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Noel Evans

21 Laura St, Banora Point NSW 2486, Australia

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Yours sincerely,

Kerrie Eather

Haystack Rd, Bellata NSW 2397, Australia

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From: [Janelle Michels](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Janelle Michels

Mulgoa Rd, Regentville NSW 2745, Australia

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From: [Linda Carroll](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:32:05 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

As a citizen of the world who understands that environmental degradation anywhere brings environmental degradation everywhere, I ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Linda Carroll

215 West Waverly Place, Spokane, WA USA

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From: [Olga Tresz](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:31:50 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

We need all the farm land we have to produce food, not turn it into coal mines. It is estimated we have 50 years only left before the worlds soils will no longer support food growth. We need that land kept in good condition.

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Yours sincerely,

Olga Tresz

442 Elizabeth Street, Melbourne VIC, Australia

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From: [Roderick Miller](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:31:38 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Roderick Miller

6 Chelmsford Avenue Epping 2121

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From: [Graham King](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:31:37 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

We absolutely MUST STOP all new fossil fuel extraction from the planet. Are you still oblivious, are you still that ignorant? Or are you paid to look the other way by greedy bastards who want to rape and pillage at the detriment of the planet?

Do you understand anything at all about Climate Change? Why are you not terrified?

ECONOMY DOES NOT MATTER.

Humans do not matter.

Life Matters.

Here's some more words from Lock the Gate.

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Yours sincerely,

Graham King

333 Matcham Rd, Matcham NSW 2250, Australia

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From: [Silva Rigutti](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

PS. please to not allow mining to dig Australia under the the sea level. Where do you think our water will then

come from?

Yours sincerely,

Silva Rigutti

118 Regent St, New Lambton NSW 2305, Australia

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From: [Peter Bee](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:30:27 PM

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Peter Bee

Queen St, Newtown NSW 2042, Australia

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From: [Merry Pearson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:30:01 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing because our government seems to have forgotten that we all need to eat. And to eat we need healthy farmland with enough clean water to support crops.

I ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri to protect our ability to feed ourselves..

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Yours sincerely,

Merry Pearson

Ulladulla Harbour, Ulladulla NSW 2539, Australia

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From: [Rose Chapman](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:29:32 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

Rose Chapman

Grafton NSW 2460

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From: [Nathan Beavan](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:29:30 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

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From: [Mora Main](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:28:49 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am deeply opposed to the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri on counts of

- climate change and the urgency of acting on emissions by keeping coal in the ground and moving swiftly to renewable energy;
- food production, and reducing Australia's already limited productive and fertile farmland;
- water, above and under ground, essential in the world's driest continent to sustain people and biodiversity as well as farming;
- Aboriginal and post european heritage, and the extinction of opportunities to research and understand our past, and inform our future;

The impacts of this mine, should it go ahead, will sterilise land and contaminate surface and underground water. Burning the coal dug up will drive further climate warming . We know this is happening now and we know we must change. This is an opportunity to take a stand. Coal is yesterday's dirty fuel. It has no place in the 21st century.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,
Mora Main
3 Judges Ln, Waverley NSW 2024, Australia

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From: [Libby Jones](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:27:58 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

How can a project like the extension of the Vickery mine even be considered? It is utter madness to allow it to occur. Only a few months ago, water shortages across the whole of NSW were devastating the state. Another unnecessary water wasting coal mine could destroy the Namoi River and the Murray Darling and affect the local water supplies of food producing farms. Why would you grant permission for such a short term project as a coal mine when it would forever destroy the local and wider environment? I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Libby Jones

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From: [Michael Bushby](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:27:56 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Michael Bushby

44 Tongarra Drive Ocean Shores NSW 2483

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From: [Graham Bond](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:27:26 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

No more new coal mines please.

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Graham Bond

42 Alison Ave, Lennox Head NSW 2478, Australia

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From: [Daniel Veer](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:26:35 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Daniel Veer

298 Noonameena Rd, Yeoval NSW 2868, Australia

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From: [Sacha Slijkhuis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:26:19 PM

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I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sacha Slijkhuis

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From: [martine negro](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:25:40 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government. That is totally unacceptable.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 meters of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. The mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Martine Negro

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From: [D Hore](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:24:45 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

It is inconceivable to allow this mine to go ahead in the climate emergency we are all living in, with the prospect of further increasing greenhouse emissions from the construction of this mine. All current and future energy sources should be directed to renewable energy to help to bring emissions down and not to do the opposite by continuing to mine coal.

Also, adding to the loss of precious water to wash coal which is aiding in driving global warming and climate change and the other impacts to water use in this region where farmers and the farming community have been so adversely affected. All water resources need to be protected and used appropriately to save water and not put any water source at risk.

The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

D Hore

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From: [Saige Kelsey](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:24:36 PM

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I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Saige Kelsey

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From: [Kim Donnelly](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:23:14 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district.

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The impacts on water will be severe. Even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times.

The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

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Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kim Donnelly

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From: [Christina Smith](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:22:15 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon. This is a very productive farming community which I feel is essential to support knowing that our population will increase and we need to have local and available food to survive.

The Boggabri district is already reeling from the depopulation of farms by Whitehaven's nearby Maules Creek coal mine. Whitehaven has acquired more than 61,050 ha of land over 471 freehold titles in the district. The pollution caused by mines and the amount of space that they permanently put out of action is unacceptable and I believe not in the best interest of the State or the country.

At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently which is a travesty in this time when renewables are cheap and available. We cannot afford to lose people from the land in this way and this farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

The impacts on water will be particularly severe. This is one of the driest continents and I understand that even the Department of Planning admits the new Vickery mine might run out of water in dry times. We can not afford another hungry coal mine in an area where water is scarce and It is in an important farming area.

A vast pile of mine waste will be left behind on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

I understand that othernegative impacts of the mine include:

- It will add 370 million tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions to the atmosphere, putting all Australians at risk of extreme weather and dangerous fires.
- Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead. Mine dust and blasting could put the structural integrity of the homestead at risk.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Christina Smith

33 Elliott St, Balmain NSW 2041, Australia

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From: [Judy Anderson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:21:56 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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The mine will leave a vast pile of mine waste on top of the Namoi alluvial aquifer, which could result in heavy metals leaching into the aquifer, according to water experts from the NSW Government.

We cannot risk the limited water resources of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Other negative impacts of the mine include:

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Judy Anderson

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From: [Elizabeth Braid](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:20:25 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Elizabeth Braid

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From: [Marion Gevers](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:19:37 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Marion Gevers

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From: [Peta Craig](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:19:24 PM

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Umagarlee, 507 Bulunbulun Rd, Breeza NSW 2381, Australia

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From: [Robyne Gaultier](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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From: [Cathie Stoffell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Cathie Stoffell

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From: [Will Pearson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Will Pearson

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From: [Tahnee Lee](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Tahnee Lee

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From: [patrick de vos](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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From: [Lee-Anne Stansfield](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:18:08 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

As a long time tax payer, and Australian who cares deeply about the long term future of this dry continent, I implore you to reject the Vickery Extension Project.

In the context of increasing global temperatures, and extreme droughts, to allow a project to go ahead is short sighted, and fool hardy.

It is widely known that useable unpolluted water is our most precious resource.

Once mining is undertaken, the damage is irreversible.

The Vickery Extension must not go ahead. The evidence against is overwhelmingly clear.

Thank you for considering the long term future of our country, its people and our capacity to live sustainably
Thank you considering my whole hearted objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Lee-Anne Stansfield

65B Teven Rd, Alstonville NSW 2477, Australia

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From: [Dianne Dibley](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Yours sincerely,

Dianne Dibley

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From: [Melissa Mari-Dale](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Melissa Mari-Dale

44B Lonsdale Ave, Berowra Heights NSW 2082, Australia

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From: [Spiro Aretoulis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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2206 Earlwood

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From: [Ruth Hardy](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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We all have a responsibility not to undermine the health, welfare and local environments for people in New South Wales, not only for now but significantly, for future generations.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Ruth Hardy

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From: [Colin Frost](#)
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Colin Frost

Wilderness Rd, Lovedale NSW 2325, Australia

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From: [Brian Gilchrist](#)
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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Alison McCarthy Phillips

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From: [Ross Murray](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:16:22 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

Ross Murray

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From: [Emma Gentle](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:15:53 PM

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Emma Gentle

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From: [Noeleen Thomas](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:15:53 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

Mining has already decimated the farming community and threatens the towns around them with the mines use of water. A few weeks ago I participated in a phone survey, which I was told it was instigated by Whitehaven/Vickery. I do not agree that mines generate long term employment.

Mines destroy communities, farming, water, threatened species, environments and quality of life.

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Yours sincerely,

Noeleen Thomasg

3 Boronia Ave, Gunnedah NSW 2380, Australia

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From: [Pam Marino's](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:15:42 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

In 2020 as we plan for a sustainable and less polluted future we need to protect our clean and fruitful environment.

Protecting water supplies to creeks, rivers and wetlands as well as the great aquifers must take priority. Australians want a clean water, clean air, clean food for all.

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Mining companies have not completed their required cleanups over the years. We cannot trust them for the future. But replanting a reconstructed mine is not ideal, when we can utilize the land without disturbance and still make it productive.

We should not be adding to world pollution and climate warming by exporting coal.

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This mine extension will totally jeopardize the health and social prosperity that has existed and can continue to exist in our healthy future.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Pam Marinos

54 Sutherland St, Cremorne NSW 2090, Australia

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From: [Justine Dodd](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:15:40 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Justine Dodd

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From: [Phil Anderson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:14:49 PM

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Phil Anderson

14 York St, Cunjurong Point NSW 2539, Australia

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From: [Peter Kalytis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Peter Kalytis

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From: [Harry Knowles](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:14:45 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Harry Knowles

66 Corrie Parade Corlette NSW 2315

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From: [Dr Anne Marshall](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:14:09 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

It makes no sense to turn prime agricultural land over to mining and threaten even more of our precious water resources. When the greenhouse gas emissions become unbearable, what do you want to eat? A lump of coal?

Australia has ample wind and solar resources to generate enough electricity for the entire country if the money were invested in better power infrastructure rather than perpetuating an industry that is already on the nose.

Gas is no cleaner and just as dangerous.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Dr Anne Marshall

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From: [Brett Bond](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:13:19 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Brett Bond

6 Goodare St, Blackheath NSW 2785, Australia

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From: [Roger Rajaratnam](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:13:02 PM

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I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Roger Rajaratnam

38 Boundary St, Bronte NSW 2024, Australia

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From: [Melinda Rippe](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:12:05 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Melinda Rippe

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From: [Sandy Wilder](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:11:50 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Sandy Wilder

5 Hazel Rd, Moruya Heads NSW 2537, Australia

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From: [Helen Harbutt](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:11:39 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

While the economic benefits for some are recognised the destruction and pollution caused by this mine are well documented. The long term, if not forever loss of water cannot be underestimated and I ask you once again to reject the VEProject.

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At least 90 family farms have been bought out, with many leaving the region permanently. This farming community will not survive with another coal mine in the region.

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Yours sincerely,

Helen Harbutt

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From: [Francis Maconochie](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:11:31 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

The Whitehaven coal mine was born out of criminal corruption, ie Eddie Obeid and McDonald, it has bribed and corrupted the political decision making process, through donations to the NSW LNP, and created a revolving door between the fossil fuel industry and our political system. If any mine in NSW typifies "State capture" it is this mine. The corruptive effect on our regulative agencies, that this mine has had should not be rewarded by rubber-stamp approvals of its expansion.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Francis Maconochie

10/23 Forbes street

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From: [Therese Greenlees](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:10:29 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Therese Greenlees

Moorabinda, 240 Herbert Park Rd, Armidale NSW 2350, Australia

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From: [Kim Zegenhagen](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:09:58 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to urge you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri in its entirety.

If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable and disastrous impacts on the local farming community. The agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley and the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon will be irreparably damaged.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kim Zegenhagen

24 Tulloona Ave, Bowral NSW 2576, Australia

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From: [Emma S](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:07:43 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,
Emma S
Maitland St, Narrabri NSW 2390, Australia

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From: [Janice Martin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:07:40 PM

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I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Janice Martin

7 Northview St, Rathmines NSW 2283, Australia

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From: [Russ Hancock](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:07:07 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Russ Hancock

62 Barton St, Mayfield NSW 2304, Australia

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From: [Kristy Malik](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:07:03 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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These decisions will impact our communities and country for generations to come. You have the power to change the course of history with your decision to reject the project.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Kristy

Yours sincerely,

Kristy Malik

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From: [Rolf Stockburger](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:06:38 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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- While smart countries divest from coal and driving towards a Hydrogen based economy we're missing out while continuing to degrade our environment and allow the coal industry to draw on our limited water supply. This is not in the interest of our nation!

- Our Governments have no vision to drought proofing our country and sponsoring industry towards zero emission in line with the Paris agreement, generating countless jobs in new industries.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Rolf Stockburger

1/45-53 Ocean Ave Newport NSW 2106

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From: [Kim Wagstaff](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:06:29 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

Above all else Australia needs to be self sufficient in water resources and good food growing agricultural land. If this mine goes ahead, it will have unacceptable impacts on the local farming community, the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley, the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Kim Wagstaff

Gungah Bay Rd, Oatley NSW 2223, Australia

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From: [Emma Cotterill](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:06:20 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

We need to learn from the last 12 months, climate change is real and Australia is first in line for the impact.

So many studies have shown that coal and gas are adding to the heating of our planet and poisoning our habitat.

The threat is real and I'm worried for my children's future and their children's.

We need to protect our great country from climate change and instead build our reliance on sustainable energy.

Australia can be beacon to the world and a pioneer in clean technologies. No one wants a repeat of the last bushfire season.

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project and reconsider for the future of NSW and Australia.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Emma Cotterill

447 Liverpool Rd, Ashfield NSW 2131, Australia

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From: [Gabriella Eakins](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:06:11 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Gabriella Eakins

Northbridge, NSW

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From: [Stephen Spencer](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:05:04 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Yours sincerely,

Stephen Spencer

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:04:59 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Gary Skinner

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Cherie Post

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Wonga Flats, 12 Wagawn St, Tugun QLD 4224, Australia

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Jamie Lechner

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From: [Rosemary Probst](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Rosemary Probst

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From: [Dr Barbara Newman](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Dr Barbara Newman

73 Campbell Drive, Wahroonga

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From: [Liz Macdougall](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:03:50 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I used to live in Narrabri for many years and have friends who farm over four family properties in the Narrabri area. The Namoi River has been decimated by drought over the past decade with water in the valley now at a premium. Our friends did not plant any crops for three years due to the drought and have now planted hoping for more rain for the crop to survive this year. Their family has been in the Valley for over one hundred years. It is absolute nonsense that this mining project and others should go ahead due to the situation! There is a lot at stake here!

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Liz Macdougall

Merimbula NSW 2548

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From: [Andrew Wright](#)
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Andrew Wright

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From: [Linda Avramides](#)
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Linda Avramides

152 Brook St, Coogee NSW 2034, Australia

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Elliot Jones

34 Kulgoa Rd, Woonona NSW 2517, Australia

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From: [Jeanette Kluver](#)
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From: [Carol Richard](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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This was Strategic Farming Land.

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I love a Sunburnt Country - A land of sweeping plains-

not endless miles of mullock heaps and air heavy with dust as seen in the Hunter Valley.

-Dorothea Mackellar's My Country was written about the sweeping plain around Kurrumbede. Vickery Mine infrastructure will encroach within 300 metres of the historic 'Kurrumbede' homestead.

Air pollution at Singleton is at dangerous levels- local doctors are very concerned for young children especially.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine, We do not want another desolate Hunter Valley moonscape on Strategic Farming Land.

Yours sincerely,

Carol Richard

Cooinda, Turee Vale Rd

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From: [Amber Standley](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:02:17 PM

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Amber Standley

7 George St, Collector NSW 2581, Australia

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From: [Debbie Casey](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Debbie Casey

9 Binya Pl, Ocean Shores NSW 2483, Australia

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From: [Ruth Thompson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Ruth Thompson

11 Selwyn St, Wollstonecraft NSW 2065, Australia

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Kate Perry Jekyl

"wentwoth" Narrabri

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Helen Jordan

29/92 Burns Bay road , Lane Cove NSW 2066

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From: [Marion Williams](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Ian Press

29 Murray St, Booker Bay NSW 2257, Australia

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From: [esme worley](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

esme worley

Fitzwilliam Rd, Toongabbie NSW 2146, Australia

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From: [kerri.Ireland](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

kerri Ireland

24 John St, Woonona NSW 2517, Australia

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From: [Norman Halliwell](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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especially to aquifers in the area.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Norman Halliwell

34 Veness Cct, Narellan Vale NSW 2567, Australia

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From: [Nathan Kein](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Nate Kein

Curringa, 572 Sallys Corner Rd, Exeter NSW 2579, Australia

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From: [Lisa Perry](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Lisa Perry

"Wentworth" Narrabri

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From: [Rebecca Hilder](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:59:35 PM

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Rebecca Hilder

90 Bonnie Blink Dr, Little Hartley NSW 2790, Australia

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Bernadette Evans

24 Laird St, Tenterfield NSW 2372, Australia

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To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:58:54 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Jane Gregory

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From: [christine.schliebs](#)
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christine schliebs

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Robyn Cashman

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From: [Carmen Saparas](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Carmen Saparas

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From: [Leah Foster](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Leah Foster

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From: [Rosalind Dale](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Rosalind Dale

Lytton Rd, Moss Vale NSW 2577, Australia

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From: [Greg Duffy](#)
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At a time of climate change, this country should not be approving new coal mines that will add to the damage that global warming is and will cause, putting our planet and the human race at risk of extinction.

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Greg Duffy

Oberon St, Randwick NSW 2031, Australia

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From: [penny.cooke](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

penny cooke

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From: [Kath Irons](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Kath Irons

173 Mitchell Rd, Lake Albert NSW 2650, Australia

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From: [Darwin Blackbeard](#)
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Darwin Blackbeard

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Manning Ave, Coffs Harbour NSW 2450, Australia

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From: [Paul Lacey](#)
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Paul Lacey

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From: [paula.knight](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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paula knight

167 Chapple St, Broken Hill NSW 2880, Australia

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From: [John White](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

John White

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From: [kathryn.lai](#)
To: [IPCEN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:55:07 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

kathryn lai

28 Kingswood Rd, Engadine NSW 2233, Australia

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From: [Liz Macdougall](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:55:02 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri. I have friends who are farmers in the Narrabri district and used to live there myself for many years, so am very familiar with this land. The drought over the past decade has decimated the Namoi River and is now constantly under threat from drought, leaving farmers without adequate water supplies for their produce.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Liz Macdougall

Merimbula Dr, Merimbula NSW 2548, Australia

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From: [Leigh Johnson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:54:34 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Leigh Johnson

184 Forbes St, Darlinghurst NSW 2010, Australia

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From: [Cheryl Scott](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:54:32 PM

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Cheryl Scott

Copacabana Dr, Copacabana NSW 2251, Australia

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From: [Mirinda Boaz-Cole](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:54:27 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Mirinda Boaz-Cole

64 Station St, Newtown NSW 2042, Australia

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From: [elizabeth_blackmore](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:54:25 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

elizabeth blackmore

Wickes St Broken Hill

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From: [Elizabeth Worth](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Yours sincerely,

Elizabeth Worth

Stony Creek 2550

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From: [Samantha Parr](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:54:14 PM

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Samantha Parr

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From: [John Geary](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:54:09 PM

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Yours sincerely,

John Geary

44 Stephen St, Lawson NSW 2783, Australia

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From: [Jan and Warren Watson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:54:06 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Jan and Warren Watson

45 Taiyul Rd Narrabeen North 2101

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From: [Robyn Walsh](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:52:47 PM

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From: [Valentina Zdravkovski](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:52:47 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Valentina Zdravkovski

1696 Hinterland Way, Knockrow NSW 2479, Australia

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From: [Wayne Reynolds](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:52:45 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Wayne Reynolds

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From: [Clayton Francis](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:52:40 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Clayton Francis

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From: [Barry Dale](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:52:30 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Dr Barry Dale MBBS FRACP FRCPA

13 Gladstone Rd, Bowral NSW 2576, Australia

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From: [Cristine Cusbert](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:52:23 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Cristine Cusbert

347 Annandale St, Annandale NSW 2038, Australia

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From: [Valerie De Rome](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:51:53 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Valerie De Rome

45 King St, Manly Vale NSW 2093, Australia

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From: [Christine Becroft](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:51:37 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Christine Becroft

3 Fotheringham St, Wingham NSW 2429, Australia

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From: [Michael and Susan Wright](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:51:26 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

We are jointly writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Michael and Susan Wright

Cammeray Ave, Cammeray NSW 2062, Australia

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From: [John Teagle](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:50:59 PM

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Yours sincerely,

John Teagle

36 Yeovil drive Bomaderry NSW

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From: [Jackie Johnson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:50:50 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Jackie Johnson

9 Bruce St, Ryde NSW 2112, Australia

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From: [Anita Lawrance](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:50:36 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Anita Lawrance

Scone NSW

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From: [Nigel Apps](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:50:14 PM

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Nigel Apps

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From: [David Bibo](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:49:59 PM

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Yours sincerely,

David Bibo

240 Bunda Street

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From: [Rani Lyons](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:49:38 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Rani Lyons

Bunn St, Pyrmont NSW 2009, Australia

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From: [Gai Richardson](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:49:35 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Gai Richardson

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From: [Ken McCarthy](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:49:19 PM

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From: [Donald Trent](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:48:45 PM

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From: [Rhonda Green](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:47:18 PM

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Rhonda Green

35 Watsonia Ave, Coffs Harbour NSW 2450, Australia

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From: [Sybil Ungar](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Yours sincerely,

Sybil Ungar

4/4415 Glebe Point Road Glebe NSW 2037

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From: [Suzanne Marks](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Suzanne Marks

Unit 22/250 Jersey Rd, Woollahra NSW 2025, Australia

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From: [Gennice Davies](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:47:06 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Gennice Davies

88 Northumberland St, Maryville NSW 2293, Australia

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From: [Amanda Baker](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Yours sincerely,

Amanda Baker

157 Caravan Head Road, Oyster Bay NSW, Australia

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From: [Josh Rust](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:46:52 PM

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Josh Rust

1157 Terania Creek Rd, Terania Creek NSW 2480, Australia

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From: [Elizabeth Millington](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Elizabeth Millington

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From: [Emma Keep](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Emma Keep

Murwillumbah

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From: [Kathleen Leahy](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
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Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:46:41 PM

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Kathleen Leahy

129 Bruce St, Cooks Hill NSW 2300, Australia

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From: [Matt Carr](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
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Matt Carr

55 Wells St, Newtown NSW 2042, Australia

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From: [M-L Paulin](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:54:51 PM

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Yours sincerely,

M-L Paulin

32 Wicks Rd, North Ryde NSW 2113, Australia

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From: [Ronda Hartwig](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Objection to Vickery Extension Project I object to this extension it is inappropriate to use good agricultural land and barbaric to exploit more of our precious water for mining. History will condemn this government if this goes ahead. It would be an ...
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:52:20 PM

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Ronda Hartwig

61 Gibson St. Newcastle 2300

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From: [Melinda Perez](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Strenuous Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:02:27 PM

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Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Melinda Perez

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From: [Candle Faithfull](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Strong Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:05:20 PM

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Candle Faithfull

12 Victoria Ave, Pottsville NSW 2489, Australia

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From: [Rolf Wood](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Strong Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 2:55:09 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Rolf Wood

12 Fishburns Rd, Galston NSW 2159, Australia

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From: [Anja Wetering](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Strong Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:36:12 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

We need more CLEAN energy not Dirty old coal fired power Stations

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Yours sincerely,

Anja Wetering

2546 Bermagui NSW

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From: [Cheryl Hughes](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Vickery Extension Project Proposal
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:40:16 PM

To the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to REJECT the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

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unacceptable impacts on the local farming community

AND

the agriculture and water resources of the Namoi Valley

AND

the region's rich cultural heritage and the liveable climate that we all rely upon.

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THIS FARMING COMMUNITY WILL NOT SURVIVE WITH ANOTHER COAL MINE IN THE AREA.

Even the Department of Planning

ADMITS

THE NEW VICKERY MINE MIGHT RUN OUT OF WATER IN DRY TIMES.

WE CANNOT RISK THE LIMITED WATER RESOURCES of the Namoi Valley, and the agriculture it supports, with another water hungry coal mine.

Whilst other, **SERIOUS**, negative impacts of the mine exist **WATER IS THE LIFEBLOOD OF OUR ENVIRONMENT AND ALL THAT DWELL WITHIN IT.**

Thank you for considering this objection to the Vickery mine,

Yours sincerely,

Cheryl Hughes

Tamarind Dr, Bellingen NSW 2454, Australia

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From: [Chloe Harpley](#)
To: [IPCN Enquiries Mailbox](#)
Subject: Which side of history will. You be on? Objection to Vickery Extension Project
Date: Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:17:44 PM

Dear the Independent Planning Commission,

I am writing to ask you to reject the proposed Vickery Extension Project near Boggabri.

I implore you to ask yourself: which side of history will you be on? Renewables are increasingly more economically viable. Invest now in renewables, rather than coal mines, and be ahead of the rest. Be a leader.

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Yours sincerely,

Chloe Harpley

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