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Hills of Gold Wind Farm

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Application SSD-9679

Additional comments from the Proponent to the Department of Planning and IPC

I wish to reiterate my comments included in my submission to the IPC February 2024. The reinstatement of turbines 53-63 will visually affect all the dwellings on our property some which not have been assessed by the proponent. Especially if these are to have aviation lighting if will permanently destroy the dark night sky our area is known for.

I also object to the movement of turbines closer to the Ben Halls Nature reserve and this is an area of such national environmental significance it should be protected at all cost. Once we damage this ecosystem it is lost for future generations.

The project appears to be economically unviable even at 62 turbines and as there a a number of projects in REZ that are in the planning or approval phase these projects should take precedent over Hills of Gold that is clearly in the wrong location .

Yours Sincerely

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