



NAME REDACTED

OBJECT

Submission ID: 216189

Organisation: N/A	Key issues: <i>Social impacts, Visual impacts, design and landscaping, Land use compatibility (surrounding land uses), Traffic</i>
Location: New South Wales 2575	
Attachment: N/A	

Submission date: 11/20/2024 3:11:40 PM

I contend that this project is ill-suited for its proposed location. Its proximity to residential areas, agricultural areas, Sydney water catchment areas, coupled with the inadequacy of existing roads and infrastructure in the nearby towns, raises significant concerns regarding the anticipated increase in vehicular traffic. Our rural roads and communities are already under strain, and adding further pressure would exacerbate the situation.

The air quality will deteriorate, not only at the project site but also in the surrounding towns, due to the proposed plastic manufacturing facility and the resultant rise in truck traffic. Airborne particles will settle, contaminating our valuable agricultural land, affecting livestock, and polluting our dams and rivers, ultimately infiltrating the groundwater.

I am deeply concerned about the social ramifications of establishing such a facility within our community. The long-term environmental and health implications are equally alarming.

The impact of this facility will extend throughout the entire shire, with the Moss Vale area, Burradoo, Sutton Forest, and the historic town of Berrima facing the most significant consequences.

As we reside within the Sydney Water Catchment area, the risk of our water supply being tainted with microplastics is a pressing concern that would affect everyone.

I do not wish to confine myself indoors to avoid exposure to airborne toxins, nor do I want to live in an environment where I must keep my windows and doors shut.

Plastic is a persistent pollutant; reducing it to smaller fragments only exacerbates the issue. This approach merely redistributes the plastic in a different form for a limited time, leaving us with the same overall quantity but a larger environmental impact.

Should this proposal proceed, the repercussions will be enduring and detrimental to us all.
