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Organisation:	N/A	Key issues:	Social impacts Visual impacts, design and	
Location:	New South Wales 2576		landscaping,Land use compatibility	
Attachment:	N/A		(surrounding land uses),Traffic,Other issues	

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I object to the proposed plastic recycling refinery in Moss Vale on the following grounds:

- Proposed location near residential areas: High risk of human, residential, and wildlife loss in case of fire.

- Near Garvan Institute: High risk of human and animal loss due to noise and vibration disrupting research mice breeding cycle.

- Near schools: Potential risk of harm to human health in case of fire/explosion or failure of water/air filtration processes.

- Increased vehicular traffic: Noise, dust, potential accidents, and potential wildlife fatalities.

- Potential environmental impact: Air pollution from vents released from ventilation system in case of air filtration failure.

- Removal of habitat for microbat: Red list for endangered species.

- Close proximity to riparian zones: Potential water run-off containing microplastics may enter the Wingecarribee River.

- Disturbance to platypus habitats: Potential disturbance may increase water sedimentation and cause riverbank erosion.

- Potential biodiversity loss: Removal of tableland swamp meadows, mountain grey gums, southern myotis, and large bent-winged bat habitats.

- Heavy industrial classification: Risk of air/water pollution and high fire risk due to failure of safety processes.

- Location near viticulture, agritourism, and Georgian village: Detrimental to local tourist industry.

- SHIP, a future development area, is earmarked for biotech, research, agri-research, and light industry.

- The proposed factory could deter innovative, sustainable businesses, potentially causing fire risk, heavy vehicle traffic, and air/water contamination.

- Local fire services are small, with Moss Vale station being unmanned and voluntary.

- Common fires in these facilities can reach temperatures up to 1000 degrees centigrade.

- Smaller facilities require more firefighters, pump trucks, and hazmat vehicles, but they are unable to extinguish them.

- Fires fuelled by plastic waste release toxic fumes and smoke, potentially causing health issues like asthma, cancer, nervous system disorders, genetic impacts, developmental impacts, leukaemia, and reproductive disorders.