



GRANT SUTHERLAND

OBJECT

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Organisation: N/A	Key issues: <i>Social impacts, Visual impacts, design and landscaping, Land use compatibility (surrounding land uses), Traffic, Other issues</i>
Location: 2577 New South Wales	
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As a resident of Moss Vale, I strongly Object to this proposal for a Toxic Plastic recycling facility at the proposed site in Moss Vale. This is Absolutely not the right site for this facility and will drastically impact our community's wellbeing along with the local wildlife and landscape. The proposed site is only 150m from the nearest house and around 500m from schools and daycares, the airborne micro plastic's produced by this facility will undoubtedly put all our children at risk of health issues.

The facility is also 10m away from 2 ravine's that flow into the wingecarribee river and then onto the warragamba dam, The mirco plastic will most definitely leach into our waterways and into our drinking water. This will also have a drastic impact on our endangered native platypus that reside in the wingecarribee river, so don't understand how this site has even been selected for this facility.

Moss Vale and the surrounding towns rely heavily on Agriculture farming, vineyards and tourism and this facility will jeopardise the whole of the southern highlands economy and Biodiversity.

This facility is also a major fire hazard that our local Fire and rescue are not equipped to handle. When a fire undoubtably starts in the facility it would likely burn for weeks and cover the southern highlands in a thick blanket of toxic smoke. Many other facilities like this proposed have caught fire as the process and storage of plastic is highly flammable and volatile.

The Other issue I have with this facility is the number of extra trucks that would be driving down our already congested main street which our roads are struggling with the current carloads. The noise and pollution these trucks will make on our beautiful main street will most definitely have an effect on our local businesses.

There must be so many other sites available for this facility, one that is not right next to a town!! How this site was ever selected baffles me, this site will be the biggest Plastic recycling facility in NSW and the closed to a town. If this project is approved, it will be the end for the southern highlands.

Please stop this facility from being approved. the long term affects from this facility if built here will be felt for generations.