

David Mooney - Submission Details for Grantley Blake (object)

From: Grantley Blake <grantley.blake@bigpond.com>
To: <david.mooney@planning.nsw.gov.au>
Date: 12/21/2012 10:04 PM
Subject: Submission Details for Grantley Blake (object)
CC: <assessments@planning.nsw.gov.au>



Confidentiality Requested: no

Submitted by a Planner: no

Disclosable Political Donation: no

Name: Grantley Blake
Email: grantley.blake@bigpond.com

Address:
1829 Denman Road

Muswellbrook, NSW
2333

Content:
Grantley W Blake
Blakefield Partnership
1829 Denman Road
MUSWELLBROOK NSW 2333

21 December 2012
The Director General
Department of Planning and Infrastructure
GPO Box 39
SYDNEY NSW 2001

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Objection to the Anglo American Drayton South Open Cut Mine Project

I am writing as a concerned landholder, business owner and resident to object to the Drayton South Open Cut Coal Mine Project.

My main cause for concern is that increasingly close proximity, very large scale open cut coal mining operations are not compatible with my current MSA (Meat Standard Australia) approved livestock production for human consumption. Compared to the mining industry it is a very clean and green land use and income.

My family has continuously lived and produced livestock for 103 years, five generations at this location, 3 generations still currently live at this address.

It is becoming impossible to live and produce food in this area due to the impact of the surrounding coal mines. Water quality and air quality is so degraded and polluted it is becoming unliveable, effecting the young children most severely.

Traditional farming land holders such as myself, being highly productive with a long history of production are being forced off the land as coal mine are approved by this government. This history, this important food production and these lives mean nothing to today's government.

If Drayton Open Cut Mine and nearby Spur Hill Coal Mine are approved by this government it means we will have no alternative, we will inevitably be forced from this land away from this land, away from our lifestyle, away from our income. Our future will be thrown on the scrap heap, what a wasted life after over 100 years.

I respectfully ask that you register my objection to this proposal and seriously consider my objections when assessing

the appropriateness of the Drayton South Open Cut Coal proposal.

Yours faithfully

Grantley W Blake

Yours faithfully,
Grantley Blake

IP Address: cpe-124-185-39-232.lns2.cha.bigpond.net.au - 124.185.39.232

Submission: Online Submission from Grantley Blake (object)

https://majorprojects.affinitylive.com?action=view_diary&id=50887

Submission for Job: #4814 Drayton South Coal Project

https://majorprojects.affinitylive.com?action=view_job&id=4814

Site: #43 Drayton Mine; 13km south of Muswellbrook,

https://majorprojects.affinitylive.com?action=view_site&id=43

Grantley Blake

E : grantley.blake@bigpond.com

Powered by [AffinityLive](#): Work. Smarter.