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Group ID: 422

Consent name: Fulton Hogan - Roydon Quarry

**Consent number:** CRC192408, CRC192409, CRC192410, CRC192411, CRC192412, CRC192413, CRC192414, RC185627

Name: Peter and Cassandra Down

Care of:



**Contact by email:** Yes

Is a trade competitor: No

**Directly affected:** Yes

## **Consent support/hearing details**

- CRC192408: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC192409: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC192410: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC192411: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC192412: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC192413: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC192414: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- RC185627: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing

## **Reasons comment:**

Dust, traffic, noise, management of compliance issues, aesthetics, impact on environment, vibrations, proximity to housing, cumulative effects. Please refer to attached document

## **Consent comment:**

We oppose the consent, however if it goes ahead, we request the following conditions: That the quarry only operates between 9am and 4pm weekdays. That there be no quarry traffic travelling through Templeton residential areas (including Kirk Road). That the levels of dust, noise, traffic and other compliance matters be monitored by an independent authority (not Fulton Hogan)

## **Opposing the Proposed Quarry near Templeton**

We oppose the consent for the following reasons:

- 1. Dust We believe the levels of dust will be of health concerns to residents.
- 2. Traffic We believe the increase in heavy traffic going to and from the site will have an impact on the quality of the roads in the area, as well as being a safety concern. The volume of traffic will also cause inconvenience for other motorists.
- Noise We believe the noise from the machinery, trucks and equipment will be too much disturbance for residents and business owners.
- 4. Management of compliance issues We believe that if the quarry went ahead, the Council would not have the resources required to monitor noise, dust, traffic and other compliance issues.
- 5. Aesthetics It will not be pleasant to view a large quarry in place of open fields.
- Impact on environment We believe that the impact of a quarry on the environment is permanent, and the land will never be able to be rejuvenated.
- 7. Vibrations Already, we feel the vibrations from trains (from the same distance that we would be from a quarry). It would be disconcerting to also have vibrations from quarry machines and equipment.
- 8. Proximity to housing The close proximity to residential housing is of concern as the above effects will be strongly felt.
- Cumulative effects although each of the above is of concern, it is of greater concern that the cumulative effect of them all, would make Templeton an undesirable place to live.