Group ID: 422

Consent name: Fulton Hogan - Roydon Quarry

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

Name: Marie Jones

Care of: 

Contact by email: No

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:
I oppose Fulton Hogan's Resource Application due mainly to the proposed quarry's proximity to residential properties - just 700m from the township. The dangers from the ensuing silica dust and the impact quarrying can have on people has been well documented. The volume of truck and trailer movements will severely impact on adjoining roads which are not designed for such use. It is anticipated there may by 750 traffic movements from the quarry every day. Fulton Hogan may well decide to upgrade those roads in the immediate vicinity, but it will not be just these adjoining roads that will be affected, but the surrounding country and feeder roads to the quarry will be severely deteriorated. It is doubtful Fulton Hogan will undertake replacement or maintenance of all of these roads. On 150 days of the year Fulton Hogan wants to conduct "full" quarry activities between 6pm and 10pm, and carry out truck movements from 10pm to 6am. This heavy activity 24 hours per day, plus the high amount of proposed daily truck movements and resultant noise, will have an adverse effect on the quality of life of local residents, who have chosen to live in Templeton to enjoy the quieter lifestyle the township offers. Residents' physical health will not only suffer due to the silica dust, but the constant noise will lead to sleep deprivation and a reduction in mental well-being.

**Consent comment:**
I wish the consent authority to reject any application by Fulton Hogan to build a quarry at this site and any other within such close proximity to residential areas.