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Group ID: 542

Consent name: Bathurst Coal Limited

Consent number: CRC184166, CRC200500, CRC201366, CRC201367, CRC201368, CRC203016, RC185622

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Care of:

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Contact by email: Yes

Is a trade competitor: No

Directly affected: Yes

Consent support/hearing details

- CRC184166: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC200500: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC201366: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC201367: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC201368: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC203016: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- RC185622: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing

Reasons comment:

I am absolutely opposed to the resource consents Bathurst Coal ltd has applied for. The

reason being : - Coal extraction has a negative impact on local environment and community : it pollutes waterways and is a threat to critically endangered mudfish. Bathurst have repeatedly breached their existing consents for discharge to local waterways that are the habitat of the endangered Canterbury mudfish. Noise, dust and landscape effects are other negative consequences. - Coal is recognised as an unsustainable source of heating. Most of this coal is going to Fonterra's farms, Fonterra who made the promise to the NZ population, in front of the young leaders of “School trike 4 climate” last year to switch to sustainable sources of energy. Coal kills the climate : expanding the coal mine would mean going backward and ignoring the climate emergency. - The mine supports an unsustainable model of land-use : Fonterra’s economic model encourages intensive farming which is harming our environment and our health. - As a mother of two children, it is like a punch in the stomach that an expansion of a coal mine can even be considered. We should be looking at investing in renewable, sustainable source of energy instead. What sort of future do we want for the next generation?

Consent comment:

I wish the consent authority to reject the consent applications made by Bathurst.