

Hello, my name is Courtney Yates

I live at [REDACTED] Fifield. I was raised in Fifield.

My fiancé and I have recently moved back to Fifield to raise our daughter within such a heartfelt community surrounded by her family.

Growing up in Fifield gave me so many memories to cherish forever and I want my daughter to be able to experience the moments and feelings I endeared as a child growing up within a small community.

This small community is full of unique residents which all hold a close bond with each other. It is a tightknit community full of commitment and teamwork.

I love the town I live in and I do not want it to be destroyed from heavy traffic, noise & dust (which I know will happen)

I am not opposed to this mine but I am opposed to the affect it will have on our small town and the residents within the community.

I am concerned about the high level of traffic that will come through our town if the bypass is not put in. We have had 5 accidents on the corner of where our house is situated in the last 2 months, one of which was a truck, that landed on the dam bank taking out the fence, and one of which was a car that was metres away from veering into our house. I am very concerned about our house being crushed if another accident was to occur. If nothing is done about the high level of Traffic an innocent life is going to be destroyed. We need this bypass for the safety of our community. My Daughter, brother, cousins and other children live here, and it is not fair to them.

I have heard from a good source that there is Asbestos in the ground and as we have small children within the community I feel this is a major threat to their livelihoods. Children are our future and they don't deserve to be forced out of their home or have their home destroyed.

Thankyou for taking the time to read this letter

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Courtney Yates