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I strongly object to the proposed Glendell coal mine expansion for the following reasons:

Firstly, it will negatively impact the Ravensworth Estate which sits on one of the earliest sites of colonial settlement and frontier conflict in the Hunter . Remarkably, its homestead and surrounds remain largely intact. This pristine heritage area will be almost destroyed if there is an expansion of the Glendell coal mine.

Secondly, there will be a strong adverse impact on the shared Aboriginal and European heritage of this area. Our First Nations people should not be subjected to the indignities and the insults to their memories and history that the proposed coal mine expansion will cause.

The rarity and importance of the Ravensworth Estate has been compared to the World Heritage convict sites in Tasmania, and the significance of the massacre site has been compared to world war battlefields in Europe. It must be protected.

The NSW IPC has my complete and full support to stop the Glendell mine expansion and save the Ravensworth Estate.

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