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OBJECT

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Organisation: N/A	Key issues: <i>Visual impacts, design and landscaping, Land use compatibility (surrounding land uses), Traffic, Other issues</i>
Location: New South Wales 2576	
Attachment: N/A	

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"Not enough buffer zone with residential areas, a medical research facility, childcare centres and location in a riparian zone in Goulburn and Sydney's drinking water catchment.

- Environmental pollution from micro plastics and forever chemicals*
- High fire risk: this is a hazardous industry and there have been numerous fires in plastics recycling and processing facilities. The fire retardant used to combat such fires contains PFAS.*
- Lack of appropriate transport infrastructure to ensure a safe transport route for 23m B-Double Trucks*
- Conflicts with Wingecarribee Shire Council's draft strategic plan for the Southern Highlands Innovation Park to be an employment*
- inconsistencies and inaccuracies in the DPHI's recommendation for approval.*

This submission is not in opposition to recycling. Approval for location is too close to river and air catchment of local residence which will not be able to avoid the chemical waste products spewed out of the factory.

The proposed Plasrefine factory aims to process 120,000 tons of plastic waste annually from Sydney, Canberra, and Wollongong. This factory will almost assure the erosion of tourism to the southern highlands and will place a stigma on the area.
