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I object to this proposal. We are in a climate emergency. Extending the life of this mine to 2040 is an outrageous imposition on our children's future. Are we never going to act?

Camberwell is already the most polluted small community in the state. Residents do not have compulsory acquisition rights. The mine also wants to move closer to the already heavily impacted Singleton Heights.

When are the cumulative effects of open cut mining on the Upper Hunter going to be assessed? Another final void?

The offset arrangements are inadequate and do not address the cumulative impact of mining in general or this one in particular on the valley floor fauna and flora.

There is no study of the cumulative health impacts of mining on the resident population (as opposed to the drive in workforce)

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