

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 11:41 PM
To: DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox
Subject: Submission on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework

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Yours faithfully, Karla Gillies 2456

Rohan Tayler

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 11:36 PM
To: DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox
Subject: New Wind Energy Planning

Dear Sir/Madam,

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Yours Diane Orton 2778

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 11:32 PM
To: DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox
Subject: Make New Wind Energy Planning Framework increase renewable energy's contribution

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Yours faithfully, Maryse Camille 2021

From: [REDACTED]
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Subject: Madria Everson

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I have lived in Portugal for many years and in May of this year they produced enough electricity through wind and solar energy to run the country for a week. I feel very strongly that this can be achieved all over the world. The use of fossil fuels must stop – there is the technology and know how to do this to protect the earth and the atmosphere – it just needs the awareness and collective will to do it.

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Yours faithfully, Jason de Pass 2750

Rohan Tayler

From: [REDACTED]
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Subject: Renewable Energy- Clean and Cheap

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Yours faithfully, Ken Silvester 2233

From: [REDACTED]
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Subject: Jeannette Wehrle

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 11:01 PM
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Subject: Save Windpower

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Yours faithfully, David Reddin 2760

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Yours faithfully, Tim Brothers 2066

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Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 10:51 PM
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Subject: New Wind Energy Planning Framework

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework. Any Framework that provides greater clarity regarding the assessment of wind energy projects in NSW benefits the people of this state, the nation and indeed, the world.

Wind energy is already playing a key role in the transition away from fossil fuels, but more can be done. NSW is currently lagging behind other states in renewables, so it is important that the New Wind Energy Planning Framework encourages investors to develop wind energy projects in NSW.

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However I am concerned that the new Framework is overly concerned with the visual impact of wind turbines. It is curious that the introduction of mobile phone towers, for example, was not subject to a similar level of scrutiny. Anyone who has seen a coal or gas fired power station would find it laughable that wind towers warrant a more stringent assessment of their visual impact. This issue could be a significant deterrent for potential wind energy investors in NSW, to the detriment of the state's energy mix.

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Sincerely, John Szalla Figtree, NSW

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From: [REDACTED]
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Yours faithfully, susan Tansley s44 6

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 10:47 PM
To: DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox
Subject: Ensure that wind is adequately considered

To whom it may concern,

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework. I generally support a new Framework that provides greater certainty and guidance on the assessment of wind energy projects in NSW.

My key concern is that it one should not impose unnecessarily stringent conditions on wind power in any planning. Fossil fuels in fact have a larger negative visual impact and have already lost to renewables in generation cost.

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Yours faithfully, Ken Yap 2066

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Subject: The New Wind Energy Planning Framework

Dear Sir/Madam,

NSW is lagging behind other states and territories in its commitment to renewable energy, and I believe that we should be encouraging investment in these areas as much as possible.

Wind energy will be a vital part of our ability to reduce our state's carbon emissions and help Australia to meet its emission reduction goals. As a result, we need clear guidelines within the New Wind Energy Planning Framework for the establishment of future wind farms in this state.

Besides the many positive aspects of this new framework is the somewhat dubious emphasis being placed on the aesthetic properties of wind turbines. Most people would agree that a wind farm is far more visually pleasing than an open cut mine, yet the guidelines for an open cut mine are apparently far less stringent than those being planned for wind farms.

It would be encouraging for this government to be seen to be providing the same support to renewable energy producers as it does to the coal industry, especially given the fact that people are increasingly supportive of renewable energy and less supportive of fossil fuels.

Please ensure that the guidelines provided within this new Framework are fair and entice investors to invest in wind energy in our state. As the largest state by population in Australia we need to be pushing towards 100% renewable energy. For the sake of our future, anything less is unacceptable.

Yours faithfully, Jo McEwan 2580

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NSW needs to urgently pick up its game with Renewable Energy as climate change is already manifesting in damage to the barrier reef, record air and sea temperatures. Renewable Energy also offers great economic opportunities for the state as well providing new technologies and jobs. Wind energy should be a big part of our renewable energy solution.

As I said I generally support the New Wind Energy Framework, however I am concerned that it may put too much emphasis on the visual impacts of wind turbines. When assessing open cut coal mines is there any consideration given to the visual impacts of these projects. Which it now turns out are never properly remediated to their former condition. A matrix of wind turbines are not offensive and much better aesthetically than the current alternative, coal mines.

The former Abbott Government discouraged many renewable energy projects and NSW needs to act now to be a part of the new economy and not be left behind. I urge the NSW Government to ensure the New Wind Energy Framework promotes and encourages investment in Wind Energy in NSW for the benefit of us and future generations.

Yours faithfully, Michael Streatfeild 2171

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 10:08 PM
To: DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox
Subject: Submission on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework. I generally support a new Framework that provides greater certainty and guidance on the assessment of wind energy projects in NSW.

With increasing CO2 levels causing warming of the Earth's atmosphere and oceans, the breakup of ice sheets, glacial retreat, sea level rise, and ocean acidification, it is clear that we urgently need improved action in NSW to transition away from fossil fuels and increase our investment in renewable energy.

Wind energy will play an important role in that transition, so it is important that the New Wind Energy Planning Framework encourages investors to develop wind energy projects in NSW.

There are a number of positive aspects to the new Framework including: an increased emphasis on community engagement and consultation; a shift away from arbitrary, strict buffer zones; and confirmation that wind turbines do not cause adverse impacts on health.

However, I am concerned that the new Framework emphasises the visual impacts of wind turbines too strongly. I do not agree that the visual effects of wind energy projects warrant a more stringent assessment than any other major projects, such as open cut coal mines or high-rise residential buildings. A requirement for such an assessment could act as a deterrent for investors in NSW.

Wind energy has significant benefits to the people of NSW and I urge the NSW government to ensure its new Framework promotes investment in wind energy here in NSW and is finalised in a timely manner.

Yours faithfully, {Caroline} {Cosgrove} {2578}

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 10:06 PM
To: DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox
Subject: blowing away Coal Dust

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework. I generally support a new Framework that provides greater certainty and guidance on the assessment of wind energy projects in NSW. Given the amount of evidence that proves our air quality is harmful to our health. What stops governments from Increasing Environmental Protection rather than preserving aging and toxic fossil fuel production

With increasing CO2 levels causing warming of the Earth's atmosphere and oceans, the breakup of ice sheets, glacial retreat, sea level rise, and ocean acidification, it is clear that we urgently need improved action in NSW to transition away from fossil fuels and increase our investment in renewable energy. At the moment I am working in France and can see many windmills on the horizon. Why does anyone think that the graceful rotation of the blades is more ugly than the electricity pylons which have blotted landscapes for more than a century? Wind energy will play an important role in that transition, so it is important that the New Wind Energy Planning Framework encourages investors to develop wind energy projects in NSW.

There are a number of positive aspects to the new Framework including an increased emphasis on community engagement and consultation; a shift away from arbitrary, strict buffer zones; and confirmation that wind turbines do not cause adverse impacts on health.

However I am concerned that the new Framework puts too high an emphasis on the visual impacts of wind turbines. I do not agree that the visual impacts of wind energy projects are that much more significant than other major projects, such as open cut coal mines or high-rise residential buildings, that they warrant a more stringent assessment. This could act as a deterrent for investors in NSW.

Wind energy has significant benefits to the people of NSW and I urge the NSW government to ensure its new Framework promotes investment in wind energy here in NSW and is finalised in a timely manner.

Yours faithfully, Liz Thornton 2096

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Yours faithfully, Dr.gerda cohen

Rohan Tayler

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 10:05 PM
To: DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox
Subject: Jennifer Axtell

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework. I strongly support a new Framework that provides greater certainty and guidance on the assessment of wind energy projects in NSW.

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Yours faithfully, Jennifer Axtell 2666

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 10:01 PM
To: DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox
Subject: Submission on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework

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Yours faithfully, Ben Hirst 2082