

**Rohan Tayler**

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 14 September 2016 10:00 PM  
**To:** DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox  
**Subject:** Submission on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework

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Yours faithfully, Nancy Bevan 2535

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**Subject:** Peter Green

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Dear Sir/Madam,

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I urge you to implement the New Wind Energy Planning Framework which will provide some certainty for the assessment of wind energy projects in NSW.

It is urgent that we invest in clean energy because of the increasing effects of global warming and CO2 levels. We must encourage investment in renewables and the new economy, and wind energy has important role to play. New projects mean more jobs, opportunity for entrepreneurs and innovators, and a smooth transition to the new economy.

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With confirmation that wind turbines do not cause adverse impacts on health, it is timely to retract I'll advised emphasis on the visual impacts of wind turbines. Open cut coal mines are a massive eyesore and an environmental hazard. Older windmills and electricity pylons are no more unappealing than new wind turbines.

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Yours faithfully, Linda Gatfield 2060

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At this critical time for our environment it is important for all governments to facilitate the change to renewable energy and I am keen to see my state of NSW taking a leading role.

Yours faithfully, Alan Wardrop 2784

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Yours faithfully, Elizabeth Walsh 2304

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**Subject:** Simon C Mallender

Dear Sir/Madam,

Seriously? We're frying the planet and you want to discuss the niceties of visual impact. Too late my friend, much too late. We are way past the luxury of discussing how nice or otherwise a windmill looks. Please don't risk the future of Australians by placing any impediment to the future of a zero-carbon economy. They'll thank you for that.

And now the usual yadda yadda...

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Yours faithfully, Naomi Ponting 2008

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**Subject:** Submission on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework

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Yours faithfully, Simon Morgan 2303

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 14 September 2016 9:25 PM  
**To:** DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox  
**Subject:** Gina Krohn

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 14 September 2016 9:22 PM  
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**Subject:** Stefanie Ziegelmeir

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**Subject:** Submission on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework- clean energy for a clean world

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Yours faithfully, Shayne Ward 2229

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**Subject:** Wind power

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**Subject:** Katja Klikauer

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**To:** DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox  
**Subject:** Judy Hayne

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**To:** DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox  
**Subject:** Submission on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework -Our chance at a sustainable, clean energy future must start NOW.

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**Subject:** David Wintle

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**Sent:** Wednesday, 14 September 2016 8:55 PM  
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**Subject:** Laila Bazzi

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**Sent:** Friday, 16 September 2016 9:51 AM  
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