

**Submission
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**INQUIRY INTO FEASIBILITY OF UNDERGROUNDING
THE TRANSMISSION INFRASTRUCTURE FOR
RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECTS**

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I heard on the radio the other day, a man saying that wind turbines could not be used in the ocean as renewable energy because it could disturb the whales migrating! I thought, if you could hear what cattle sound like when they are burning to death, you might change your thinking.

I have a lovely neighbour-she decided she would hang herself because of the possibility that the above ground lines will go ahead. Her husband found her in time. Will he be there next time? She is convinced we will have another catastrophic fire-we are the Dunn's Rd. Fire survivors-if above ground is chosen.

Finally, it is 2023-put the powerlines underground-don't be Environmental vandals, & protect all of us from another Holocaust.

Ms Faehrmann, fellow Committee members, I thankyou in anticipation for reading this.

Yours faithfully, Helen Howell.