

**Submission
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INQUIRY INTO PROPOSED ENERGY FROM WASTE FACILITIES

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I am writing to today to express my opposition to the Energy for Waste facility proposed for Parkes NSW . I am a business owner and parent and have lived in Parkes my whole life . I am a professional working in the field of agricultural and small engine repairs . We have a small farm in the region , I worry about the effects from such a facility in the agricultural region , contamination and Dixon's produced from such facility , the effect to our air quality and health from the pollution , contamination of our soil and water ways . I worry about my child and the long term effects it will have on his generation . I do not understand how it can be allowed in certain areas but not in Sydney which is the main concern of waste , it cannot be economical to transport waste over 600 km , if it is not safe for Sydney why is it safe here . I feel that has been no proper consultation with the resident or community from Council of the Govt , I am strongly opposed to these facilities being allowed anywhere and fell there are better ways to deal with a circular economy the thermal form waste . I feel that no one not even the EPA can guarantee 100 % safety and that is not good enough , I worry about long term impactions , cancer's and risk to health . I feel that rural communities have been classed a second class citizens and our health and community does not matter .Thermal form waste facility's should not be allowed in any part of our country .