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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Sunday, 3 September 2023 8:01 PM  
**To:** DEM:Mining Reg Rehab  
**Subject:** Re: Erima Quarry (MC4541) Mining Lease Proposal, Hartley SA.

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To Whom it ay Concern.

We are [REDACTED] We live 1.9 kms from the proposed Erima Mining Quarry. We would like to register our objections to this new quarry.

1. We were we not advised or consulted that this was happening, despite being one of the nearest properties to this quarry, only 1.9kms.
2. We have worked hard for over 40 years making our property from a bare paddock into a beautiful space for our family , future generations and many others to enjoy the peace and tranquility of what we call [REDACTED]
3. We built a home from limestone straight from the paddock and recycled timber which is now a very popular guest house/BnB. People come from far and wide and overseas to Hartley to experience peace, tranquility, bird watching and enjoy native flora and fauna. We also planted 80 acres of carbon credit scheme, 14,500 tube stock and 42 kms of understory which is now 16 years old, but will not be enjoyed by our visitors if the quarry goes ahead.
4. For the first 20 years we put up with a quarry almost next door with the accompanying blasting, machinery noise, dust and followed by rubbish covering our property.
5. We now find that our neighbours have sold a 280 acre plot of land to a mining company virtually next door to our property.
6. For the last 13 years we have operated our bed and breakfast. If this quarry goes ahead we will have to close it as it will no longer be a place where people can come and enjoy our property's main feature - peace, quiet, tranquility and expansive views.
7. Constant dust will cause us grief especially considering we are in the direct prevailing winds from the site.
8. The constant noise from mining equipment 6 - 7 days per week from 7 am to 5 pm, with the option to extend hours, will be too much after comparing to the previous Monarto Quarry disturbance to our lives and business.
9. Our quality of life will be seriously affected and our property value will fall should we have to sell due to the negative quarry impact.
10. To say that we are devastated by this thought is a gross understatement.

We ask that our concerns be considered,

Regards,

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