Submission Cover Sheet

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Fingerboards Mineral Sands Project Inquiry and Advisory Committee - EES

Request to be heard?: No - but please email me a copy of the

Timetable and any Directions

Full Name: Sophie Kramme

Organisation:

Affected property:

Attachment 1:

Attachment 2:

Attachment 3: Comments:

I have grown up in Bairnsdale and have long admired the beauty of the community and the land that we are so lucky to live amongst in East Gippsland. The introduction of this mine will not only impact the natural beauty of Lindenow and surrounds, it will greatly impact the livelihoods of everyone in East Gippsland and will contribute significantly to the emergency of global climate change. It is abhorrent that, in 2020, there is anyone who is wanting (and actively advocating) to implement unsustainable actions such as this. We are a strong, farming community and allowing this mine to go ahead will impact every single person in East Gippsland. The toxicity of the dust, the profound impact on rivers, the wildlife and the land, and the impact on the East Gippsland Aboriginal culture are only a few of the significant implications that this mine will have. Kalbar planning should have stopped before it made it this far, and the fact that it hasn't only shows how little educated thought has been given to the impacts of this project.