

16th September 2015

Launceston City Council
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To the General Manager of Launceston City Council

Regarding application DA0176/2015.

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We object to the extension of the batching plant located in Lilydale Road because the existing plant does not operate within its permit conditions for noise and dust. Although a sprinkler system is used to suppress dust a large quantity of material is still carried by vehicles onto Lilydale Road for the passing traffic to blow into the air and over our houses. To further compound the problem the street sweeper, rather than using its washing capabilities, simply picks up the remaining dust and distributes it into the air and towards the residential properties. We have included a number of photos to demonstrate what happens (please see enclosed). To prevent this a tyre wash needs to be in place before any extension is allowed. This should be required by the council even if not allowing the extension.

The existing plant was approved by the Launceston City Council who completely ignored the guidelines researched and developed for concrete batching plants by environmental protection authorities. To approve the application for extension as submitted is to increase the size of the carcinogenic dust cloud that will be thrown over residential properties that are located in close proximity to the batching plant.

Signed

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