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169	Russell Mitten	Fishermans Walk Barwon Heads	S	There are more than enough developments in the Bellarine Peninsula already!	
170	William Tovey	Furneaux Close, Barwon Heads, 3227	S	In addition to the above points to which I fully support, I believe for the preservation of the significant importance of the environment and ecology of the area abounding Barwon Heads and taking into account the major residential development taking place in Ocean Grove, and the Armstrong Creek/ Warrailly developments and of course the major growth of Torquay, current infrastructure is struggling significantly to cope with the increased population growth, and it will take some time for the growth to be absorbed. Barwon Heads regularly becomes absolutely "clogged" with traffic at peak times and this is going to continue into the foreseeable future. Any expansion of the Barwon Heads boundaries will only add further to this pressure and quite honestly how much growth can the Bellarine take at this moment in time. The area is already under significant pressure with what is currently planned.	Movement & Parking
171	Ruth Creati	Hampden Close Barwon Heads	S	As a resident of over ten years in Barwon Heads I have seen a lot of changes - some good some bad but I believe allowing the boundaries to increase is going to push the town's infrastructure which is already struggling even further. One of the main reasons we moved here was because it was a small coastal town / don't let that change it is its beauty and the wetlands are already under threat.	
172	Cathryn Carpenter	margate St Barwon heads	O	I do not support the raising of the height limits in the center of the town. They should be maintained at 9 meters. Parking should not be waived for future developments as the overflow parking is impacting on local streets - blocking our driveway most weekends. We are also concerned about the high percentage of land built upon..	IHDA Movement & Parking
173	Tom Kebbell	Snead St Barwon Heads	S	Save the Wetland, Save the boundary. Barwon Heads today, Barwon Heads tomorrow, Barwon Heads forever!	
174	Tanya Henry	Tremont crt Barwon Heads 3227	S	Please don't let greedy developers destroy our natural environment. Maintain the town boundaries to ensure future generations can enjoy the wonders of Barwon Heads and its beautiful surrounds.	
175	Janet Evans	Taits Road Barwon Heads	S	I agree with all of the above. Barwon Heads is set in such a sensitive environmental area. Growth should be restricted within the current boundaries, to protect the wetlands, wildlife, and waterways.	
176	C. R. Heathcote	Barmah Close, Taylors Lakes, Victoria	S	Given residential development which is appearing along the surf coast, and which is seeing the broad destruction of habitat for native birdlife, it is essential that this pivotal wetlands area be preserved in order to preserve what is becoming an endangered ecosystem.	
177	Dr C. R. Heathcote	Barmah Close, Taylors Lakes, Victoria, 3038	S	The environmental significance of this area is actually increasing due to the expansion of property developments along the Surf Coast. These have already whittled away wetland areas west of Port Philip Bay, and major losses are set to occur over the next 5 to 10 years. Crucial habitat is lost for native fauna and flora; indeed, a number of bird species are now threatened with loosing wetlands essential to nesting. Regional extinction is becoming a genuine possibility. So it is crucial these wetlands be retained to ensure that we maintain biodiversity.	
178	Paul Kelly	O'Farrell Place	S	Don't ruin another coastline, some things are best left untouched and Barwon Heads is unique. Stay away.	
179	Pene schmidt	Rhinds rd Wallington	S	Barwon Heads and it's significant and unique environmental setting, and indeed the Bellarine peninsular should be protected by such proposed developments.	
180	Andrew Jenner	Rhinds Road Wallington 3222	S	I hope that this beautiful coastal village is protected as it should be.	
181	Beverley Anderson	Clauscen St Fitzroy North 3068	S	Let's protect what we value in Barwon Heads.	
182	Rebecca Spindler	Quarry st, Ultimo, NSW 2007	S	Wetlands have been shown to mitigate the worst impacts of significant environmental events such as sea surges and storms. The loss of these essential services will cost the community immediately as well as future generations.	
183	Wilma Bolitho	Jania Street, Lara VIC 3212	S	Close to my heart as where I grew up, went to church, learned to swim in the river and our farm backed onto my much loved 13th Beach. Leave Barwon Heads alone you greedy mongrel developers. Also my Father's sister the late Grace Brown lived in the town for over 50 years and was considered the heart of the town. She would be appalled.	
184	Susan Southall	Rachael Drive Mooroolbark 3138	S	A sensitive area that is not a growth zone it has an ecology that must be protected.	
185	Nicholas Bartram	River Parade, Barwon Heads, 3227	S	Save Barwon Heads!	
186	Joan smith	yellowgum drive ocean Grove 3226	S	Its the right thing to do to protect a treasure....	
187	Kate sommers	Dudley court Barwon heads	S	Barwon heads is a unique coastal town that still maintains the village vibe, is surrounded by beautiful wetlands and rare plant life. Please don't ruin it by expanding the town boundaries and letting the developers make millions by building more houses. We don't want to end up like ocean grove which in my opinion has been overdeveloped.	
188	Paul Moroney	Midden Terrace Barwon Heads 3227	S	Don't turn us into another Torquay or ocean grove. Retain our village.	
189	Le-Ana Maddy	Midden Terrace, Barwon Heads 3227	S	We moved here because of the above reasons and don't want them changed. Don't ruin our beautiful town.	
190	Felicity N. Hocking	Riverside Terrace, Barwon Heads, 3227	S	This is just another example of rapacious developers attempting to destroy an environment for personnal financial gain.	

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191	Davina Gunn	Thorn Street, Barwon Heads	S	I am writing to council to ask them to consider future generations and the need to maintain Barwon Heads as a village by the sea. This is not another Geelong suburb and it doesn't have the infratrstructure to support a large influx of new properties. Please maintain the boundary in its current form for the sake of future generations.	
192	Davina Gunn	Thorn Street, Barwon heads VIC 3227	S	The beauty and character of Barwon Heads must be maintained for future generations	
193	Geoff Bevan	Taits Road. Barwon Heads	S	<p>Decision makers for many decades now have opted for the idea that progress always revolves around commercialism, more houses, more shops, more of everything regardless of the fact that some of the most magnificent locations in Australia have now been ruined beyond repair because of never ending over development.</p> <p>The very things that have lured people to these beautiful places are lost forever because of greed. This greed nearly always comes from very financial developers who seem to have unlimited amounts of money to challenge anyone who stands in their way. The same developers rarely live in the very places they ruin and if they do they move on to their next project soon after. The overwhelming majority of people do not get a say over the final outcome of these areas that become over developed. This same majority want places of beauty protected for their children and future generations.</p> <p>Real progress would be an Authority that stands up for the majority and deliver full protection of places of significance, places that hundreds of thousands of people have enjoyed and guaranteeing many more will continue to enjoy into the future. Progress in the future for some areas may not nessesarily mean changing them but actually keeping it exactly as it is because the way it is is why people love these places.</p> <p>More and more people refuse to go to places like Noosa Heads in Queensland because the very thing that attracted visitors to Noosa has been lost to over development. Over developed, over commercialised, no longer natural. If developers want big housing sub divisions and fake environments then they should open up new areas along the coast away from these natually magnificent places.</p>	
194	Jennifer Bennett	Dudley Court Barwon Heads 3237	S	The township is overpopulated now with no parking and crowded roads	
195	Peta Brady	Glyndon court Barwon Heads	S	In all. There isn't the infrastructure to deal with more development. The town will lose everything that's great about it if developers are allowed any more movement. Roads are already congested. Parking is hard to find and our ecosystem is begging for a break. Conservation of wetlands should be paramount and is of the greatest importance of all.	
196	Sue Jones	Glyndon Court Barwon Heads	S	These wetlands are of INTERNATIONAL significance Tey must be protected	
197	Michael John Skinner	Knox Drive Barwon Heads 3227	S	<p>I ask that the final structure plan for Barwon Heads recognise the slow destruction of vital habitat within the existing boundaries. At present it would seem that little by little approach is resulting in a slow death by a thousand cuts.</p> <p>Any planning decisions that are approved for any developments should not result in any nett loss of floral and faunal habitats. Green zones and existing corridors should be considered in the initial stages of planning decisions rather than as an add on or optional extra.</p>	Vegetation protection
198	Jacqueline Anne Pallister	Knox Drive Barwon Heads 3227	S	I look forward to closer ties and management consultation between the COGG and Barwon Coast CoM in protecting our under pressure coast line in and around the town boundaries. Furthermore. I encourage COGG to advocate for the complete banning of duck hunting in the state or at the very least the exclusion of the gazetted Ramsar sites from all forms of hunting.	Duck hunting management is the responsibility of the State Government. The submission is noted.
199	Sally Peel	Lochgoin Mews Highton	S	The unique character of Barwon Heads needs to be retained for future generations.	
200	Natalie Howell	epsom Road Ascot Vale 3032	S	Nature deserves to be heard and respected!!	
201	Dianne m gallagher	Furneaux close Barwon heads	S	We want to protect our village by the sea by not turning it into a hideous concrete jungle bursting with housing pollution houses and ught structures . Protect the earth and this environment.	
202	Margaret Borthwick	Hopgood Place, Barwon Heads.	S	Barwon Heads does not have the infrastructure for land development . Only one small primary school, Traffic congestion through the town in normal periods is heavy enough ,with large semis going through,plus general traffic from the east to the west can be bumper to bumper. The fragile land west of the town Ramsad Swamp is very fragile and with development nearby is a no no. Also just out of Barwon Heads on the Barwon Heads Rd there is a natural water course that comes across the land from the Barwon River(levy bank) crosses the Barwon Heads Rd and sweeps in behind the Primary School.Check out the Victorian State Rivers Maps of the Area.	
203	Margaret Borthwick	Hopgood Place, Barwon Heads. Vic. 3227	S	Keep Barwon Heads as a Village. Environment re the Ramsard Swamp is vital. Also the natural watercourse that flows across the North facing paddocks from the Barwon River ,across the Barwon Heads Rd, next to Macaffeys land into the swamp and across the BHGC to behind the school. I'm not sure if anyone is aware of this. If the levy ever broke its banks like in 1995(?) it will flood the school and parts of the town . I have seen the State River Dept Maps of this area.	

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204	Kirk McNamara	Knox Drive	S	We must protect what we have and not just capitulate to development pressure and self interest. Please make a stand and resist the push for us to be like everyone else.	
205	J McGinness-Whyte	14-20 Nicholson Street, Coburg	S	Please retain the integrity of the Barwon Heads village, it is such a valuable asset and gives great joy to visitors and local alike. Make an extra effort to consider environmental issues above the financial motive, and preserve current boundaries.	
206	Rebecca Agg	Cronulla crt, Barwon Heads	S	Maintain our town for the future of our children, no more greed and over development ☺	
207	Dean Matthews	Plantation Drive Connewarre	S	General ammenities and services will be costly and intrusive to the area. There are many examples in Australia, and Victoria, where over urbanisation of coastal areas, particularly with sensitive eco systems, has seen the appeal of these areas destroyed. We have to be very careful to retain these 'treasured' areas for our future generations and not allow to be destroyed by a few developers who have other interests and motivations that are not in line with the wishes of the majority.	
208	Jillian Webb	Seabank Drive Barwon Heads	S	I don't think Barwon Heads can cope with any more development. We are overflowing as it is.	
209	Frank Webb	Seabank Drive Barwon Heads	S	There is way too much development in Barwon Heads. No more!	
210	Leigh Rees stewart	Spencer Rd camberwell	S	Barwon heads is a special place of coastal heritage, and environmental sensitivity which is best left alone .	
211	David Low	Trident Crt Ocean Grove 3226	S	Why do developers continue to make money from the ongoing destruction of our communities. The never ending growth has all but destroyed the town-feeling of Ocean Grove and I fear that even greater harm will be done to the environment with this unchecked growth in Barwon Heads.	
212	Douglas Barrett	Corymbia Circuit Barwon Heads 3227	S	I support the Amendment C375 Barwon Heads Structure Plan in full.	
213	Karen Firth	Furneaux Close Barwon Heads	O	I would like to see the settlement boundary remain and not be discussed for another 14 years. I would like to see appropriate planning controls put in place to protect and enhance our unique coastal town biodiversity and landscape features. I would like to see the Murtnaghurt lagoon wetland channel protected. Barwon Heads is not and should not be identified for growth, environmental and cultural values should be protected. Development outside of the existing boundary would irrevocably erode the village atmosphere of our town. We need to support our natural fragile surrounds. There is no strategic policy suport to justify moving the boundary. No residential development should a occur in Stage C of the 13th resort. I would like to see a tree study for the whole of Barwon Heads not just the Warrenbeen area. I will comment further on the planning scheme amendments in an email.	Vegetation Protection.  No residential development is permitted in Stage C of the Thirteenth Beach Resort.
214	Tex Lawrence	Furneaux Close Barwon Heads	S	Protect the wetlands. Don't pollute the environment.	
215	Ros Bandt	Thomson drive	S	As an acoustic environmental artist there is no mention of acoustic changes which will come with rezoning. I am opposed to more noise, traffic air, people , boats and jetskis ruining the peace and quiet of this little town which cannot support intensive development, Its a fragile limestone shelf with aboriginal history. Its a wetlands with sensitive mangroves eels and wildlife beautifully managed to the delicate balance is niw. It will tip over through human degradation sewers trampling congestion	The amendment does not propose to rezone any land outside the existing town boundary
216	Timothy S Dennis	Place, Barwon Heads Vic 3227	S	Because of the multitude of developments North of Ocean Grove, the availability of land development in Armstrong Creek & the lack of parking facilities in the township of Barwon Heads I think that those areas should be developed first rather than place pressure on the limited existing facilities in the township.	

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217	Stephen wickham	River Parade	<p>S</p> <p>Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission to amendment C375to the Greater Geelong Planning Scheme. I commend the quality work the planners have put into every stage of the processes in the preparation and presentation of the Barwon Heads Structure Plan, 2017. The engagement process and community consultations were of great help in taking the community through the stages of this important planning matter.</p> <p>I support CoGGs' assertion that "The Structure Plan clearly defines a Settlement Boundary which will reduce urban sprawl and protect sensitive surrounding coastal, wetland and rural environments. The Settlement Boundary is proposed to remain as currently identified in the Greater Geelong Planning Scheme." I note that this position has been consistent since the1996 Structure Plan and the UDF, 2004, and the later 2007-10 Structure Plan and the current plan.</p> <p>As stated throughout the 2017 Structure Plan the reasons for maintaining the historic settlement boundary have gained more scientific and planning evidence. The references from other planning and environmental agencies is over whelming in support for keeping the boundary where it is.            "Maintaining the Settlement Boundary recognizes the sensitive ecological and landscape values located to the west of the urban area. This includes the internationally recognized Ramsar wetland area of the Murtnaghurt Lagoon. The Structure Plan supports public land managers and community groups in the on-going management of Murtnaghurt Lagoon, the Bluff, the coastal and river environs and the estuary."            The plan as adopted by CoGG in August 2017, makes it clear that the natural assets that define Barwon Heads are recognized as of very high importance at every level of government. Further the plan articulates the concerns related the climate change and its effects of the RAMSAR and associated wetlands. These areas are now more fully recognized for intrinsic values and ecological services.</p>	<p>The submisison is noted including positive feedback on the community engagement process.</p>
218	Peta Anne Hocking	Barwon Heads Road, Connewarre, 3227	<p>O</p> <p>Other major issues for Barwon Heads are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Traffic flow and the poor state of the road access to and from Barwon Heads particularly from Geelong. The speed limit needs to be reduced to 80km for safety reasons from Stacey's Road and the Airport given there are busy access points at the Airport, at Blue Stone School Road and at the 13th Beach Golf Course and Resident's driveways. The "new bridge" is a complete failure and does not cope with historic traffic let alone current traffic at any time during the year. This was an absolute blunder on the behalf of combined CoGG, Vic Roads and Traffic and Parking Authorities.</li> <li>The position of the pedestrian crossing is also totally unhelpful for traffic and it creates massive ques even back as far as the Apco.</li> <li>2. Parking is challenging at best in the Barwon Heads shopping precinct on any day in the year let along peak season and for some reason this is being totally ignored. The Blind eye approach by authorities is obvious given the number of parking waivers that have been allowed for development along Hitchcock and Bridge Roads. The days of one family one car have long gone and the authorities need to band together and recognise the need for accommodation of families with one car per person as well as all the visitors and other residents.</li> <li>3. Multi development and multi story builds on blocks that housed one family home or equivalent, need to be monitored more carefully so as not to create overcrowding on any one block, to prevent shadowing across adjacent homes, to protect the village feel of the seaside town and to protect permeable land given the flood possibility in Barwon Heads. The new build on the corner of Ozone and Reid is an example of poor planning permit provision. It might well be a fabulous house but it takes up the entire block to within inches of the limits to the boundaries, required the removal of indigenous trees, has virtually no permeable land and has no space for an native garden in keeping with the outcome of various community consultation meetings. Other builds or planning permits in the pipe line that have the potential to be counterproductive to the village of Barwon Heads are the Larkin and Drought build opposite the supermarket (where is the parking and it towers over all) and the planned development for One Flinders Parade which will render the township's historic entrance as a clone of other townships along the coast imposed on by a huge out of sync build with poor parking provision and dangerous access.</li> <li>4. Flood and waste - The drainage and sewerage infrastructure in Barwon Heads is fragile and overloading due to multi development on traditionally single blocks, is risky on many levels - toxicity and flooding in particularly that threaten our Wetlands and Wildlife. The current new storm water outlet at the Ozone jetty is an example of very poor planing that ignored community input in that the outlet is clearing visible at low tide and stands out like an disaster beacon. It has</li> </ol>	<p>Movement &amp; Parking IHDA</p>
219	Khianna Chapman	Barwon heads road Barwon heads	<p>S</p> <p>Barwon heads does not need any more houses than what is currently there. The tiny town and tiny Main Street would not b able to provide for much more growth.</p>	

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220	Helen Brereton	Wattlebird Crescent Barwon Heads	S	As a long term resident (23 years) of Barwon Heads I am extremely concerned about the traffic levels here at peak hours, on weekends and all holiday periods. Further town growth will exacerbate an already gridlocked situation which would have the potential to create a major disaster in an emergency situation.	Movement & Parking
221	Adam Green	Fourth Loop, Barwon Heads (13th beach estate)	S	Continue development in other regions with less impact on the environment. Barwon Heads is unique and we must keep it that way.	
222	Elise Wilkinson	Curlew Crt Barwon Heads	S	Protecting this fragile wetland is vital to managing the environment long term. The financial gain from developing and changing the border of Barwon Heads would benefit a small number but have dire consequence on not only the human, animal and plant life that exist there now but on all who visit this beautiful coastal town.	
223	Sara Backhouse	Pelican Court Barwon Heads	S	There is no pressing need to extend the boundary other than lining the pockets of a few developers. There is plenty of housing stock that is built, being built or planned within the immediate region. Please look after our precious environment and do not allow overdevelopment to spoil this unique area. Once it's gone, it's gone.	
224	Hamish Anderson	Pelican Court, Barwon Heads	S	There is no sensible justification for allowing overdevelopment to destroy this sensitive and unique environment. Housing needs in the area are well met. The implications of permitting boundary expansion would be dire for long term well being of the region. It is simply not required, and would be a travesty if approved.	
225	Elizabeth Graham	Grove road Barwon Heads	S	The current infrastructure can't handle a further influx of people. Roads, parking etc.	
226	Jen graham	grove road Barwon heads 3227	O	Parking is of paramount importance - dangerous. This is not ok - something needs to be done.	Movement & Parking
227	Carlos mccarthy	Knox drive Barwon Heads	S	There is enough pressure from Armstrong creek	
228	Liz Hackett	/ 657 Chapel Street, South Yarra Vic 3141	S	Pristine coastal areas are an attraction to international visitors and thus an income source to local communities	
229	Carol Richardson	Hopgood pl Barwon heads	S	Stormwater run off into Ramsar wetlands and parking problems are my major concerns	
230	Angela Webb	Mulgoa Court Barwon Heads	O	Please stop the massive growth of 3 story buildings in our town. There is not enough areas to access parking. Seems that because we don't want growth outside the boundary, we are now paying for it dearly with these monstrosities. Been living here permanently for 27 years. Our town is slowly being destroyed by developers and real estate who don't care.	IHDA
231	Tim Fewings	Geelong Rd	S	Armstrong Creek has had a huge impact on the infrastructure of the area. Please stop any further encroachment on green wedge areas and wetlands. Barwon Heads is becoming more unique and valuable as population increase continues to impact on other coastal towns in the area. Please protect this lovely village.	
232	C. G. Briggs	Riverside Terrace, Barwon Heads, Vic, 3227	S	May I begin my comments by stating that I am not a 'nimby' and that in the fastest growing country in the developed world, some population growth has to be accepted. However, Barwon Heads has special needs which must be considered.  The wetlands on Barwon Heads western boundary need protection on both sides - not just within the boundary of the game reserve. Low hanging mist on a morning in this area is a sight to behold, and replacing it with modern housing would be a tragedy. The loss of rural land at Armstrong Creek is enough - more does not need to be lost at Barwon Heads. Appropriate distance needs to be maintained between the two settlements - and it is already at its minimum.  The relentless push higher in buildings within Barwon Heads serves as our answer to accommodating more people - it does not need to be accompanied with a push westwards as well. If the town is asked to yield on one, it simply cannot yield on the other - one damages character, both destroy it.  I thank you for taking my thoughts into account and would be happy to discuss if required.	
233	Ben seidel	Mulgoa crt Barwon Heads	S	Change should not be driven by those wanting to capitalise and profit on the back decisions that do not impact themselves.	
234	Sarah mcnamara	Mulgoa Ct Barwon Heads.	S	As a young family who have recently settled in Barwon Heads and are investing in our home for the long term, we would be disappointed to see the town develop into something unsustainable and likely to decrease the value of our property and surrounding properties. The town infrastructure is not set up for further development and it would change the feeling of the community if this were to happen. We love the town that we live in and welcome the seasonal visitors but anymore than this could have a real impact on the lifestyle and safety that we currently feel.	
235	Roslyn Paterson	Seabank Drive Barwon Heads 3227	S	There is already too much pressure on the existing infrastructure and amenity of a fragile coastal setting.	

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236	Carey Grace	Stephens Parade Barwon Heads	O	The over development of Barwon Heads is getting to breaking point, especially now with the allowance of 3 storey dwellings and the addition of at least half a dozen new shops and apartments above. There is No new car parking spaces available for all these new residents and No new infrastructure to cater for this ever burgening population at our door step. We need to Holt All further development and take consideration of the residents of this Stunning Location and at least keep it in check so as not to Ruin a Good Thing.	Movement & Parking IHDA
237	Beverley Loft	Von Nida Ave, Barwon Heads	S	The current development both in Barwon Heads, where single houses are quickly disappearing and being replaced by multi-residential structures, and in new areas such as Armstrong Creek, have already impacted significantly on the amount of traffic and human intervention on the area's unique environment.	
238	Alex Haynes	Golf Links road Barwon Heads	S	The Council needs to show strong leadership on this issue and give the community some certainty about its future.	
239	christine walsh	Fraser Ave	S	stop giving into developers and being driven by greed. every bit of land we take means loss of habitat for what should be there. it doesn't matter how slow development is, it is still taking away other life. people are too selfish and there is plenty of ruined farmland that can be used for housing. the coast is already far too compromised and makes me sick to my stomach that everyone things they have a right to clear and kill off what should be for every other life form except ours. i am a long term resident of Anglesea. 50 years and all i see there is slow destruction of something we should treasure. politicians should be protecting what we still have science should be taught more so ignorant people do not make stupid selfish decisions. how dare any of them let it happen. most people have no idea what so ever of the implications as they are uneducated and ignorant. im hoping that is the case and not just merely stupid, as there is no fixing that. people do not even understand the water CYCLE anymore and i learnt that in 3rd grade. stop destroying our world for the sake of selfish people wanting a 'sea chage'. not everyone can live in Toorak and not everyone can live on the coast. its bad enough that everyone wants the tourist dollars but our environment is priceless. i am so glad I don't have children or i would be totally sickened by what we are leaving behind. even bringing in outside soil is a problem that 99% of people don't understand. stop letting fools make extremely important decisions. once the damage is done there is no fixing it. How about people start thinking about the mess we are leaving behind for the generations following us.	Council is not and does not "give in to developers".
240	Jukka	River Parade Barwon Heads	S	I made a previous submission attempting to provide some feeling of the unseen complexity in natural systems. The aim of this was to dispel the assumption we all seem to make that when we don't know about something, then there is nothing to know. This then makes us vulnerable to be swayed by benefits which are visible, such as , providing community areas, but in the end will amount to giving away lands for a few beads in terms of a true exchange of value.	
241	Karen Sunderland	Newbay close Barwon Heads	S	Barwon Heads is a unique community surrounded by coast and wetlands it needs to be preserved for generations to come.	
242	Alvyn williams	Parkview av Ocean Grove 3226	S	The resilience of already developed bellarine communities such as Barwon heads to sea level rises and tidal inundation be assessed, and if required, limits placed upon the redevelopment of private and public structures and infrastructure at risk.	
243	Robert Kurtz kuebler	Seaview Avenue Barwon Heads, 3227	O	Within the town boundary controls are needed to keep the village character of Barwon Heads especially the vegetation	Vegetation Protection Village Character
244	Paul Hockett	Goulburn Valley Hwy Numurkah	S	Having been a resident, then holidaymaker and visitor to this are for over 60 years I find the unfettered development that is inevitably linking coastal settlements, most undesirous . I spend a lot of time as an observer of natural history and collator of bird numbers and the density of available habitat for them . Coastal intrusions are destroying habitat all along the Bellarine Peninsula and Surf Coast . We will have nothing left for our grandchildren .	
245	Paul Perry	Seaview Ave Barwon Heads Victoria 3227	S	Barwon Heads' infrastructre is insufficient to support the extra development that an extension of the town boundary would bring and there is simply no solution available to that problem, consistent with maintaining the town's character.	
246	Paul Perry	Seaview Ave, Barwon Heads, Vic 3227	S	Historical lack of infrastructure and planning to support the vastly growing populations of Ocean Grove and Armstrong Creek and their effect on Barwon Heads are already placing enormous strain on the Barwon Heads township and it's traffic flows. An extension of the Barwon Heads town boundary will materially exacerbate this problem. Due to the physical characteristics of Barwon Heads, being surrounded by sensitive wetlands, nationally significant coastal parks and the Barwon River, the addition of any new infrastructre to support the enlarged population caused by an extension to the town boundary, particularly any extra river crossings to alleviate the existing overwhelming traffic congestion during the extended summer period, will further damage the amenity and natural environment of the area.	
247	Christina Cowcher	Lawrenny court Barwon Heads	S	Keep the boundaries as they are and allow low development only in Barwon Heads.	

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248	Simon Williams	Mulgoa crt Barwon Heads	S	Dont destroy the wetlands Don't destroy the Town Once it's destroyed..there is no coming back	
249	Simon Collings	OZONE RD BARWON HEADS	S	Further extension of Barwon Heads town boundaries is unnecessary and inappropriate for all the above reasons . The Bellarine doesn't need more subdivisions . They are already spreading like cancer .	
250	Luke Woods	Corymbia Cct, Barwon Heads	S	The village is not designed for an increase of residents. With warrillilly, Armstrong Creek, Ocean Grove there is no need to change the boundaries of Barwon Heads	
251	Greg Lott	Taits rd Barwon Heads	O	Being a small village we have a fantastic community involvement. We also have a huge parking problem all year round, which is going to get even worse when council approve more shops, restaurants etc with no need to supply parking. Don't send people to monitor parking in the middle of winter, midweek to check availability, or Saturday afternoon whilst footy is on.	Movement & Parking
252	Mr Bill Somerville	Margate St Barwon Heads	S	As a rate payer for many years I have seen the population grow & the many problems that have been caused by traffic, parking & the damage to the environmental areas such as the beaches. Barwon Heads was never planned to compete with the increase in numbers of visitors & residents.	
253	Caroline Hutton	Seabank Drive, Barwon Heads	S	Thank you for your consideration.	
254	Carol Reid	Carr Street, Barwon Heads	S	There is no need to increase the town boundary of Barwon Heads when there are enormous suburbs being built near by. Our town does not need to be overgrown.	
255	Kacey Reid	Carr Street, Barwon Heads, 3227	S	Keep our town the delightful seaside village it is - NO expansion !!	
256	Georgina Reid	Carr Street, Barwon Heads, Vic. 3227	S	I would hate to see the boundary of Barwon Heads increased and the delightful town as we know it to become a seething metropolis of cars and people.	
257	Cassandra Twomey	Taits Road. Barwon Heads	S	Barwon Heads popularity is due to its underdeveloped coastal village atmosphere and the connection to the natural environment that surrounds the village. Recent inappropriate developments are based on maximising personal financial gain and are not at all concerned with retaining this unique environment. Residents and visitors who value the history and the amenity of Barwon Heads, do not want to turn this sensitive area into a developers vision of another urban city space. This unique coastal and wetlands environment must be preserved for future generations, for its valued biodiversity and as a refuge for the fauna and flora that can be found there.	
258	james edward butler	grove road, barwon heads, victoria	S	My family and I have been permanent residents in the Barwon Heads community since 1992 and have observed reasonable and appropriate development confined within the defined residential boundaries. The nature and style of the Barwon Heads community does not in any way lend itself to the expansion.  Extension of the urban development outside the existing boundary would irrevocably erode the "village" atmosphere of the town. It would almost double the physical size of the town and more than double the number of residents in town.	
259	Giles Ingram	Bridge Road Barwon heads	S	Residents not developers should be heard and influence planning	Submissions are invited from anyone with an interest in the Amendment, and are to be considered equally as required by the P&E Act.
260	john butler	grove road, barwon heads	S	My family and I have been permanent residents in the Barwon Heads community since 1992 and have observed reasonable and appropriate development confined within the defined residential boundaries. The nature and style of the Barwon Heads community does not in any way lend itself to the expansion.  Extension of the urban development outside the existing boundary would irrevocably erode the "village" atmosphere of the town. It would almost double the physical size of the town and more than double the number of residents in town.	
261	annie elizabeth butler	grove road, barwon heads	S	My family and I have been permanent residents in the Barwon Heads community since 1992 and have observed reasonable and appropriate development confined within the defined residential boundaries. The nature and style of the Barwon Heads community does not in any way lend itself to the expansion.  Extension of the urban development outside the existing boundary would irrevocably erode the "village" atmosphere of the town. It would almost double the physical size of the town and more than double the number of residents in town.	

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262	thomas charles butler	Grove Road, Barwon Heads, Victoria	S	<p>My family and I have been permanent residents in the Barwon Heads community since 1992 and have observed reasonable and appropriate development confined within the defined residential boundaries. The nature and style of the Barwon Heads community does not in any way lend itself to the expansion.</p> <p>Extension of the urban development outside the existing boundary would irrevocably erode the "village" atmosphere of the town. It would almost double the physical size of the town and more than double the number of residents in town.</p>	
263	Christopher Clarke	Seabank Drive, Barwon Heads	O	<p>Traffic and facility use within the village is already under stress. Significant population growth and coastal sprawl will significantly impact residents of the town, a unique coastal village that is so popular because of its contained size and surrounds of wetlands, river and ocean.</p> <p>The vast majority of residents of Barwon Health are strongly against the expansion west of the town boundary. The only real beneficiaries of expansion of the town boundary west and coastal sprawl are the landowners pushing to develop their properties for financial gain. The bridge being re-built in its current location was a poor and near-sighted decision that the community will have to live with the negative impacts forever. Please consider the impact of proposed significant expansion of our idyllic village, an action that will erode the very nature and appeal of such a unique coastal village.</p> <p>In relation to building density and heights within Barwon Heads, there is a real risk of changing the character of the village by allowing greater than 2 storey development. This has already started in a number of areas within Barwon Heads and is totally out of character for our coastal village. Barwon Heads streets are generally narrow, so three storey development overpowers surrounding residences. Block sizes within Barwon Heads enable good size one and two storey builds, which have significantly less impact on the physical and visual environment that is so unique in our village. Retaining two storey height limits in Hitchcock Av I believe is vital and the east west orientation of the shops means one side of the street is often shaded. 3 storeys will significantly reduce the period of sun on either side off the street, leaving the street cold, shaded and less appealing to shoppers, visitors and residents</p>	IHDA
264	Simone Clarke	Seabank Drive, Barwon Heads	S	<p>Barwon Heads attracted me to live here many years ago due to its intimate community feel and superb coastal and wetland environment. Expanding the two boundary will result in Barwon Heads becoming just like most other coastal towns within 90 minutes of Melbourne (i.e. Torquay, Ocean Grove, bayside Mornington Peninsula), with massive uncontrolled growth impacting on the very nature and original attraction of living out of an urban environment. These areas listed are designated as growth zones anyway, which Barwon Heads is not. We are surrounded by development and population growth, so please support us in maintaining the town boundary west of Barwon Heads as is for the long term, which will go a long way to maintaining our village as the pristine coastal village that is one of the most popular places to live and holiday in the state. Development of the land west of Barwon Heads is only for the benefit of a very small minority of speculative landowners, but will negatively impact and is unsupported strongly by the vast majority of Barwon Heads residents, the CoGG council and many visitors to our village.</p>	
265	Sharon Williams	Turpentine Road, Brookfield 3338	S	<p>Barwon Heads and it's wildlife residents deserve better.</p>	
266	Mrs G. Molesworth	Grove Road Barwon Heads Vic 3227	S	<p>The town is already gridlocked and for the safety of residents the traffic which uses our main roads is increasing, not only in the summer months.</p>	
267	Dr Ss P. Lee & Dr R. L. L	Sheepwash Road, Barwon Heads, 3227	S	<p>The massive size of the Warralilly and Armstrong Creek developments, as well as the housing estates within the Thirteenth Beach Golf Precinct, and those surrounding Ocean Grove, together provide ample housing for decades into the future. There is absolutely no case for more housing beyond these.</p> <p>We have a duty to preserve our flora, fauna, waterways and open spaces for the upcoming generations. This is a fragile balance and a great opportunity for the City of Geelong to lead the way in conserving its hinterlands and towns, which will allow the tourism and recreational industries to flourish.</p>	
268	Anthony Laffy	Aberdeen St, Newtown. 3220	S	<p>The boundaries don't require changing!</p>	
269	Denis Finn	Corymbia Cct	S	<p>How many communities do these "developers" have to destroy before we take notice of their absolute greed??? We have grid lock thru town for months on end already?? Infrastructure? Schools? Parking? Living space &amp; standards? STOP these greedy vandals.....please</p>	Corymbia Crt is one of the newer estates in Barwon Heads - and built by developers.
270	Denis Finn	Corymbia Cct Barwon Heads	S	<p>WE have seen the destruction of so many coastal communities by the greed of theses 'developers'.....when is enough, enough ? Please protect our community from these predators</p>	
271	Mark Kebbell	Thomson Drive, Barwon Heads, Vic 3227	S	<p>The infrastructure and resources of Barwon Heads are patently unable to cope with any material increase in population.</p>	

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272	David & Kelli Finlayson	Corymbia Circuit, Barwon Heads 3227	O	In relation to the proposed residential zone and overlay changes, we urge that a requirement be incorporated into the structure plan for significant set-backs for 1st and 2nd floor developments within Area 4, to ensure that a 'tunnel effect' or canyon is not created over time along streets within the zone. As stated previously, Barwon Heads is recognised as a coastal village by the G21 Regional Growth Plan 2013 (as adopted by the State government) and three-storey 'walls' or canyons of development are hardly conducive to maintaining that village feel and amenity. Already the entrance to Barwon Heads from the bridge is the subject of a planning application which would create a visual wall confronting people arriving to the village; totally inconsistent with feel of a seaside village. To have such developments throughout the the central Area 4 would totally destroy the village atmosphere.	IHDA
273	Tamara Dalley	Hampden Close, Barwon Heads 3227	S	The Bellarine peninsula is under extreme pressure from over development. Barwon Heads township is surrounded by designated growth areas (Ocean Grove & Armstrong Creek) and is already massively impacted by this population explosion. Barwon Heads does not have the ability or infrastructure to support this increasing demand and so to put even more pressure on it from increasing it's own town size is beyond comprehension.	
274	Jyoti Thapa	Harbour Rd, Howth, Dublin, Ireland.	S	Jyoti Thapa	
275	Sophie Holloway	Henley Street, Barwon Heads 3227	S	I strongly urge you to accept the responses, as set out above. Thank you.	
276	Tim Bass	Ramsgate Avenue, Bondi Beach 2026	S	The incremental destruction of wilderness areas must be stopped and this is a classic example.	
277	Louise Judith Baylis	Grove Road Barwon Heads	S	The infrastructure of Barwon Heads will not cope with any more housing growth the traffic is gridlocked at this stage even before anymore development it is a major safety issue for emergency services etc. Let alone power water schools and roads.	
278	Jennifer Robinson	Sheepwash Road Barwon Heads	S	<p>This Amendment supports the consultation and the planning processes that the Barwon Heads Community have been engaged in for at least the past 15 years.</p> <p>Specifically, the Amendment supports Community views as they are represented in those Frameworks, Planning Statements and Guidelines that so much community consultation and good work have produced over the past 15 years- The Bellarine Peninsula Strategic Plan; The Barwon Heads Structure Plan 2010</p> <p>This Amendment supports what many Barwon Heads residents truly value in their town and have fought hard to protect- that is its coastal nature and character.</p> <p>It supports aims as stated in The Bellarine Localised Planning Statement 2015:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- "To protect, preserve and enhance built heritage, cultural and urban character values and preserve the individual identity and role of townships."</li> <li>- To ensure that development responds to the identity and character of the individual township in which it is located.</li> <li>- To protect the character of local conservation precincts, places, objects and sites and heritage areas on the Bellarine Peninsula.</li> <li>- To encourage development, which respects the setting of coastal settlements by providing reasonable sharing of views of the coast and foreshore and uses contemporary design that reflects existing built form.</li> </ul> <p>This Amendment supports the Community's consistent challenge of the assumption that all/any development is always good for every area.</p> <p>I therefore totally support Amendment C375 -Barwon Heads Structure Plan and ask Council to do the same.</p>	
279	Susan McLellan	Plantation Drive Barwon Heads 3227	S	The environmental value and diversity of the Barwon Heads area is unique and must be preserved for future generations.	
280	Adrian Bruce Kelly	Cashmore Drive, Connewarre, 3227	S	With Armstrong Creek and Warrilly townships opened up and Ocean Grove and Torquay ever expanding, surely we cannot completed ignore the need to maintain a pocket of diverse environment, habitat and serenity amid this explosion of developer greed.	
281	Pamela Hainon	Sheepwash Rd Barwon Heads	S	The infrastructure of the town of Barwon Heads ( roads, sewage, power) cannot cope with any more substantial development	
282	Stephen McGain	Endeavour Drive, Ocean Grove	S	the continual development of areas means we will severely impact a RAMSAR site that serves as an essential part of the natural environment	
283	Nellie briffa	ozone road barwon heads	O	The building height should be reviewed to not exceed 9 meters in height throughout barwon heads KEEP BARWON HEADS AS IS PLEASE thankyou	IHDA
284	Mark Boyle	Ozone road Barwon Heads	O	A limit building heights to 9 metres within the whole of Barwon Heads	IHDA

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285	Susanne Cauchi	Flinders Parade, Barwon Heads	S	I have been visiting Barwon Heads since 1950 when my parents bought into the area and we still own the same property. I have disliked the way in which the GC of Geelong has taken away the village atmosphere of Barwon Heads with the atrocious building approvals - definitely not within the bounds of the Heritage overlay of timber boathouse and iron roof confinement's originally defined, and certainly not within the original height restrictions. It is unfortunate that the Council is allowing such large imposing developments. Barwon Heads is not a city where we would expect to see these hideous buildings. We therefore need to protect what little remaining natural wetlands and boundaries that remain. Parking and traffic are already abominable with little care by visitors and those travelling through to speed and parking restrictions.	Village Character
286	John crosgrove	Seabank drive Barwon Heads	S	Parking is already a problem	
287	Tamara Creswick	Thomson Drive Barwon Heads	S	No more Development	
288	Marianne Fricker	HorwoodDrive, Breamlea	O	The village character of Barwon Heads should be retained. I oppose any attempts to increase existing height limits.	IHDA
289	Jo-Anne Haeusler	Seabank Drive Barwon Heads 3227		Barwon Heads is already feeling the effects of the growth from Warrilly and Armstrong Creek so it is absolutely imperative that the growth around Barwon Heads is capped to prevent more degradation of the all ready overloaded and sensitive environment. Please consider the ecological integrity of this area in the final structure planning.	
290	Jo-Anne Haeusler	Seabank Drive Barwon Heads Vic 3227	S	Please consider the environmental impact of further development around and beyond the current boarder of Barwon Heads. It is very obvious to all that the impact of and ongoing growth of Warrally and Ocean Grove are and will continue to have significant negative effect on the coastal environment bordering these towns, we do not need further negative impact on Barwon Heads and its environmentally fragile surrounding boarders please.	
291	A. & M. Colman	Thomson Drive, Barwon Heads	S	Current infrastructure would not be able to cope with the demands of a new housing estate. Such action would jeopardise the current domestic amenities that exist for the whole population of Barwon Heads.	
292	Caroline Faulkner	ormsby grove toorak 3142	S	The influx of warally Armstrong creek residents during summer makes the town clogged with cars traffic people and it's horrible. Why do you need more land ??? The whole coastland will be ruined with horrible residential estates 🏠	
293	Dee Orgill	Culdee Court, Barwon Heads	S	Excellent work CoGG on the good community consultation during the structure review process. Given the solid rationale for retention of the current town urban boundary the structure plan should not be reviewed for another 14 years at least.	The BHSP does not identify a timeframe for the next review.
294	Darren finding	mooropna court Barwon heads	S	Barwon heads is a unique place to live and bring up our kids. In a world where the almighty dollar rules, please put people and the environment first. Let Barwon heads be the quaint village it is... please!	
295	Fiona Duncan	Sheepwash Rd Barwon heads	S	Thoughtless planning decisions are impacting on our town and changing the nature of this place.	
296	Graeme Mathers	Golf Links Road Barwon Heads	S	We need to protect our town from over zealous and careless development.	
297	Fiona Mathers	Golf Links Road, Barwon Heads	S	We recently purchased our home in BH knowing that the boundaries would not be extended so I'm very disappointed to now hear that developers have once again become greedy.	
298	Gary and Jenny Lee	Seabank Drive, Barwon Heads	O	Any further growth in permanent population can only result in an unacceptable decline in the liveability of the town. Services are already stretched at normal times and become impossible at peak times. Parking, traffic flow and access to services must not be allowed to deteriorate further.	Movement & Parking IHDA
299	Heather Robinson	Central Muntoona Rd Wunghnu Vic3635	S	As people who have been holidaying at Barwon Heads for 45 years it seems so self destructive to destroy the very asset that visitors (and their money) want to come to the area for. Why destroy the environment, the fragile ecosystems, the vital wetlands for the sake of a soon outdated suburb? Please look beyond the instant gratification of self interested developers, it's a vital piece of our world - please save it!	
300	Mrs. Loretta Mary Baker	Caravelle Crescent, Strathmore Heights Victoria	S	Moving the boundary will impact even more greatly on the even now ever increasing population with the increasing number homes being built within the boundary as it now stands and thus will loose its country/coastal small township feel.	
301	Gary Ronald Baker	Caravelle Crescent, Strathmore Heights Victoria	O	No development outside settlement boundary. Stop 3 storey developments.	IHDA
302	Anthony F. Hyde	Seaview Ave. Barwon Heads	S	Discussion continues regarding the need and possible location of a third bridge over the Barwon River to reduce the traffic pressure on the township during the ever increasing peak seasonal periods. We hope the SBH group will campaign to ensure that any new bridge is located well outside the township and the estuary is not bisected to the detriment of recreational boaters.	Movement & Parking
303	Anthony Hyde	Seaview Ave, Barwon Heads	S	The coastal village of Barwon heads is one of the rare and precious seaside communities in Victoria that has been able to preserve it's unique character in the face of sprawling subdivision. This uniqueness will be permanently lost should the Township boundary be extended and the green rural buffer reduced in size.	
304	Lynette Martin	Margate Street, Barwon Heads 3227	S	Barwon Heads is struggling already with car parking and the built up of traffic on the roads, making it difficult to get where you have to go. We need to protect our specific vegetation, the Ramsar wetlands that will be extensively comprised by any further development.	
305	James & Suzanne Strach	Carr Street, Barwon Heads Vic 3227	S	The capacity of Barwon Heads is at it's peak now particularly with the already additional development of Armstrong Creek residents who frequent Barwon Heads for recreational purposes.	

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306	Brian Magill	Stephens Parade, Barwon Heads, 3227	S	Let us preserve one of the last coastal villages in the region	
307	Andrew & Wendy EDGAR	BELL STREET, BARWON HEADS 3227	S	Barwon Heads infrastructure - schools, bridge, parking and shopping precinct is presently finding it difficult to cope and not just at Christmas. We strongly support the current Structure plan.	
308	Richard Defoe	Tomara Drive Connewarre Vic 3227	S	Please limit development to this area as the infrastructure and town cannot handle further development. The town is not big enough to cater for further expansion	
309	Miriam Kenter	De Carle Street, Brunswick VIC 3056	S	<p>The coastal seaside village character is very important to the community. There is little support for growth and a view it can be provided by existing and proposed developments in neighboring areas. Retaining the village feel means not extending the existing town boundary.</p> <p>There is a range of different non-urban breaks between settlements along the Victorian coast. They are characterized by natural or rural landscapes that help shape and define settlements and their communities. Not only do these breaks provide increased amenity to those who live or visit these areas, they play an important part in providing links for wildlife habitat, appropriate disturbance buffers to support coastal biodiversity and ensuring coastal settlements maintain their own identity or character.</p> <p>The imperative to maintain the non-urban breaks and an awareness of the vulnerability of the local environment and habitat reflect the physical location of the township. It is the relationship to low lying wetlands that defines the town of Barwon Heads.</p> <p>Salt water is intrinsic to Barwon Heads. The native flora and fauna are dependent on different degrees of salinity for their very existence. This briny medium surrounds and intrudes into much of the township. The brackish water supports many of the endemic species that beautify and offer vital ecological services to the town and the region. Moonahs, rock pools and migratory birds are all part of the experience that is Barwon Heads. Coastal Victoria is an asset that is highly valued by the broader community and it provides services and amenity that are both tangible and intrinsic. There are clear benefits in protecting and enhancing the habitat that define estuarine wetlands like those surrounding Barwon Heads.</p> <p>Estuaries and rivers are valued by the Barwon Heads community for their intrinsic and recreational values, across the Victorian economy these and similar sites have an estimated financial value of \$2.5 billion per annum (VCS, 2014). The health of these natural assets must be protected and enhanced.</p> <p>Coastal settlements large and small, as well as farmlands, often surround wetlands and estuaries. If population growth is not managed carefully, this could adversely affect water quality and the environmental condition of wetlands and estuaries.</p> <p>Remnant stands of Moonah trees delight people of all ages and through many generations and cultures. They are emblematic of the area and the town. Many of the larger trees predate European settlement. The natural amenity of the local area contributes to cultural richness, physical health and rare sense of place. The Moonah trees, Mangroves and the micro flora at Murnaghurt Lagoon all add to amenity of Barwon Heads. This amenity also brings tourists from near and far.</p>	
310	Rochelle	dudley street, west melbourne 3003	S	Rochelle bus	
311	Peter Prasser	Elizabeth St, Malvern. 3144	S	BARWON HEADS is a small coastal village that has been squeezed against the ocean and river way. It has many overcrowding issues already and any further development is damaging to the environment, and hence, to the people who live there or visit.	
312	Samuel Stanford	heron crescent barwon heads	S	What a shame its come down to this. Save the wetlands!	
313	James Cuming Campbell	Lara St malvern VIC 3144	S	B h with its present population is starting to get like Sorrento shopping street. What on earth will happen to the traffic and car parking if the boundary is altered.	
314	Lynne Hillier	Lawrenny Ct. Barwon Heads 3227	S	It is time we recognised the importance of our environment to our future. Financial gain for a few cannot be put ahead of the well-being of everyone else. Our well-being cannot be separated from the health of the environment. All official documents support retaining the boundary and protection of fragile Ramsar wetlands. The boundary must remain where it is.	
315	Waite Geoffrey	Pelican Crt	S	Don't ruin our B. H. village	
316	Emma Keogh	Shaftsbury st, Coburg. VIC 3058	S	Thanks	
317	Belinda Roper	Avenue, Barwon Heads	S	Parking in Barwon Heads is impossible now & more development would make	Movement & Parking
318	Mary Codling	Newbay close Barwon heads.	S	We have to preserve and conserve the remaining wetlands in Victoria. We value the ramsar wetlands and it would be an environmental disaster to allow Barwon heads to double in size.	
319	Deirdre B. Clements	Riverside Terrace, Barwon Heads.	S	I could not tick para2 in spite of trying. Must be techno problem. Please consider it ticked.	
320	David Clements	Tyson St Richmond Vic 3121	S	The town is suffering significantly from the pressure and impact of population growth. The infrastructure and social environment does not have the capacity for further development and population growth.	

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321	Mariah Fox	Hitchcock Avenue, Barwon Heads	S	Save this towns boundaries. Making a quick buck will cause regret later.	
322	Nereda Parker	Cashmore Drive Barwon Heads 3227	S	The amount of cars coming town and across the bridge. So different from what I remember - and with more houses and vehicles this will be further problematic. Roads are bad enough as it is...	
323	Anita Borschmann	culdee court barwon heads	S	The rate of rapid subdivision within the town places significant burden on existing infrastructure.	
324	Samantha Durney	Saratoga Ave Barwon Heads	S	This is a special place for not only the people that live here but the hundreds of visitors that come and enjoy it. We need to protect it.	
325	Peter Flinn	Sheepwash Road Barwon Heads 3227	S	Traffic congestion in Barwon Heads is already a significant issue, particularly in summer. Further development at the edge of town will only exacerbate the situation, leading to further delays, frustration and potentially dangerous driving situations. I also don't understand why the town boundary issue is being revisited so soon after it was seemingly investigated and resolved. My conclusion is that the land owners outside the boundary and greedy developers exert too much influence and will not let the issue die.	The town boundary is being revisited because the BHSP is being reviewed. Landowners outside the boundary are well within their rights to lodge submissions arguing the town be expanded.
326	Amanda McFarlane	Randles Road, Connewarre Vic 3227	S	Current infrastructure does not support more population growth - with parking, traffic management, roads, access to beaches and power supply being major issues.	
327	Heather Robinson	C/O Post Office Wunghnu vic 3635	S	We NEED these fragile areas for future generations to know before all our envonmental areas are swallowed up to development.	
328	Paul D	Kelly	S	To many places have been destroyed and have no soul. Don't do the same.	
329	Susan	Phillips	S	we have an international responsibility to protect migratory birds in our RAMSAR wetlands. We are fortunate enough to have them. We need to actively protect them.	
330	Anne Hamilton	PO Box	S	It is extremely important to contain the boundaries of Barwon Heads within the current limits. It was once a charming seaside village and over recent years has been constantly threatened by continuing urban sprawl.  The very obvious planning disaster in recent years was the retention of the old bridge plus the ridiculous addition of the \$40million footbridge ... As pointed out by many of us, the old bridge should have been retained as a bicycle and foot bridge and the \$40million should have gone towards the building of a new bridge as an extension of the Geelong Road. However, we now have all that bridge traffic either driving past the primary school! or along the only village shopping/cafe street (Hitchcock Ave) OR along the river frontage where there are children's playgrounds, etc.... It was a disastrous, shortsighted planning decision ... PLEASE do not make any more mistakes regarding Barwon Heads future!!!  And, Please stop destroying Barwon Heads. The continuing expansion does nothing but cause congestion, overcrowding, over burdened services and infrastructure, and the ongoing erosion and destruction of a once charming seaside village.	
331	Andrea Dennett	PO Box	S	Thank You	
332	Geelong Field Nats Club	PO Box	S	we support that further work be carried out to identity significant vegetation and biodiversity values of public places and roadsides within the Barwon Heads area.	
333	Charlotte Stace	PO Box	S	Development of surrounding areas and the detrimental effect this is having on this once small village needs to be considered in any development near or within the town	
334	Col Duthie	PO Box	S	Protecting the character of coastal towns like Barwon Heads and many others along the Australian coast, is an important responsibility of this generation. In the context of progress and development it is critical that planners and designers consider quality of life amenity. Too often we sacrifice wellbeing for commercial progress, and while they are not always mutually exclusive, it is impossible to retrieve lost wellbeing from the future.  We must comply with our obligations to protect the natural environment within which Barwon Heads sits. Failure to do so would not only be tragic for the environment itself, but would be robbing our grandchildren of the opportunity to experience its beauty. Gone is forever.  Please maintain the boundaries.	
335	Jane Vaughan	PO Box	S	Barwon Heads is bulging at the seams now and we risk destroying the old growth indigenous remnants of flora and fauna permanently (that means forever, GoGG!) by extending the town boundary. Please halt the voracious consumption and destruction of all things beautiful in this little pocket of fragile wetlands.	
336	Ian Lachlan Campbell	PO Box	S	A stand has to be taken against the advance of development impacting on environmentally sensitive areas especially when greed is the motivator.	
337	Sophie Turnbull	Redgum court, Belmont 3216	S	Help this little coastal town from engulfment	

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338	Max Dawe	Tremont Court Barwon Heads	S	Warrailily is bad enough. It has already made Barwon Heads less enjoyable during summer periods for everyone I know. If 700-1000 houses are built on our coastal boundary it will further strip Barwon Heads of its natural beauty and only drive those who grew up there ( such as myself ) and it's locals further away.	
339	TANIA Gutteridge	Dunloe Ave, Mont Albert North 3129 VIC	S	this is a unique coastal town. Don't let development change it's personality so it's the same as every other town. We love it just the way it is!	
340	Robyn	Whitlock	O	We have a building height restriction limited to two stories in order to retain and maintain the coastal feel of the town.	IHDA
341	Ron Robinson	Wunghnu Post Office, Wunghnu VIC 3635	S	With the alarming rate that houses are covering the Bellarine Peninsula it is important that the few remaining existing environmentally sensitive areas are preserved. These areas are what makes Barwon Heads unique, it is imperative that development is curbed - with the leadership of a future looking Council	