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To: Enquiries

Subject: Fwd: Helicopter landing location

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Date: 17 August 2021 at 2:04:27 pm AEST

To: enquiries@douglas.gov.au

Subject: RE: Helicopter landing location

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I'm writing this email with my concerns on acoustic and safety aspect of granting permission for a Heliport in Port Douglas. Currently there doesn't appear to state the operating hours and number of flights per day which will greatly impact on my life and the residents of Port Douglas.

1 Noise - The location is close to my home.

Currently some helicopter circle around the township when trying to land, thus creating a huge noise impact on our locality and the town of Port Douglas.

Hence more helicopters would contribute to this noise and impact on my life.

2. Traffic.

This would also create extra traffic as there is no extra infrastructure for tourist to stay locally to walk to the distance and they would be required to use private transport.

3. Crash Site

If the inevitable ever happened, the cataphatic impact on our town would be terrible.

Port Douglas is predominately a tourist paradise and the impact of bad publicity would destroy our beautiful reputation and paradise.

Thank you for your time.

Kind Regards

Gloria Bye