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11th March 2022.

RE: Observation on planning Reference Number PL21/236



Dear Sir/Madam,

I am making representation on behalf of the Carraroe and District Regeneration Association (CADRA) in relation to the above-mentioned planning application.

I wish to pledge my support to refuse planning permission as the community are very concerned of the potential impact of deepening the quarry will have on the following.

1. Quality of the drinking water supplied from Lough Gill which is in a special area of conservation.
2. Tobernalt Holy Well which is an ancient natural spring dating back to the 5th century as a pagan meeting place and later as a Penal mass site.
3. The future of the Alzheimer Day Service located a few metres from this site.

As a member of Sligo County Council, I am speaking on behalf of the community who are very concerned about the impact this application will have on the surrounding landscape within this densely populated community.

Yours sincerely,

Tom Fox