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**Planning Scheme Amendment to LPS (PSA2023/1) Representation Form**

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I fully support the inclusion of coastal protection zones to protect the visual amenity particularly of the marine environment of the far north west island's group. It is a great pity that what has long been considered by the local community as a vital source of recreational activities has remained unrecognised and therefore unprotected for its scenic value. The zoning as rural land only adds to the opportunity of exploitation by vested minorities that will unfortunately impact upon everyone who enjoys and has been attracted to this area of wild and unsurpassed beauty. This should have been actioned by council 20 years ago when the opportunity was presented to them. Please do not let this opportunity to action this protection pass you by. It's disgraceful that the largest wind farm in the southern hemisphere is allowed to operate in an area of such natural, unique and highly valued as this. This area's biodiversity supports threatened species that relies largely upon on this area for their survival. It's unfortunate that this has not been recognised formally by council previously. The economic activity that is generated by tourism to RAMSAR listed areas is proven and would surpass any economic activity generated by a major wind farm. Of concern to me also is the opportunity for destruction by the salt water pen farming of Atlantic Salmon in this area. The destruction to native species is proven in other parts of Tasmania where this has been allowed. Endemic fish species rely on the sea grass areas of the Robbins channel for their survival and this could be decimated in a few short years as proven in the Huon. I urge you to protect all the areas suggested for inclusion providing a framework to prevent the industrialisation of these precious spaces. Sincerely yours David Emerson

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