

Gustaf Reuterswald Vistit 20 May 2021

Gustaf came to our property around 7:10 – 7:15 am on the 20 May
After initial introductions his first comments were ‘ I can hear them but I don’t find them intrusive’ which I replied that they weren’t as loud as what we experience, pity you couldn’t come out in the early hours of the morning when they are at there worst, which he replied ‘ I’ve done well to get here now from Melbourne at this time’

We went through the report again, I pointed out certain data points on the graph and asked why are they compliant if so high, Gustaf said it’s not compliant in that instance and certain other points on the graph.

I asked why there was no testing done south of the LLWF especially knowing where the majority of the wind come’s from. Gustaf responded with ‘ yes that’s a major flaw’

I asked him why background noise data could be used from over 2km from our dwelling, Gustaf’s responded with ‘ It’s accepted practice’

I explained to him about our issues, especially relating to sleep, his first response was ‘ you could try wearing ear plugs’ then after I told him that wasn’t acceptable he mentioned a white noise masker or something along those lines.

I explained how nothing has been mentioned to us about resolving our issue’s, this is when Gustaf informed me the Board was working on a resolution in the background and was waiting to receive a Noise mitigation recommendation from his visit and then they would be presenting us and our neighbours an offer.

Gustaf asked if he could take some photo’s of the house, which I agreed to. Walking around the house he inspected the windows and agreed replacing them would reduce the impact somewhat.

I explained to Gustaf how we hear the noise, swooshing, rumbling and the like. Gustaf then got out his phone and showed me an APP which I think measured something to do with sound waves the blades cause. Gustaf explained that the graph showed how the turbines showed up the blades turning, he acknowledged there was something to be concerned about but did not elaborate any further.

Gustaf left our property between 8:15 – 8:20am

I let [REDACTED], our neighbor, know Gustaf was on his way at 8:20am