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Hello, thank you for taking the time to read my submission I acknowledge the work of the DPIE in developing a far north coast water strategy but ask that you not rely on the Rous,s future water 2060 project as the plan hinges on the Dunoon Dam proposal. I have spent a lot of time in this area since moving from Tasmania 30 years ago i have enjoyed exploring the beautiful and unique habitat and also worked in this area, it really is the nicest country in Australia.

I do Not Support the proposed Channon / Dunoon Dam. For the following reasons: Destruction of Channon gorge and the rare lowland temperate rainforest on sandstone, this means also loss of habitat, the proposed offset planting will not compensate for this loss.

- : Destruction of signification indigenous sites
- : Water effiency measures like adopted in Sydney would negate any need for an expensive dam .
- :Disruptipn to locals during construction and ongoing .
- : No need for this water based on future population projections .
- :Increased water costs to pay for  $\operatorname{\mathsf{Dam}}$  .
- Thank you for reading my submission.

