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## Submission for the investigation "Central West Investigation"

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Description:

I totally reject the Veac Central West Investigation proposal to expand the number of parks and other areas in Victoria which ban recreational activities such as prospecting. Gold prospecting is good for the Australian environment because each year prospectors find and remove tons of toxic lead bullets and shotgun pellets from the ground. If left in the ground this lead breaks down and poisons the ecosystems and animals. The best thing to do for the environment is to leave the Victorian bush as it is, and let recreational prospecting continue, locking prospectors out of any Victorian bush is a stupid idea. I attended three of the Veac information country town meetings and from listening to the answers given by the Veac members I spoke to, it was very obvious they do not have a clue about the Victorian bush and they should not be giving advice about anything.

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