



## Centennial Western Region Community Consultative Committee Meeting

### 1. Meeting Details:

Date	11 <sup>th</sup> of October 2016
Location	Angus Place
Start Time	4pm

### 2. Attendees

Role	Name	Present (Y/N)
Chairperson	Howard Fisher (HF)	Y
Lithgow City Council	Maree Stratham (MS)	N
	Lauren Stevens (LS)	Y
Community Representatives	Ian Coates (IC)	N
	Danny Whitty (DW)	Y
	Ian Donald (ID)	N
	Graham Danaher (GD)	N
	Linda Cluff (LC)	Y
	Jenny Lamborn (JL)	Y
Centennial Representatives	Terry O' Brien (TOB) Mine Manager Angus Place	N
	Tom Hollis (TH) Environment & Community Coordinator Angus Place	Y
	Jacques Le Roux (JLR) Mine Manager Springvale Coal	Y
	Natalie Gardiner (NG) Environment & Community Coordinator Springvale	N
	Catherine Suggate (CS) Environment & Community Coordinator Springvale	Y
	Geoff Rapson (GR) Manager Coal Services	Y
	Neil Thompson (NT) Environment & Community Coordinator Springvale Coal Services	Y
	Devon Roberts (DR) Environmental Superintendent	N
Minutes	Catherine Suggate	Y

### 3. Apologies

Ian Coates, Terry O'Brien, Natalie Gardiner (Maternity leave), Devon Roberts

### 4. Declaration of pecuniary and other interests

Nil

### 5. Confirmation of Previous Minutes

Date of previous CCC Minutes	1 <sup>st</sup> April 2016 14 <sup>th</sup> October 2015
Moved By	LC
Seconded By	GR

### 6. Business Arising from Previous Minutes

Action	Who	Comment
Provide Receipts for Community Enhancement Fund Works to determine balance of fund	DW	DW tabled evidence
CCC Community Representative Recruitment	HF	HF received two applications to join the CCC. Applications tabled and will be put forward for consideration to DPE.

### 7. Community Enhancement Fund Update

DW provided an update regarding seating quotes and a new flag pole.

DW, LC moved and seconded.

### 8. Angus Place

- Overview and update on activities since the last CCC meeting in May.
- Key activities included annual pollution reporting, Wolgan Road and Blackmans Flat Property maintenance, Angus place Ventilation Shaft Recovery Project and the preparation and submission of the Care and Maintenance MOP.
- No incidents or complaints were recorded since last meeting.
- Water quality discharged has been within licence limits.
- Air quality results concur with historic results with no exceedances of the criteria.

- Ongoing community involvement- materials donated for car park fencing at Black Fellows Hands

Raised by	Comment/Question	Response(s)
	No Questions/Comments	

## 9. Springvale Coal

CS provided an update of the Springvale operation, encompassing:

- An overview of the Mod 1 Application. The Application and Statement of Environmental Effects was submitted to DPE in July and was on public exhibition from 2<sup>nd</sup> August to 23<sup>rd</sup> August. The Application will now go to the NSW Planning and Assessment Commission for a determination. The hearing will be held in November.
- Update on site operations – (1) Extraction of LW419 commenced in August, (2) No construction or exploration activities conducted 2016 YTD, (3) ROM tonnes and Transport of ROM tonnes via road are both within approved limits.
- Overview of non-compliances – (1) Manning levels (which are being addressed in Mod 1), (2) Water quality exceedances at LDP009. Arsenic exceedances have been addressed through the upgrade of the Ferric Chloride Dosing System. Conductivity exceedances are being addressed through the Regional Upper Coxs River Action and Monitoring Plan and Water Transfer Scheme.
- Environmental Performance – (1) Air Quality and Noise monitoring has been conducted in accordance with SSD\_5594 and EPL 3607 – no exceedances, (2) No exceedances of LDP001 or LDP009 discharge quantities or LDP001 water quality. LDP009 water quality exceedances as discussed, (3) No community complaints received 2016 YTD.
- Key activities for remainder of 2016 discussed.

JLeR advised committee that Springvale Mine would be transporting coal via road (Castlereigh Highway) to Springvale Coal Services due to a combination of increased longwall mining production rates and capacity restraints in coal handling via conveyor system. The committee was advised that haulage was planned for weekend periods only to reduce traffic interaction as a safety initiative, and would be short term and campaign based to ensure feed stockpile operational functionality was maintained at the mine.

Raised By	Comment/Question	Response(s)
	No Questions/Comments	

## 10. Western Coal Services (WCS) & Lidsdale siding (LS)

GR introduced NT as new E&C coordinator for Springvale Coal Service Operations including WCS & LS.

GR provided an update on both WCS & LS since the last CCC meeting as per attached presentation.

Key points addressed included;

- No community complaints since last meeting (WCS & LS).
- No noise exceedances at LS, and 9 x noise exceedances for WCS due to conveyor noise since last meeting.
- No water discharge exceedances at LS, and 1 x water discharge exceedance at WCS (LDP0070) due to fire system sensor failure triggering suppression water since last meeting.
- Willow poisoning and treatment works in Pipers Flat Creek and current planned program for 2016/2017.

GR confirmed haulage of coal via road as discussed by JLeR and reconfirmed proposed process, haulage route, and timeline of campaign.

Raised by	Comment/Question	Response(s)
	No Questions/Comments	

#### 11. Correspondence

Correspondence	Sent/Received	Sent from
Applications from Jeffrey Smith/Ross White to join CCC.	20/09/2016 / 11/10/2016	J Smith / R White
Resignation letter from Grahame Danaher.	30/08/2016	G Danaher

#### 12. General Business

Comment/Question	Raised by	Response(s)
Nil.		

#### 13. Action Summary

Action	Who	When
Advise DPE of IM and GD resignations.	HF	TBA
Submit applications of J. Smith and R. White to DPE for approval.	HF	TBA

#### 14. Next Meeting

- Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2017, 4pm Springvale Colliery

#### 15. Meeting Close Time

- 5.00pm