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## CHARBON COLLIERY SOUTHERN OPEN CUT COMMUNITY CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE MINUTES MEETING 19/04/10

**Present:** Esme Martens (Council Representative and Chair), Brian Nichols (Charbon Mine Manager), Matt Gray (Charbon Environmental Co-ordinator), Margaret Clementson (Community Representative), Bob Cooke (Community Representative), Bob Craze (Community Representative) Stephen Livingstone-Belvins, Charbon Mining Engineer (observer).

**Apologies:** Ron Leo (Big Rim Representative)

- 1) Members were welcomed by Esme Martens to the Committee and the agenda reviewed.
- 2) Previous minutes from the Committee Meeting on 19/10/09 were accepted. There was no business arising from the minutes.
- 3) Bob Cooke noted that he was not notified of blasts that occurred on the 23/2, 17/3 and the 16/4. Matt Gray was going to look into this. Bob also asked what happens if Matt Gray is not at work? Matt replied that the mining engineer would be able to take calls.
- 4) Matt Gray gave a presentation on the environmental performance of the mine. A copy of the Power Point presentation will be made available for members of the Committee. The presentation outline was as follows:

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- EPA Licence No. 528 - There had been 1 non-compliance with the conditions of the EPA Licence since the last meeting.
  - Noise – Noise monitoring had been undertaken generally on a 3 monthly basis as outlined in the SOC Consent Management Plans. All results obtained complied with consent limits.
  - Blasting continued in the last 6 mth period. All blast results to date have complied with licence requirements.
- 5) Community Complaints – No Complaints had been received since the last meeting.
  - 6) Bob noted that he had dust settling on his roof and was concerned it was getting in his rainwater tank. Matt noted that there was one dust exceedance since the last meeting. This was due to it being very hot and dry and that the wind direction predominately came from the unsealed gravel road, and this would have been a major contributor.
  - 7) It was noted that following the new consent conditions for the continued operations of Charbon the make-up of the CCC would change.
  - 8) General Business. An update on the Inglenook project was given

**Meeting Closed.**