

Myuna Colliery Annual Report 2020

Community Consultative Committee Details

CCC / Project Name:	Myuna	Reporting Period:	Calendar year 2020
Independent Chairperson:	Gerard Martin	Proponent Contact:	Paul Williams Group Manager Environmental Services Centennial Coal

1. Executive Summary

The committee's activities were seriously compromised by the COVID-19 lockdown. The committee has been holding two meetings a year in April and October. In line with Centennial Coal's lockdown policy our April meeting was cancelled. Members were issued with quarterly updates of the mines operations and given the opportunity to address matters either through the chairman or senior colliery management. Due to the death of a member, the late John Shoebridge and the resignation of the Wangi Wangi sailing club representative Sandra O'Donnell and the lack of a representative from the Central Coast council (Formally Wyong Shire) the opportunity was taken to advertise for new members to ensure a quorum. Three new members were recruited to the committee. They attended our one and only meeting for the year held on October 26 2020.

Myuna Colliery is a long-standing and discrete underground mining operation. It has a single customer Eraring Power Station and output is delivered by an overland conveyor. Examination of the colliery reports show that it has a very high compliance rate in relation to environmental benchmarks. Community complaints have been rare in recent years and are usually intermittent noise complaints.

The current downturn in the coal industry has seen a reduction in production at Myuna. Currently the colliery production is restricted to the Fassifern seam. The colliery lease also includes the Wallarah and Great Northern seams.

2. CCC activities over last 12 months

One CCC meeting was held on October 26 2020

Gerard Martin	Chair
Ray Robinson	Community Representative
Luke Cubis	Lake Macquarie City Council
Joseph Tamas	Community Representative (new)
Ray Smith	Community Representative (new)
David Fryer	Community Representative (new)
Mal Yule	Centennial Myuna
Paul Williams	Centennial Coal

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In conjunction with the meeting a site inspection was conducted to familiarise the new members with the surface infrastructure. It is planned to conduct an underground inspection as soon as practicable.

- **Site visits**
Nil
- **Joint CCC's held**
As Chair I participated in an online Zoom meeting of statewide CCC Chairs. The main theme being how to navigate the obstacles caused by Covid 19 regulations.
- **Additional consultation activities related to the CCC**
Nil.

3. Key issues

Issue	Actions Taken	Next Steps
Issue 1 Lake bed exploration program	Sought extensive briefing from Myuna management. Sought assurances of information relayed to local community.	Project completed.
Issue 2 Myuna Mod 2 road transport proposal	As Chair responded to community concerns re transporting coal to Cooranbong from Myuna for blending with Mandalong coal for quality purposes, received detailed briefing on proposal.	Continue to monitor proposal. DPIE are currently receiving submissions on the proposal.

4. Focus for next 12 months

- **Planned Activities**
Continue twice yearly meetings in April and October. Additional meetings if required
- **Emerging Issues**
Possible development of issues re Mod 2 Proposal
- **Management of Emerging Issues**
Normal consultation process with the Company and or community groups and individuals

Signature of Chair:

Date:

February 17 2020