

**MINUTES OF THE ASHTON COAL  
COMMUNITY CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE MEETING  
75<sup>th</sup> MEETING Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2024  
ACOL Administration Office, Glennies Creek Road, CAMBERWELL**

**Attendees**

Margaret MacDonald-Hill	(MMH) Chairperson
John McInerney	(JM) Community Representative
Debbie Richards	(DR) Community Representative
Michael Bestic	(MB) Community Representative
Justin Peterkin	(JP) Company Rep (Mining Engineering Manager)
Phillip Brown	(PB) Company Rep (Environment & Community Superintendent)

**1. Opening and Welcome**

*The Chairperson opened the meeting at 1:05 pm.*

**2. Apologies**

Clr. Godfrey Adamthwaite	(GA) Singleton Council (SC)
Michael Bartlett	(MBa) Company Rep (Operations Manager)

**3. Declaration of Pecuniary Interest by Community Representatives**

*No change to Committee Members' pecuniary interests previously declared.*

**4. Minutes from the Previous Meeting**

*Minutes from the meeting held 29 February 2024, were accepted as a true and accurate record.*

**Moved:** John McInerney **Seconded:** Michael Bestic.

**5. Business Arising from Previous Minutes**

- a. *Camberwell Demolition timetable  
Refer to presentation.*

**6. Correspondence**

- b. *5/3/24 – email PB to CCC advising change in E&C Coordinator*
- c. *9/5/24 – email PB to CCC wild dog baiting*
- d. *17/5/24 – email PB to CCC public notice on RUMEx approval*
- e. *25/6/24 – email PB to CCC night fauna monitoring.*

**7. Company Reports and Overview of Activities**

**7.1 Ashton Operations Update**

*Refer to presentation.*

*JP gave an update advising that Ashton has finished LW 207A and will relocate to LW 207B.*

**7.2 Monitoring and Environmental Performance**

*Refer to environmental monitoring handout.*

**7.3 Community Complaints and response to complaints**

*Refer to presentation.*

**7.4 Environmental Update**

*Refer to presentation.*

*JM asked as to the locations of the noise monitoring undertaken on a monthly basis. PB advised that there were three locations – two in the Camberwell village area and one over the road near Property 129.*

**7.5 Camberwell Update**

*Refer to the presentation.*

**8. Community Representative questions/comments**

*JM asked about the preparations undertaken for the bushfire season and if the fence had been fixed along Glennies Creek Road. PB advised that he will find out and let the Committee know.*

*It was suggested that cattle owned by DR could crash graze the area to the north of Camberwell Church from the adjacent property. PB to investigate.*

*JM/DR asked how the weed control was going? PB advised that it was being undertaken as per the approved plan. MB asked how many Ashton trains were delayed due to the demonstrations. JP advised 2 out of 7 trains.*

**9. General Business**

**10. Proposed remainder 2024 Meeting Schedule**

*Next CCC meeting: 1:00 pm, 31 October 2024.*

**MEETING CLOSED at 1:40 pm**