

Narrabri Gas Project CCC - Meeting # 20

11 October 2016

| Date/Time: | 11 October 2016, 10.30am – 12.30pm | | |
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| Location: | Santos Conference Room, Maitland Street, Narrabri | | |
| Attendees: | Jock Laurie – Land and Water Commissioner (Chair) Cr Ann Loder – Narrabri Shire Council Cr Ron Campbell – Narrabri Shire Council Jack Warnock – Lower Namoi Cotton Growers Association Tony Pickard – People for the Plains Samantha Wynn – Environment Protection Authority (telephone) | Carmen Dwyer – Environment Protection Authority Addy Watson – Environment Protection Authority Bridie George – Environment Protection Authority Nick Butler – Division of Resources and Energy Neale House – Santos Annie Moody – Santos | |
| Guests: | Nil | | |
| Apologies: | Jocelyn Cameron – Country Women’s Association Russell Stewart – Narrabri Chamber of Commerce Lynn Trindall – Narrabri Local Aboriginal Land Council | Phillip Kirkby – North West Local Land Services Peter Mitchley – Santos | |
| Meeting Chair: | Jock Laurie | | |
| Secretariat: | Annie Moody | | |
| Agenda Item | Discussion/Outcomes | | Action |
| Chair Note | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Members were advised that attendance at this meeting was optional prior to the meeting as the agenda was to provide an overview of the Committee to new Narrabri Shire Council committee representatives and cover key subjects to date. There will be no Communique from this meeting but information will be included in Communique #15 that will be produced following November 2016 meeting. | | |
| Santos Operations Update | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Santos Monthly Activity Update October 2016 distributed to members out of session. Presentation/Handout/Links: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Santos Monthly Activity Update October 2016 and will be available from https://narrabrigasproject.com.au/community/consultative-committee/october-2016/ | | |
| EPA Monthly Update | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provided a draft Narrabri CCC EPA Newsletter October 2016 with final newsletter available on EPA website Presentation/Handout/Links: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Final Narrabri CCC EPA Newsletter October 2016 is available from http://www.epa.nsw.gov.au/resources/licensing/narrabri-ccc-newsletter-october2016.pdf | | |

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| New Committee Member Briefing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chair welcomed new Committee members to the meeting, Cr Ann Loder and Cr Ron Campbell as Narrabri Shire Council representatives Chair provided an overview on the history and purpose of the Committee and presented <i>Coal seam gas development and groundwater Gunnedah Basin NSW - What water information can tell us</i> which was presented at first meeting of the committee in December 2014 <p>Presentation/Handout/Links:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> December 2014, Liz Webb: <i>Coal seam gas development and groundwater Gunnedah Basin NSW - What water information can tell available from https://narrabrigasproject.com.au/uploads/2015/03/ Meeting-1_December-2014_Water-Presentation_Liz-Webb_Independent-hydrogeologist.pdf</i> | |
| General Business | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Member asked if the Narrabri Gas Project CCC will produce an Annual Report and Chair responded that a summary of each meeting is published in a Communique; EPA and Santos monthly newsletters; information available on website. A DRE representative attends meetings to report back to NSW Government on the meeting. There will not be an annual report produced in addition to these documents. | |
| Next Meeting | Tuesday 29 November 2016, Narrabri Golf Club 11.00am – 2.00pm | |
| Meeting closed | 12.40pm | |

Action Items

| REF | Action | Entity/Person | Status |
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| 19.3 | What has caused the slump at Tintfield Pond | STO | Complete |
| 19.5 | Query about process to respond to callers who ring the EPA hotline number | EPA | |
| 19.6 | Letters to member groups in relation to sending a proxy to meetings as attendance is poor from some representatives | Chair | |
| 19.8 | Status of the NSW Government draft Community Consultation Committee guidelines – have they been finalised? | DRE | |

Future Agenda Items

| REF | Action | Entity/Person | Status |
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| 1 | Methane emission survey update when report available (Santos) | Santos | When available |
| 2 | CSIRO (GISERA) update on projects | GISERA | November |