

MEETING MINUTES

Narrabri Gas Project (NGP)

Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Advisory Group (ACHAG)

DATE / TIME

Friday 11 November 2022

9.30am

LOCATION

Narrabri Shopfront Conference Room

125 Maitland Street, Narrabri

(By Videoconference)

FACILITATOR

Garry West

MINUTE TAKER

Garry West

ATTENDEES

- ◆ Garry West (Independent Chair)
- ◆ Jodie Benton (OzArk Culture & Heritage)(By video)

APOLOGIES

- ◆ Edward Trindall (Narrabri LALC)
- ◆ Haydn Kreicbergs (Santos)

GUESTS

Todd Dunn (Santos)

Discussions

NO.	DISCUSSIONS
1. Welcome	The Chair welcomed all to the meeting and acknowledged Gomeroi country on which the meeting was held as well as Elders past, present and future and all Aboriginal persons present.
2. Declaration of pecuniary or other interests / Code of Conduct	The Chair asked if there were any new declarations of interest. Nil.
3. Minutes of previous meeting	All minutes of previous meeting distributed to ACHAG members and are available on the Narrabri Gas Project website.

	<p>Actions: DPE contacted for replacement for Phil Purcell; No contact yet been made to clarify Native Title Applicant representatives.</p>
4. Correspondence	<p>Nil correspondence received.</p>
5. Narrabri Gas Project Update	<p>Presenter: Todd Dunn – Santos</p> <p><i>Santos Corporate Update</i></p> <p>Investor Day was held on 8th November 2022 – presented by Santos CEO. The presentation is available on the Santos website.</p> <p>Todd spoke to “Vision 2040” – strong demand for Santos’ product now and into the future, but also the need to decarbonise these critical fuels, in line with target of net-zero emissions by 2040.</p> <p><i>Progress of Management Plans</i></p> <p>All management plans now submitted; appraisal program to commence as soon as management plans approved and conditions of consent met.</p> <p><i>NGP indicative timeline and scope</i></p> <p>The scope has not changed although the timing is a bit slower than first anticipated, but everything is consistent with previous reporting.</p> <p><i>Hunter Gas Pipeline</i></p> <p>Involved in landowner consultation. Ecological surveys are in progress before the route can be finalised.</p> <p>Q: Can alignment be moved to road reserves rather than private land? A: Conditions of consent spell out how such changes can occur, however they are very restrictive. Working with landholders to minimise or avoid impacts where possible.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Application required to DPE to connect current NGP operations to HGP - Exploration activities around Gunnedah progressing <p><i>Other Matters</i></p> <p>REF approved for the seismic program (Bando) need Gunnedah. It is hoped that is underway in December.</p> <p>Santos will soon be submitting a REF to reactivate existing pilot wells located near Gunnedah. These actions are consistent with our tenure renewal.</p> <p>Santos working towards submitting scoping report to the DPE for a 50 to 60km pipeline to connect the Narrabri Gas Project to the Hunter Gas Pipeline and are in the process of consultation with landowners.</p>
6. Field Development Plan (FDP)	<p>Presenter: Todd Dunn – Santos</p> <p>Field Development Plan is being finalised.</p> <p>Provided an overview of feedback. Final FDP will be circulated to all members.</p> <p>The Appraisal Program will commence when all management plans are approved, and conditions of consent are met. This stage will mean the consent has been taken up and means the formal adoption of the consent conditions and compliance with those conditions.</p>
7. General Business	<p>Next meeting to be held mid-February.</p>

Actions

NO.	ACTIONS	ACTION BY	DUE DATE
1	Circulate final FDP	Garry	ASAP

Next Meeting

To be confirmed