

## Tinda Creek Sand Project Community Consultative Committee – Annual Report for 2018-2019

<b>CCC / Project Name:</b>	Tinda Creek Sand Project Community Consultative Committee	<b>Reporting Period:</b>	May 2016 to May 2019
<b>Independent Chairperson:</b>	<b>Lisa Andrews</b>	<b>Proponent Contact:</b>	<b>Darryl Thiedeke</b>

### 1. Executive Summary

The Tinda Creek Quarry is operated by Hy-Tec Concrete and is located approximately 67 kms north of Windsor along Putty Road, NSW.

The quarry is adjacent to the greater Blue Mountains world Heritage Area and Yengo National Park and has been operating at the site for approximately 30 years.

In 2017 approval was granted for an extension to the project.

The CCC was established in 2016 and operates in accordance with the guidelines. The membership consists of:

- Three local community representatives
- One stakeholder group delegate (Putty Community Association)
- Three company representatives; and
- One Independent Chairperson.

The meetings are held bi-annually (May and October).

The committee receives information from the project operators regarding its compliance with the conditions of consent.

The CCC is an effective communication forum between the community and the company.

### 2. CCC activities over last 12 months

- The committee met in May 2016, October 2016, May 2017, October 2017, May 2018, October 2018 and May 2019.
- This is a small committee and attendance is consistent, with apologies recorded due to competing obligations experienced by volunteer members.
- Despite regular correspondence to Hawkesbury City Council, I have been unable to secure an LGA delegate on this CCC.
- Briefing of outcomes of the project's Annual Review (2018).
- The impacts of production due to drought conditions.
- Environmental Monitoring and Rehabilitation Program.

- The transfer of the approved off-set area (106 hectares) to the National Parks and Wildlife Service.
- The clean-up and rehabilitation of a previously disturbed bushland, (the previous owner used as a storage area).
- Recruitment of stakeholder group members (Putty Community Association)

This is a small site and inspections are undertaken at members' request.

### 3. Key issues

Trending topics of committee discussion can be summarised as:

Issue	Actions Taken	Outcome
<b>Truck movements to and from the site</b>	Drivers operate under a Drivers Code of Conduct and the company demands strict compliance.	Ongoing monitoring by company.
<b>Groundwater/Bore Updates</b>	Due to the prolonged drought conditions, the community are always interested in receiving groundwater monitoring information.	Ongoing.
<b>Rehabilitation</b>	Ongoing presentations.	Ongoing.

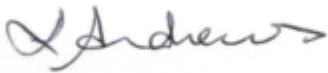
### 4. Focus for next 12 months

The planned activities for 2019 will be guided by the contributions of the CCC members. These activities are likely to include:

- Regular updates on environmental monitoring; including noise, dust, groundwater and fauna as well as rehabilitation works.
- Drivers' continued compliance with the road rules and driving to conditions in accordance with the Drivers Code of Conduct.

To the best of my knowledge, there are no outstanding or emerging issues that have not been addressed.

CCC minutes are available on the project website.

Signature of Chair:	
Date:	26 June 2019