

Community Consultative Committee (CCC) – Annual Report

CCC project name:	Karuah East Quarry	Reporting period:	2023 Calendar Year.
Independent chairperson:	Michael Ulph	Proponent contact:	Scott Ellerton 0447 044 646 se@hunterquarries

1. Executive summary / introduction

CCC membership has remained stable and six-monthly meetings are complemented by site visits.

Members are attending quite regularly with the exception of the representative from MidCoast Council. He will continue to be followed up.

Attempts to lure the CEO or another representative from the Karuah Local Aboriginal Land Council have also not been successful to date, and the LALC CEO has changed several times in the last few years. Attempts will continue.

2. CCC activities over last 12 months:

For example:

- Two meetings
- Eight attended the September meeting. 2 proponent, 3 community, 2 group representatives, and the Chair.
- Eleven attended the March meeting. 4 proponent (including one consultant), 4 community, 2 group representatives.
- Two site visits with a small number of attendees each time.
- Very effective.
- Additional consultation activities related to the CCC include discussion of a Mod.

3. Key issues

No significant issues were raised during the year. The main discussions were around rainfall, flooding, dust and noise, which are being discussed openly and environmental monitoring results are provided.

4. Focus for next 12 months:

- Two CCC meetings, each with a site visit.
- Agree Terms of Reference.
- Discuss any cumulative impacts from nearby projects.

Name of chairperson:	Michael Ulph
Date:	26/2/2024.