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Department of Planning & Environment On-line Submission

Dear Sir/Madam

Blayney Goat and Small Stock Abattoir – Proposal by Metziya Pty Ltd SSD 6594

Council refers to the proposal to establish a small stock abattoir development on the outskirts of Blayney, subject to satisfactory compliance with relevant planning standards.

The economic benefit to the region is a significant factor for this Council, with benefits including job creation (during construction and operational phases), positive income flows to the region and the state from domestic and international markets, and growth in various up and down line industries.

The proposal is an opportunity to grow our region and offset some of the downsizing that has occurred in recent years eg Downer EDI and Electrolux.

Council wishes the proponents well in this endeavour and fully supports what is an exciting opportunity for the region.

Yours/faithfully Cr Gaty Rush MAYOR OF BATHURST

