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Your Ref: SSD6612

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By email: thomas.watt@planning.nsw.gov.au

Thomas Watt
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Dear Sir,

**Department of Planning and Environment SSD 6612 – expansion of quarry extraction
Property: Station Street Martins Creek more particularly described as Lot 2 in DP242210**

We refer to the above matter and to your correspondence seeking comment from Essential Energy in relation to the proposed development at the above property.

Strictly based on the documents submitted, Essential Energy has no objection to this development at this time, provided:

1. If the proposal changes, Essential Energy would need to be informed for further comment; and
2. Any existing encumbrances in favour of Essential Energy (or its predecessors) noted on the title of the above property are complied with.

In addition, Essential Energy's records indicate there is electricity infrastructure located within close proximity of the property. Any activities within this location must be undertaken in accordance with the latest industry guideline currently known as *ISSC 20 Guideline for the Management of Activities within Electricity Easements and Close to Infrastructure*.

Prior to carrying out any works, a "Dial Before You Dig" enquiry must be undertaken in accordance with the requirements of *Part 5E (Protection of Underground Electricity Power Lines)* of the *Electricity Supply Act 1995* (NSW).

Given there is electricity infrastructure in the area, it is the responsibility of the person/s completing any works around powerlines to understand their safety responsibilities. SafeWork NSW (www.safework.nsw.gov.au) has publications that provide guidance when working close to electricity infrastructure. These include the *Code of Practice – Work near Overhead Power Lines/Underground Assets*.

If you have any queries, please contact Therese Daly on telephone (02) 6588 4677 or via email conveyancingteam@essentialenergy.com.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Raelene Myers".

Raelene Myers
Conveyancing Team Leader