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To whom it may concern,

I write this letter in support of the Martins Creek Quarry Expansion Project (SSD 14_6612).

As a truck driver employee of Daracon for over 9 years this project is important to me but it is also important to the many employees working for Daracon Group and also our families. The other impact is those suppliers and sub-contractors that contract to Daracon as well. We are all fearful that we will lose our jobs.

Daracon employs over 850 people and Martins Creek Quarry provides materials to many of the projects that Daracon employees work on. I transport material from Martin's Creek Quarry most days and without this Quarry, our jobs are at risk. I am a responsible and professional truck driver that follows the road rules, shows respect and courtesy towards all other roads users including when travelling thru the townships on our way and from the quarry. Daracon has trucks that are well maintained.

The Quarry plays an important role within the community and the Hunter Valley area. The construction industry relies on the Quarry as one of only a couple of hard rock suppliers in the region and if the Hunter Valley is to prosper and grow, Martins Creek Quarry will be required to provide the necessary materials for major infrastructure projects.

I am 100% behind the Martins Creek Quarry proposed expansion project. I have not made any reportable political donations.

Yours faithfully,

Dean Carroll

Truck Driver