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To whom it may concern,

My name is Matthew Wardle and I am writing to show my support for the proposed Martins Creek Quarry Expansion Project – SSD 6612.

I am an employee of Daracon and have been for over 17 years. The Martins Creek Quarry plays an integral role within Daracon's operations and the expansion has the ability to provide job security for many of us working for Daracon. If the expansion was to not precede this would not only affect the families of employees but also many local suppliers and contractors.

As a resident of the Hunter, I also recognise the benefit that the Quarry provides to the local community in terms of jobs, hard rock supply to the construction industry but also the smaller community groups that Daracon supports.

I have not made a reportable political donation.

Yours sincerely,

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Matthew Wardle

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