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3 July, 2020

**Mr Wayne Seabrook
Malabar Coal Limited
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Dear Mr Seabrook,

**Correspondence Received on 30 June, 2020 – Revised Terms of Proposed
Voluntary Planning Agreement – Maxwell Underground Coking Coal Mine
(SSD-9526) and Other Matters**

Thank you for your correspondence on 30th June and for meeting with Council to discuss the Maxwell Underground Coking Coal Mine Project (MUCCM) and proposed Draft General Terms for the Revised Voluntary Planning Agreement (VPA). While Council has as yet **not** made a final decision on the Revised Draft General Terms for the Revised Planning Agreement Council is generally supportive of the Revised Draft of General Terms for the Revised Planning Agreement. Council remains concerned, as stated in submissions made in relation to the MUCCM State Significant Development 9526, about the impact the MUCCM Project will have on the existing mine affected road network.

Council supports the development of Coking Coal as part of the mining mix in the Muswellbrook Shire and looks forward to finalising the Draft Voluntary Planning Agreement.

Yours faithfully,

Fiona Plesman
GENERAL MANAGER