

AGL Macquarie Community Dialogue Group Agenda - Meeting No.25
Thursday 29 May 2025, 3-5pm

LOCATION: Future-U Hub (which has been re-located to Bayswater on the hill adjacent to the Visitors Centre)

Independent Chair: Lisa Andrews

Community Dialogue Group members:

- Derek Finnigan, General Manager, Muswellbrook Shire Council
- Cr Graeme O'McNeill – Muswellbrook Shire Council
- Sharon Pope, Executive Manager Planning, Environment and Regulatory Services (MSC)
- Cr Sue Moore, Mayor, Singleton Council
- Justin Fitzpatrick-Barr – General Manager, Singleton Council
- Cr Maurice Collison, Mayor, Upper Hunter Shire Council
- Mathew Pringle, Director Environmental and Community Services, Upper Hunter Shire Council
- Mike Kelly, President, Muswellbrook Chamber of Commerce and Industry
- President, Singleton Business Chamber
- Laurie Perry, CEO, Wonnarua Nation Aboriginal Corporation
- De-Anne Douglas, CEO, Wanaruah Local Aboriginal Land Council
- Stephen Thatcher, Chair, Lake Liddell Recreation Area Trust
- Ged Elphinstone, Manager, Lake Liddell Recreation Area
- Kevin Timpson, Individual Community Representative
- Ruth Rogers, Individual Community Representative
- Jennifer Lecky, Individual Community Representative
- Dwight Graham, Director Corporate & Commercial, Singleton

AGL Hunter attendees:

- Len McLachlan, General Manager AGLM
- Chris Druery, Site Manager, Liddell Transition
- Seth Pathiyil Project Head– Hunter Energy hub
- Andrew Speechly, Senior Manager Environment
- Mel Cleary, Manager Community Relations (NSW)
- Ray Balks, Manager Stakeholder Relations, Idemitsu (Muswellbrook Pumped Hydro)
- Chirag Kakadiya, Senior Project Manager, Major Projects
- Rob Cooper, Senior Manager Corporate Affairs (NSW)
- Polly Yuille, Manager Corporate Affairs (Bayswater & Transition)
- Jo Ferguson, Manager Community Relations

Agenda

Item	Topic	Time																
1	Welcome, introduction and apologies - Chair - Acknowledgment of Country - Apologies	3:00pm																
2	Safety share																	
3	Declarations of interest - Including identification of any confidential agenda items																	
4	Business arising from previous meeting																	
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5	Correspondence • 4/3/25 – Email to members with the draft minutes for review. • 27/3/25 – Email to members with the finalized minutes from 27/2/25 CCC. • 9/5/25 – Email to members with meeting notice for this CCC. • 12/5/25 – Email to members with the draft agenda for this meeting. • 26/5/25 – Email to members with reminder for this meeting.																	
6	AGL and site operations update																	
7	Liddell Transition update																	
8	Hunter Energy Hub update																	
9	Liddell Battery update																	
10	New projects update																	
11	Environment update																	
12	Community update																	
13	General business and future meeting items																	
14	Next meeting date – (Thursday 28th August 2025)																	
15	Close	5:00pm																

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