



# Maxwell Infrastructure CCC Presentation

## 10 June 2020

Due to COVID-19 restrictions at the time of the scheduled presentation the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment had advised that all face to face meetings be cancelled. Based on this advice and in consideration of the wellbeing of all committee members, the Chairperson requested that this meeting was not held in person. Instead, this presentation was issued to all committee members with feedback directed to the Chairperson.

# Standing Agenda



No.	Topic	Who
1	Housekeeping and safety	N/A
2	Welcome - attendees and apologies	N/A
3	Declaration of pecuniary interests	Members to advise Chairperson
4	Confirm minutes from previous meeting	Members to advise Chairperson
5	Actions from previous meeting	No actions
6	Update on the Maxwell UG Project	Refer to section below
7	Update on the Maxwell Solar Project	Refer to section below
8	Environmental performance and management plans	Refer to section below
9	Reports, submissions and correspondence	Chairperson to advise
10	General business	Chairperson to advise
11	Next meeting	Chairperson to advise
12	Meeting close	N/A

Note. As requested by the Chairperson, this meeting not held in person due to the COVID-19 restrictions and in consideration of the wellbeing of all committee members. All relevant information has been provided in the following slides.

# Maxwell Underground Project

# Project Timeline



## Milestones

## Opportunities for feedback

NSW Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (DPIE) have placed Malabar's EIS on public display for six weeks from 14 August to 25 September 2019



We will let you know when the EIS has been submitted. At that point, the community has the opportunity to submit feedback directly to the Department of Planning, Industry and the Environment.

Malabar responds to submissions

**WE ARE  
HERE**

The DPIE assesses Malabar's submission, including any issues or concerns raised in the submission process



Malabar will engage with the community to address any concerns raised.



In addition, Malabar must formally respond to any issues raised in submissions.

The DPIE or IPC (Independent Planning Commission), if applicable, announce their decisions



DPIE concludes its assessment and makes recommendations. An approved application may include conditions that address any outstanding concerns raised by the community.



IPC reviews the proposal and conducts a public meeting.



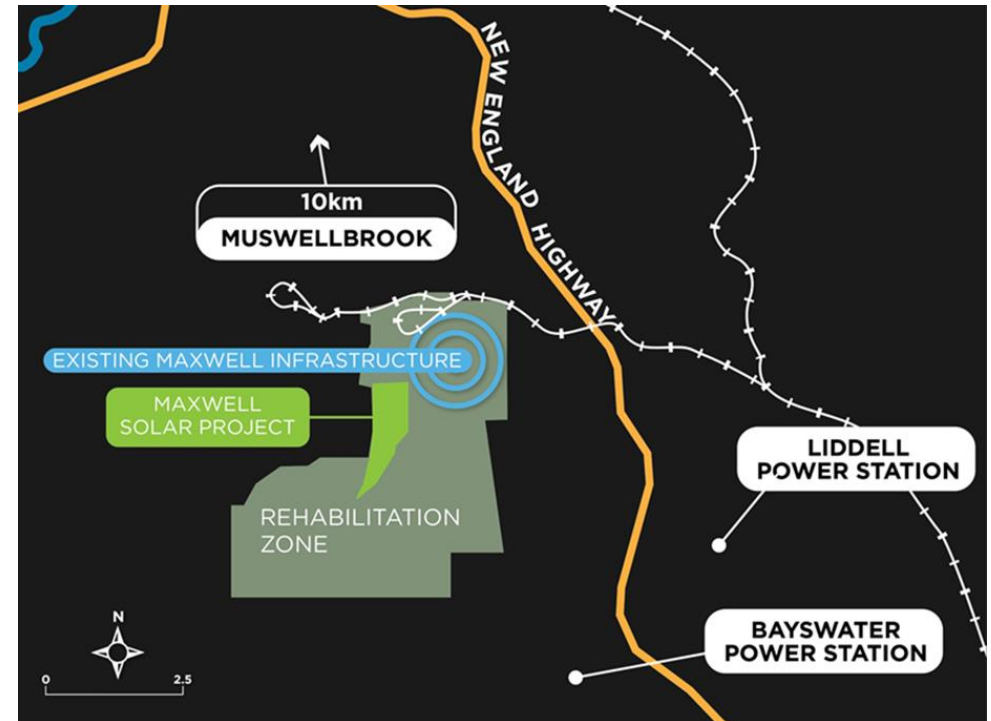
IPC concludes its assessment and hands down a determination.

# Maxwell Solar Project

# Solar Project Update



- EIS was prepared and placed on public exhibition.
  - Two positive submissions received.
  - No objections.
- Maxwell Solar has prepared a response to submissions which is available on DPIE's planning portal website.
- The project is currently in the 'assessment phase' and waiting for DPIE's recommendation and determination.



# Environmental Management Plans

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- 2019 Annual Environmental Management Report submitted to DPIE and the Resources Regulator on 30 March 2020
  - This report details the compliance status of the Maxwell Infrastructure site with respect to development consents and mining leases from 1 January 2019 to 31 December 2019. Available on the Malabar website.
- Revised Environmental Monitoring Program approved by DPIE on 3 April 2020
  - Surface and groundwater monitoring requirements updated to align with revised Water Management Plan. Available on the Malabar website.
- Mining Operations plan (MOP) for FY21 and FY22 submitted to the Resources Regulator on 17 April 2020
  - Rehabilitation activities will focus on improving existing rehabilitation through tree planting, reseeded, weed management and repairing contours.
- Submitted Six Monthly Spontaneous Combustion Report to the EPA on 6 May 2020
  - Decrease in the area affected by spontaneous combustion from the previous reporting period.



# Environmental Performance

# Environmental Management Plans



- Received an Official Caution from the Resources Regulator on 17 April 2020
  - For failing to comply with the progressive rehabilitation schedule for 2017 and 2018 as contained within the approved MOP.
  - Ownership of the Maxwell Infrastructure site was formally transferred to Malabar on 26 February 2018.
  - Malabar completed 92.8 hectares of rehabilitation across six areas of the site during 2018.
  - Malabar are currently reviewing the grounds on which the caution notice was issued.
  - The notice did not require any further action to be undertaken by Malabar.

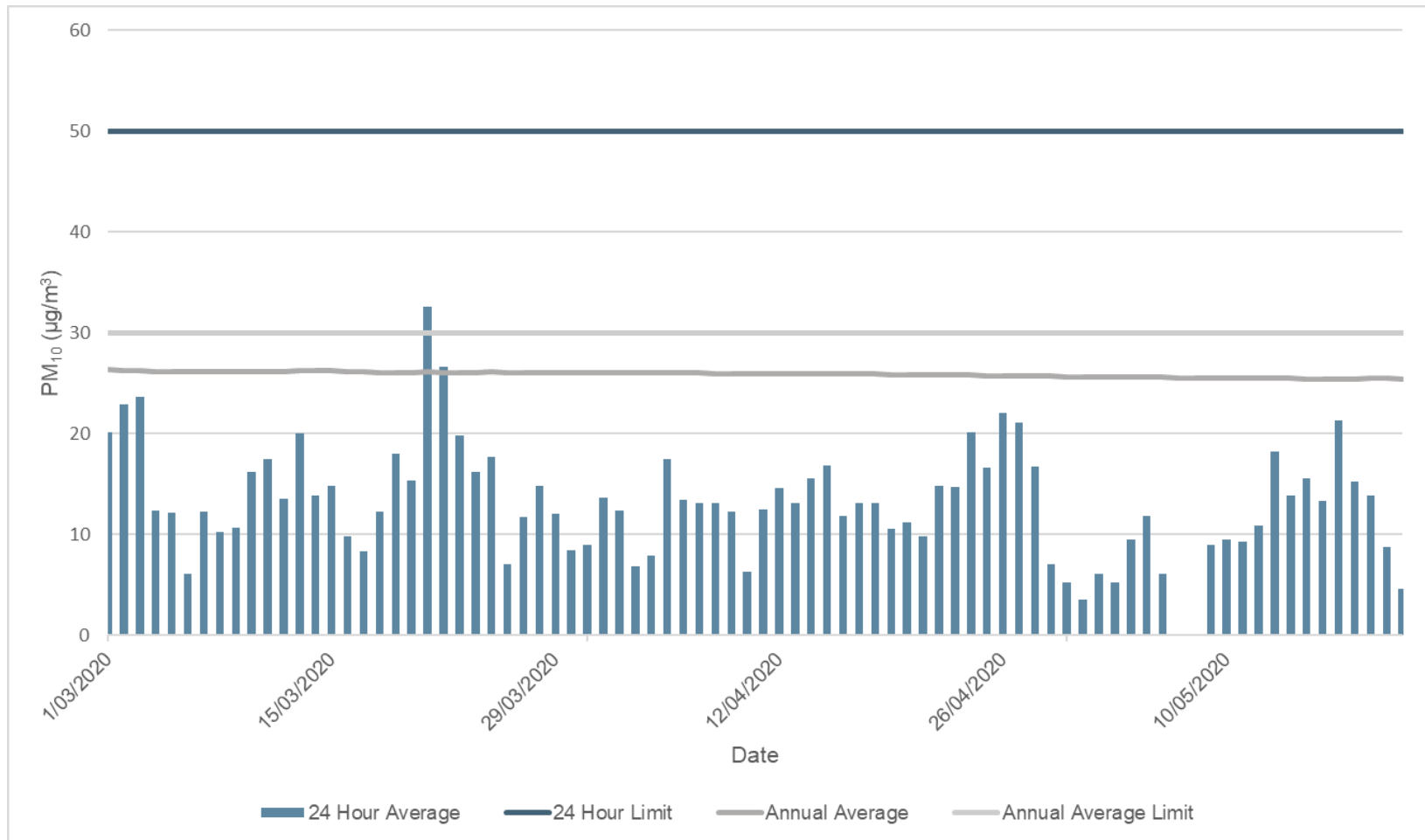
# Maxwell Infrastructure Rehabilitation



- ✓ Moderate rainfall over the last six months.
- ✓ Planted 12,800 trees as part of the Autumn tree planting program.
- ✓ Undertaken wild dog baiting to align with regional baiting programs. Also commencing some trapping during June.
- ✓ Commenced targeted weed spraying program.
- ✓ Commenced repairs to existing contours on mine rehabilitation.



# PM10 measurements



The graph shows 24-hour average PM10 concentrations recorded from 1 March 2020 to 31 May 2020 as measured using a TEOM. All were significantly below the 24-hour impact assessment criterion.

Insufficient data (<75%) was available to calculate a valid result on 7&8 May 2020. This was due to the TEOM being swapped out with a replacement while the unit was taken away for assessment on 7 May.

# Community

# Complaints



No complaints received

# Recent Sponsorships



- Donate 770 used railway sleepers to Derryville Rail.
- Donated activity bags for all the kids at Martindale Public School to help with home learning during the COVID-19 restrictions.
- Donated 3 large hampers to the residents at Calvary Muswellbrook during the COVID-19 restrictions. Items included games, books, CD, DVDs, tissues, santiser, hand creams, blankets and lots more!



# General Business Next meeting