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To: Mary O'Kane

Subject: Kepco Coal Bylong Coal Project

## Dear Ms O'Kane

I'm sending you this email on behalf of the community of Mid-Western Regional Council. The IPC meet on site ,with Council and listened to the local community and people outside the community on the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> November last year.

The Council and the community as a whole over whelming support the Bylong Coal project and have waited for a long time for a decision to be made. The community in Kandos and Rylstone are only just hanging on with the hope of a positive outcome from the IPC. With the loss of the Kandos Cement Factory and the closing of the Charbon Colliery, the schools and businesses are struggling and the region needs employment and long term certainty.

The question that is being asked of Council when will a decision be made on the Bylong Coal Project. Do you have any idea when this will occur. Is it a few days away or weeks or still months.

I just need something to tell the community of Mid –Western and Councillors when they ask.

## Kind regards

## **Brad Cam**



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