To whom it may concern,

I have lived in the hunter valley for most of my life, I have seen the interactions within the community and the mining community as a whole. I have also worked in the mining sector for several years now, and recently started with rix's creek full time. It is very easy to see how the company respects the ideas and comments of the community in the area.

As an employee within rix’s creek, and a resident of the hunter region, it is easy to see the argument from both side. I do however belive that the community and rixs creek can work together for the many years to come and thrive of each other.

Thank you for letting me submit my letter very much in favour of the mod 10 being approved. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me on my email provided.

Sincerely,

James Shiner