Dear Commissioners,

I am a proud long term employee of the Bloomfield Group.

I have been employed in the mining industry and lived around mines for most of my life and do not believe my health has suffered as a result of detrimental environmental effects as presented at the public hearing.

The Bloomfield Group has provided me with a long and stable career to date and provided my children casual employment while transitioning from high school to university or full time employment.

The company has always made its best efforts to engage and assist in the local community where possible and I have had the honour of representing the company through the Bloomfield Foundation in numerous cases over a long period of time.

I think the landform being presented will fit in with the surrounding farming areas and the water bodies included will have a benefit to the community in the future.

I think the project presents a reasonable method for mining the resource available, minimising impacts to the environment and residents as the development progresses away from Singleton.

I support the Rix’s Creek Continuation Project, SSD6300 and hope it is approved so the company can continue to provide stable employment and maintain its contributions to the community.

Regards,

Chris Moy