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My name is Peter Bright, I am a resident of Forbes and a strong advocate for the CleanTeq Sunrise Mine.

Out here in the Central West smaller towns are slowly dying the Death of a Thousand Cuts.

Governments must stop throwing money at the problem of job losses in the country and recognise that we need Jobs and Infrastructure. Money soon runs out and basically what we have left is a nicer looking town with less people around to enjoy it. As a Vice District Governor for the Lions Club I've had the opportunity to travel around this area to see firsthand what is happening to our district.

Banks are closing, supermarkets are closing, small schools are closing all across the state and our children are leaving to find jobs elsewhere.

This mine will produce 300 jobs in the area. That is potentially 300 families living, working and having children, needing schools, supermarkets and banks.

This type of increase in population/Jobs is just what is needed to keep our smaller towns viable.

This type of industry stands out from most "Mine Developments" The Cleanteq Sunrise mine will produce the end product, not send pelletised ore overseas to be repurchased by us after value adding in overseas processing plants.

So in summary I would just like to say.

Yes they'll use a bit of water 3,135 ML but 46% will be recovered for re use., yes they may make a bit of noise, and yes trucks may use our roads, the Mod4 Assessment reports supports the development. So for goodness sake, just let them "Get on With it."