

# Community Consultative Committee (CCC) Update

## CCC Information Sessions

In early May 2013 Iron Road hosted information sessions on Community Consultative Groups in Warrambo and Wudinna. It was proposed at the sessions to provide one month to register your interest in being involved in the process of developing a group to represent the community's views. The response was good with 25 people registering to get involved.

## Follow up meeting for interested community members

The group of interested community members met at the Wudinna Telecentre at the end of June to discuss how the group might best represent the community and to share each person's understanding of what the group's purpose was and how it might operate.

Iron Road supports the purpose of the CCC as a forum for open and honest discussion and a group which can be involved in finding solutions and provide input to improve and influence decision making.

## Community Representation:

The group identified the key areas of community representation as:

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| Landholders   | Environment (and Water)                  |
| - directly impacted by the proposed mine            | Local Government                         |
| - adjacent to the proposed mine                     | Local member                             |
| - impacted by rail component near the proposed mine | Housing and Accommodation                |
| Health  | Business and Industry                    |
| Education   | Social Impacts / Community organisations |
| Emergency Services                                  | Local Residents                          |

## Terms of Reference

A group of 14 were nominated from the follow up meeting who felt they could fairly represent the community in the key areas listed above to get together and workshop a potential Terms of Reference for the committee to operate by. A draft term of reference has been collated thanks to the hard work of Tash and Jodie O'Brien. The terms of reference will remain in draft form until the group formalises and the independent chair has been appointed.

## Independent Chair

The independent chair is an important role of the CCC and the appointment of a chairperson is a shared decision between the group and Iron Road. There have been a number of names from the Eyre Peninsula put forward by the group as to who they believe could fill the role effectively. The independent chair will be pursued over the next few weeks when the group gets together again.

## Further information

If you are interested in finding out more about the CCC please feel free to contact Tim Scholz - 0400756264 or Tilly Smart - 0407669782 from Iron Road or if you wanted to talk to someone from the community involved in the group your welcome to contact Lubin Stringer - 0417862843 or Sandy Alexander – 86802090 for more information.