



## Project Update

### Locals have their say on McPhillamys

The public exhibition period for the McPhillamys Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) attracted a great deal of interest and we were pleased to see strong local support for the project.

Thank you to everyone who took the time to voice their support or concerns through the submission process. Whether for or against, it's very important that locals get involved and express their views.

Regis will now review all 669 submissions before responding to them formally in a document called Response to Submissions.

The NSW Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (DPIE) will review this response along with the EIS and will refer the project to the Independent Planning Commission, for determination.

### Volunteers needed for local Rural Fire Service brigades

The recent spate of bushfires across NSW, Queensland and South Australia has resulted in devastating consequences for many towns and rural areas.

Our thoughts are with the families and communities who have been so badly affected by these fires.

It's a timely reminder that we all need to think about prevention and preparation, including things like access for RFS fire trucks.

As I mentioned in a previous update, our local Rural Fire Services (RFS) also need volunteers, so please get involved if you can. Training and equipment is provided by the brigade.

You will find the contact details for your local brigade on the RFS website at: [www.rfs.nsw.gov.au](http://www.rfs.nsw.gov.au).

Regards,

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## Is your property accessible?

With the fire season well under way it's important to know if an RFS truck would be able to access your farm, residence or rural business.

In order to provide the quickest and best assistance in the event of a fire, local brigades need access for Cat 1 Tankers (pictured above).

The Cat 1 trucks are four metres high, three and a half metres wide and eight metres long. Please check your access gates/driveways against the measurements shown.

Contact your local brigade captain to clarify any other requirements for firefighting equipment access to your property.