

## TAHMOOR COKING COAL Newsletter

Tahmoor South Domain

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### Longwall South 3A update

Tahmoor Coking Coal commenced mining of Longwall South 3A (LW S3A) on Wednesday 8 May 2024 and has since progressed 392.5m as of 26 June 2024 (see **Figure 1**).

Mining is progressing in a north-westerly direction and is due for completion in January 2025 (timing subject to operations).

As the longwall progresses, Tahmoor Coking Coal will be offering weekly precautionary visual inspections during the active subsidence periods for properties containing swimming pools and farm dams.

### Did you know?

We employ around 780 people with 40% living in the local Wollondilly community.

We inject around \$13.7 million per year into the local economy.

We contribute over \$200,000 per year to support local community groups, schools, events & projects.

### Pre-Mining Inspections & survey installation

If your property is located above Longwalls S4A to S6A and you haven't requested a free Pre-Mining Inspection and survey marker installation to measure subsidence, please contact Tahmoor Coking Coal on 02 4640 0025 or email [tahmoorenquiries@simecgfg.com](mailto:tahmoorenquiries@simecgfg.com).

For those who have registered and are located above longwalls S5A & S6A, we will be in contact in July to commence your inspections.

### Claiming for mine subsidence damage

If you believe your property is damaged by mine subsidence you can lodge a claim for compensation with Subsidence Advisory NSW. Visit [www.nsw.gov.au/subsidence-advisory/claims](http://www.nsw.gov.au/subsidence-advisory/claims) for more information.

Please be advised claims will be placed on hold until active subsidence from current and future longwalls has settled. In the unlikely event that you experience a mine subsidence safety, security or serviceability concern, please phone Subsidence Advisory NSW **24-hour Emergency Hotline** on **1800 248 083** and they will coordinate a priority response.

You can also contact Tahmoor Coking Coal on 02 4640 0025 or email [tahmoorenquiries@simecgfg.com](mailto:tahmoorenquiries@simecgfg.com) if you have any concerns.

### Contact us

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# Tahmoor Coking Coal - current mine plan

Figure 1 highlights the location of Longwall S3A in yellow.

- The blue line (predicted 20mm Subsidence Area) indicates the area predicted to experience subsidence from LW S3A mining.
- The grey shading depicts the previously mined areas.
- The green and blue areas are the active subsidence zone where weekly inspections are carried out. Green being 450m behind the longwall face and blue being 150m in front of the longwall face.

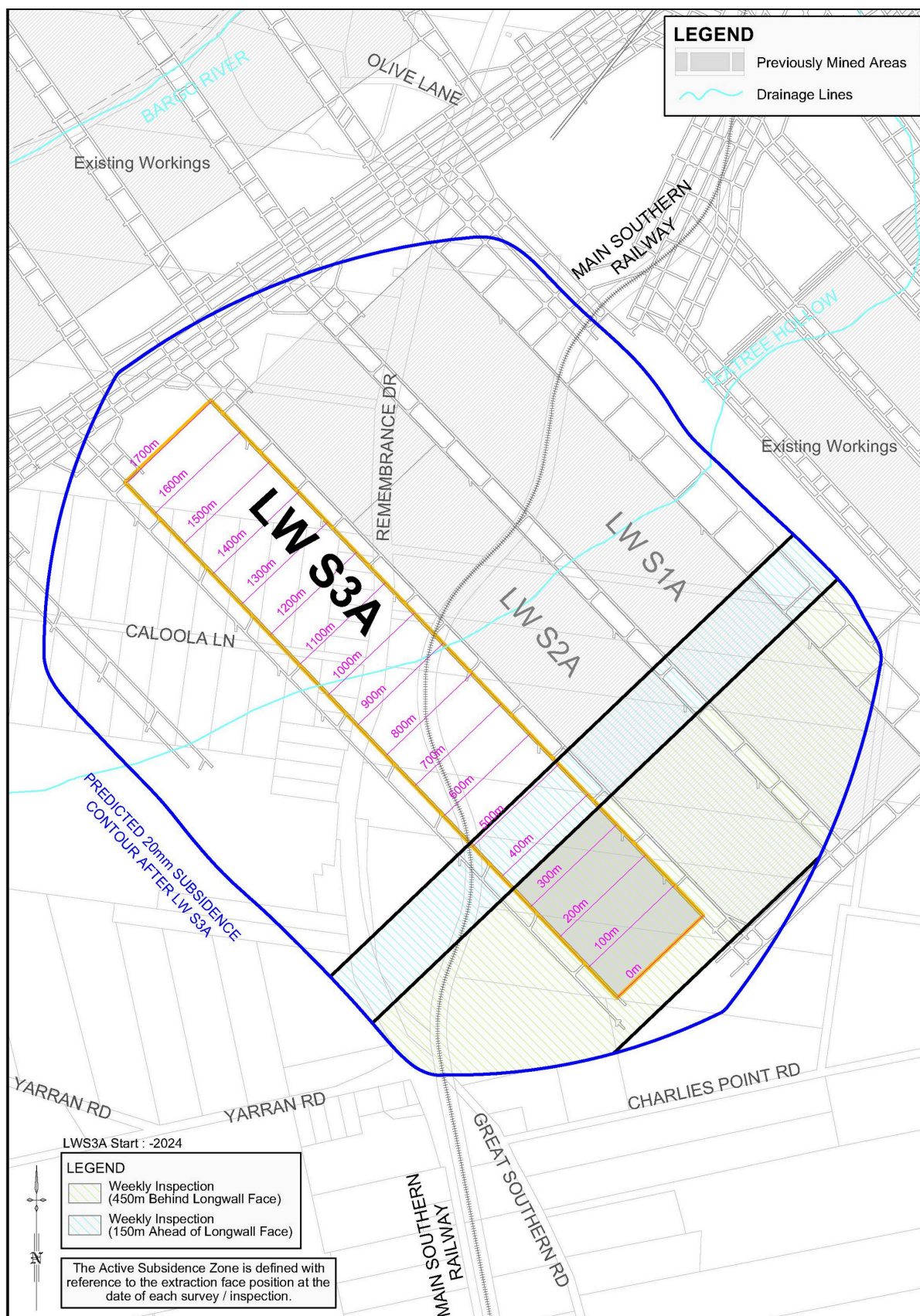


Figure 1 - Longwall South 3A subsidence zone



# Remembrance Driveway - gas main mitigation works



Tahmoor Coking Coal implements extensive measures prior to, during and after mining to ensure that the health and safety of people are not put at risk due to mine subsidence.

Subsidence Management Plans are developed with infrastructure asset owners (e.g. Telstra, Jemena Gas, NBN, Sydney Water, Australian Rail Track Corporation and Council) to ensure infrastructure assets like roads, gas mains, internet cables, water pipes, bridges and railway tracks are prepared for mine subsidence.

In accordance with Subsidence Management Plans, some infrastructure assets require mitigation activities to be carried out prior to any mine subsidence occurring. This is the case with the Jemena gas main pipeline along Remembrance Driveway in Bargo.

## Completion of works



From November 2023 to June 2024, Tahmoor Coking Coal in conjunction with Jemena Gas and Council, uncoupled the gas main pipe along Remembrance Driveway in front of the coal mine site. This allowed the gas main pipe to move freely in the trench as any ground strains increased during mining.

This is an effective mitigation measure taken for sections of the gas main pipeline identified by Jemena Gas. Following completion of mining, the gas main trench was backfilled and the council easement was releveled.

## Upcoming planned mitigation works - near Caloola Road junction

Further gas main pipeline mitigation works will commence along Remembrance Driveway road easement (opposite Caloola Rd junction) from approximately **August to November 2024**.

The same uncoupling trenching method will apply and concrete barriers will be in place for safety.

There may be minor changes to traffic conditions along the roadway while the concrete barriers are in place.





# Tahmoor Colliery Community Consultative Committee

The Tahmoor Colliery Community Consultative Committee (TCCCC) provides a forum for open discussion between representatives of Tahmoor Coking Coal, the community, local council and other stakeholders on issues directly relating to the mine's operations, environmental performance and community relations.

The committee is independently chaired and meets four times a year. There are six local community members on the committee listed below who are available for you to contact should you have any questions or concerns.

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## Ongoing newsletter communications

Please be advised printed newsletters will only be distributed to property owners located within the blue subsidence zone on Page 2 from July onwards. Copies will be available at the Bargo IGA notice board.

To continuing receiving regular newsletter updates, please email [tahmoorenquiries@simecgfg.com](mailto:tahmoorenquiries@simecgfg.com) to be added to the email group. Alternatively, visit [www.tahmoorcolliery.com.au](http://www.tahmoorcolliery.com.au) to view the newsletters on our website.

