

Frequently Asked Questions

Chain Valley Approval Modification (Mod 4)

Background

As part of the acquisition of CVC and Mannering Colliery in 2019, Delta Coal also entered into an arrangement to purchase a number of Myuna leases from Centennial Myuna Pty Ltd.

Delta Coal is proposing to incorporate these leases into the CVC operations to enable an extension of Delta Coal's underground mining area within the Fassifern Seam to the north of current operations and beneath the suburbs of Brightwaters, Mirrabooka, Sunshine and Silverwater.

The environmental impacts associated with the proposed system of mining have been assessed and mining in these areas is currently approved under Myuna's operations.

Mining within the proposed extension area will be restricted to long-term stable mining systems generating less than 20mm surface subsidence.

Will there be mining under my house?

Mining will generally be in the area of Mirrabooka, Silverwater, Brightwaters and Sunshine. Please check the aerial photograph poster of the Morisset East Peninsula at the information session or contact info@deltacoal.com.au with your address.

Why do you need to mine this area?

Mining in this area is already approved under consents for Centennial Myuna. In 2019, Delta Coal purchased these mining leases from Centennial. The application is seeking to have mining consents incorporated into the Chain Valley operations. The one significant change is that under existing consents the extracted coal is transported to Eraring Power Station. Delta Coal is proposing to extract the coal via the existing Chain Valley operations and transport via conveyor to the Vales Point Power Station.

When will mining in the area commence?

Chain Valley Colliery is currently mining under Lake Macquarie near Summerland Point. It is expected that mining will progress towards the Morisset East Peninsula from 2021.

How deep down will the mining be from under my house and will I feel any vibrations?

The targeted mining seam is the Fassifern Seam, this is approximately 150m - 190m under the land surface. Due to this deep depth and mine design, noise or vibration from mining will not be felt on the surface.

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Who will compensate me if my property is damaged from mine subsidence?

Please call Subsidence Advisory NSW on (02) 4908 4300 for advice on mine subsidence compensation matters or visit www.subsidenceadvisory.nsw.gov.au

What stage of the planning process are you currently at?

Delta Coal is currently undertaking consultation and is preparing a modification report to be submitted to the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment.

How can you be certain that you won't damage my house?

Delta Coal have engaged expert geotechnical and mining engineers to design the mine so that there is <20mm of surface subsidence, which is within normal ground movements that occur naturally.

Where can I get more information on this project?

Information on the project is available on the Delta Coal website at www.deltacoal.com.au and also on the NSW Department of Planning, Industry and Environment portal once the modification report is submitted by Delta Coal.



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