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### Watermark EIS Drop-in-Day

Shenhua Watermark will be holding an information drop-in-day on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2013 at the Gunnedah PCYC. Shenhua encourages anyone with an interest in the Project to 'drop in' and talk to members of the Project team anytime between 9am and 6pm.

Water, noise, ecology, koala, air quality, biodiversity, rehabilitation, agriculture, soil & land capability specialist subconsultants will be on hand to answer any specific questions community members may have. Copies of the Environment Impact Statement (EIS) will also be available for viewing, along with project maps and a fly-over video.

According to Watermark's Project Manager Paul Jackson, the drop-in-day is designed to help community members better understand the key features of the report.

"The EIS is a very technical 3000-page document," Mr Jackson said. "It is an extremely large document for the community to get through, even in the eight week period.

"Not everyone will have the same concerns; some people will be interested in water issues, while others may have a focus on rehabilitation," Mr Jackson continued. "The drop-in-day has been designed so that people with a specific interest in the project can speak directly to that specialist consultant."

The Watermark EIS is currently on public exhibition until Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2013. EIS display locations and additional information about the Watermark Project can be found on the company's new website: [www.shenhuaaustralia.com](http://www.shenhuaaustralia.com)

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